Captain David S. Rubio, USMC Company A, Marine Cryptologic Support Battalion Commanding Officer

Captain Rubio enlisted in the United States Marine Corps in 1997 as a Ch-53 Helicopter Mechanic. After attending Boot Camp at MCRD San Diego, he went on to complete his formal MOS schools at Marine Corps Air Station, Jacksonville, North Carolina.

From November 1997 to May of 2002, PFC Rubio was stationed aboard Marine Corps Base Kaneohe-bay, Hawaii, where he served in both helicopter squadrons HMH-363 and HMH-362 as an Air Crewman, Night System Instructor, Aerial Gunnery Instructor, and Collateral Duty Inspector.



In 2002, Sgt Rubio was selected for the Broadened Opportunity for Officer Selection Training (BOOST) Program and attended prep-school in Newport, Rhode Island. Upon graduation from BOOST in 2003, SSgt Rubio entered the Marine Enlisted Commissioning Education Program (MECEP) and subsequently attended college at the University of Colorado at Boulder where he earned a Bachelor of Arts in Communication.

In May of 2007, SSgt Rubio received a commission as a 2ndLt and was re-assigned to The Basic School (TBS) in Quantico, Virginia for basic officer training and education. Upon graduation from TBS, 2ndLt Rubio was selected to be a Ground Intelligence Officer and immediately attended Infantry Officer Course, followed by both Scout Sniper Platoon Commander Course and Ground Intelligence Officer Course at the Navy and Marine Corps Intelligence Training Center in Virginia Beach, Virginia.

In 2008, he was assigned to 1st Battalion, 6th Marine Regiment, Camp Lejeune, North Carolina, where he served two combat tours in central Helmand Province, Afghanistan as both a Scout Sniper Platoon Commander and Battalion Intelligence Officer.

In 2011, Capt Rubio was selected and slated for instructor duty at the Fleet Intelligence Training Command in San Diego, California. In that time he served as the Expeditionary Division Officer and Course Supervisor for both Expeditionary Warfare and Naval Special Warfare Intelligence Courses.

Capt Rubio checked aboard Buckley Air Force Base in June of 2014 and is currently assigned as the Commanding Officer of Company A, Marine Cryptologic Support Battalion.

Capt Rubio's professional training and education include Expeditionary Warfare School, MAGTF Intelligence Officers Course, Naval Master Training Specialist Certification, and an Executive Masters degree in Business Administration from Naval Postgraduate School.