

TECHNICAL SERGEANT CLARSISA RENEE L. CRUZ

Technical Sergeant Clarissa Renee Larrew Cruz is currently assigned to the Defense Intelligence Agency as the NCOIC of the Asia Pacific Regional Center, South and South East Asia Branch. She utilizes all-source intelligence information to develop and validate foreign military order of battle. She collaborates with Intelligence Community partner agencies and provides foundational military intelligence for worldwide joint customers, senior leaders and policy makers.

Previously, Sergeant Cruz served as the 60th Air Mobility Wing NCOIC of Intelligence Training. As the lead evaluator, she developed the intelligence evaluator upgrade and certification program. Sergeant Cruz authored and presented 80 Intelligence and Tactics ground training events for 625 aircrew members which supported 128 deployments to over 25 countries. She also managed the Intel Support to Force Protection program and led as the sole intelligence representative for the 60th Air Mobility Wing Threat Working Group. Additionally, while deployed Sergeant Cruz stood up the first Intelligence training program at the 521st Air Mobility Operations Wing in Ramstein Air Base Germany.



Sergeant Cruz was born and raised on the island of Guam and entered the Air Force in 2012 after earning her Bachelor's in Business Administration from the University of Guam. She has deployed to Al Dhafra Air Base, United Arab Emirates and Ramstein Air base to support C-5, C-17, C-130 and KC-10 aircraft during Operation Inherent Resolve, and Operation Freedom's Sentinel.

EDUCATION

- 2010 Bachelor of Business Administration (Finance & Economics), University of Guam, Mangilao, Guam
- 2013 Operations Intelligence Fundamental Course, Goodfellow Air Force Base, Texas
- 2013 Air Mobility Command Air Forces Intelligence Formal Training Unit, Joint Base McGuire-Dix-Lakehurst, New Jersey
- 2014 Associate Degree, Applied Science Intelligence Studies and Technology, Community College of the Air Force
- 2015 Force Protection Intelligence Formal Training Unit, Joint Base McGuire-Dix-Lakehurst, New Jersey
- 2016 Advanced Air Mobility Intelligence Course, Rosecrans Air National Guard Base, Missouri
- 2016 Intelligence Evaluator Course, Rosecrans Air National Guard Base, Missouri
- 2017 Airman Leadership School, Travis AFB, California
- 2017 Anti-terrorism/Force Protection Training, Hurlburt Field, Florida
- 2019 Naval Operations, Norfolk Naval Base, Virginia
- 2019 Military Ground Equipment, Aberdeen, Md.
- 2019 Special Forces Operations, Rivanna Station, Virginia
- 2020 USAF Noncommissioned Officer Academy, Maxwell AFB Gunter Annex, Alabama

ASSIGNMENTS

1. December 2012 – May 2013, Intelligence Training, Goodfellow AFB, Texas

2. May 2013 – September 2013, Wing Intelligence Analysis, 60 Air Mobility Wing, Travis AFB, California
3. September 2013 – April 2014, Wing Operations Intelligence, 60 Air Mobility Wing, Travis AFB, California
4. April 2014 – September 2014, Intelligence Analyst, 908th Expeditionary Air Refueling Squadron, Al Dhafra AB, United Arab Emirates
5. September 2014 – October 2016, Operations Intelligence Analyst, 60 Air Mobility Wing, Travis AFB, California
6. October 2016 – January 2017, Intelligence Analyst & Training NCOIC, 313th Expeditionary Operations Support Squadron, Ramstein AB, Germany
7. January 2017 – April 2018, NCOIC Intelligence Training, 60 Air Mobility Wing, Travis AFB, California
8. May 2018 – November 2019, Order of Battle Analyst, Defense Intelligence Agency, Rivanna Station, Virginia
9. November 2019 – Present, NCOIC Order of Battle, Defense Intelligence Agency, Rivanna Station, Virginia

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Air Force Commendation Medal

Air Force Achievement Medal with oak leaf cluster

Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal

Air Force Expeditionary Service Ribbon with gold border

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS

2014 Squadron Airman of the Quarter, 60 Operations Support Squadron, Travis AFB, California

2014 Squadron Airman of the Bi-Month, 908th Expeditionary Air Refueling Squadron, Al Dhafra AB, United Arab Emirates

2017 Squadron Top Performer, 60 Operations Support Squadron, Travis AFB, California

2019 Group Noncommissioned officer of the Quarter, Defense Intelligence Agency, Rivanna Station, Virginia

2020 Wing Noncommissioned officer of the Quarter, Defense Intelligence Agency, Rivanna Station, Virginia

2021 Group Noncommissioned officer of the Quarter, Defense Intelligence Agency, Rivanna Station, Virginia

EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION

Airman First Class Oct. 02, 2012

Senior Airman Feb. 02, 2015

Staff Sergeant April 01, 2017

Technical Sergeant May 01, 2020