



## **MAJOR JUSTIN K. PAVLISCHEK UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS**

Major Justin K. Pavlischek is a native of Annapolis, Maryland. From 2003 to 2007, Major Pavlischek attended Villanova University in Villanova, Pennsylvania, where he was a member of the university's Naval Reserve Officer Training Corps battalion. He graduated with a bachelor of arts degree in 2007, and was commissioned a Second Lieutenant in the Marine Corps. He reported to The Basic School at Quantico, Virginia for the Basic Officers Course with Alpha Company 1-08, and upon graduation was selected for the signals intelligence/ground electronic warfare military occupational specialty (MOS).

Upon completion of MOS training at Dam Neck, VA, Major Pavlischek reported to 2nd Radio Battalion at Camp Lejeune, North Carolina, in November 2008. He served as a signals intelligence collections platoon commander before being assigned as the assistant officer in charge of the battalion's detachment to the 24th Marine Expeditionary Unit (MEU). While deployed with the MEU, Major Pavlischek served on the USS Nassau (LHA-4) and USS Mesa Verde (LPD-19) as the ship's Cryptologic Resource Coordinator. While deployed with the MEU, Major Pavlischek participated in and supported joint and combined operations and training exercises in Oman, Djibouti, Kuwait, and Jordan. Upon returning from deployment with the MEU, Major Pavlischek was assigned as the assistant operations officer at 2nd Radio Battalion.

From July 2011 to May 2013, Major Pavlischek was assigned to Naval Station, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba (GTMO), where he served as the installation's N2 (intelligence) department head. Major Pavlischek provided intelligence support to the installation's tenant commands and activities, including Marine Corps Security Forces, Joint Task Force-GTMO, the Office of Military Commissions, and interagency Caribbean migration operations.

From May 2013 to July 2016, Major Pavlischek was assigned to Marine Unmanned Aerial Vehicle Squadron Two (VMU-2) at Cherry Point, North Carolina. As the squadron's intelligence officer, Major Pavlischek attended both the Intelligence and Spectrum Warfare courses at Marine Aviation Weapons Tactics Squadron One (MAWTS-1) at Yuma, Arizona, earning secondary MOS 0277. During this period, Major Pavlischek graduated from Expeditionary Warfare School (EWS) and the Marine Air Ground Task Force Intelligence Officers Course (MIOC), and was redesignated with the 0202 MOS.

From August 2016 through May 2017, Major Pavlischek was the commanding officer of Headquarters Company, Marine Cryptologic Support Battalion at Fort Meade, Maryland. Since June 2017, Major Pavlischek has served as the commanding officer of Company B, Marine Cryptologic Support Battalion.

Major Pavlischek's personal awards include the Navy & Marine Corps Commendation Medal and the Navy & Marine Corps Achievement Medal with two gold stars.

Major Pavlischek is married to the former Mary Cromwell from Jacksonville, Florida. They have three children, Sophia (6), Sidney (6), and Augustine (1).