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Senior Master Sergeant Stephen A. Rodriguez is the senior enlisted advisor of 9th Battalion, United States Military Entrance Processing Command, and the Dallas Military Entrance Processing Station, and supports the USMEPCOM mission of evaluating applicants by applying Department of Defense standards in processing and determining eligibility for military service.

He joined the Air Force at the Salt Lake City MEPS in March 2005, and completed Basic Military Training at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas.

Senior Master Sergeant Rodriguez served as Aerospace TurboProp TurboShaft craftsman, 1st Special Operations Maintenance Squadron, Hurlburt Field, Florida; noncommissioned officer in charge, Instructor Element, 373 Training Squadron Detachment 16, Kirtland Air Force Base, New Mexico; and MC-130 Production superintendent, 901 Special Operations Maintenance Squadron, Hurlburt Field.

His professional military education includes Airman Leadership School, Noncommissioned Officer Academy, Enterprise Management Course, and Senior Enlisted Joint Professional Military Education. He earned an Associate of Applied Science in Aircraft Maintenance Technology, and an Associate in Applied Arts in Instructor Training, from the Community College of the Air Force; a Bachelor of Arts in Organizational Leadership from Lewis University, Albuquerque, New Mexico, and a Master of Science in Leadership from Trident University, Cypress, California.

Senior Master Sergeant Rodriguez' military awards and decorations include the Meritorious Service Medal, five Air Force Commendation Medals, the Air Force Achievement Medal, and various service, unit and personal medals and ribbons.