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Major Charles Hansen is the commander of the Houston Military Entrance Processing Station and supports the USMEPCOM mission of evaluating applicants by applying Department of War standards in processing and determining eligibility for military service.

He received his commission through Officer Candidates Course at Quantico, Virginia in 2006.

He served as platoon commander, 9th Communications Battalion and Alpha Company executive officer at Camp Pendleton, California; Officer Selection Officer, Recruiting Station West Virginia, Columbus, Ohio; system support platoon commander, S-6, and Special Security Officer, 3rd Intelligence Battalion; assistant for Officer Procurement, 2nd Marine Corps District, San Diego, California; Operations Officer, 3d MLG G-6, Okinawa, Japan; Company Commander for Communications Company , CLR-37; G-6 future operations officer, III MEF, Okinawa Japan.

His military education includes Expeditionary Warfare School and Command and Staff. He earned a Bachelor of Arts in journalism from University of Oregon, Eugene, Oregon, and a Master of Arts in organizational leadership from Lewis University, Romeoville, Illinois.

Maj. Hansen's awards and decorations include the Meritorious Service Medal, the Navy and Marine Corps Commendations Medal with two gold stars and various service, unit, and personal medals and ribbons.