

# CAPTAIN W. TYLER SCHEELER



Captain W. Tyler Scheeler, MSC, USN, is from Bismarck, North Dakota and earned his Bachelor of Science in Biology at University of Mary in Bismarck. He was awarded a Doctorate of Chiropractic from Palmer College of Chiropractic in Davenport, Iowa. Commissioned October 10, 2001, Scheeler began his naval career at Officer Indoctrination School, Newport, Rhode Island graduating in December 2001 before reporting to the Naval Aerospace Medical Institute in Pensacola, Florida. There he was 'winged' as Naval Aerospace Physiologist (#262) in June 2002. Scheeler served two years at the Aviation Survival Training Center (ASTC) in Cherry Point, North Carolina as the Assistant Department Head and was promoted to Lieutenant in October 2003.

In August 2004 Scheeler reported to Marine Aircraft Group (MAG) 24 based at Marine Corps Air Station Kaneohe Bay, Hawaii where he served as the MAG-24 Aeromedical Safety Officer. Three years later, he transferred to the Naval Survival Training Institute (NSTI) on board Naval Air Station Pensacola, Florida. During this tour he served as department head for the Human Performance and Training Technology Directorate.

Scheeler reported to the Marine Corps' graduate-level weapons school, Marine Aviation Weapons and Tactics Squadron One, in August 2009. There he served as the aviation training model manager and program director for the Navy and Marine Corps Night Imaging and Threat Evaluation Laboratory. He also served as a weapons school instructor providing advanced aeromedical training to student Weapons and Tactics Instructors. He was promoted to the rank of Lieutenant Commander on February 1, 2009.

In August 2012 Scheeler returned to NSTI where he was assigned as the Director of Training Technology responsible for implementation of advanced training technologies across the Naval Aviation Survival Training Program. He was assigned as the Director of Education and Training for NSTI in November 2014, where he was responsible for development, implementation, and standardization of over 20 separate training curricula that are presented across 8 distinct ASTCs geographically dispersed across the U.S. In June 2016, Scheeler reported to the Naval Aerospace Medical Institute where he served as the Head of Medical Service Corps and Hospital Corpsman training programs. He was promoted to Commander on September 1, 2016.

In June 2017 Scheeler was selected to serve as the director of ASTC Pensacola, the largest ASTC within NSTI, charged with providing safe, effective, and relevant aviation survival and human performance training to enhance the operational readiness of the joint warfighter. In June 2019 Scheeler was selected to attend the U.S. Air Force, Air University, where he earned a Master of Science in Strategic studies.

Upon graduating from the Air University in May 2020, Scheeler reported to Office of the Naval Inspector General as the Deputy Director of Senior Official Investigations. In this role, Scheeler was responsible for the life-cycle management and adjudication of senior official investigations of Flag officers and Senior Executive Service officials within the Department of the Navy, directly supporting the Secretary of the Navy and Chief of Naval Operations. During this tour Scheeler was selected for the rank of Captain and as the next Officer in Charge of NSTI.

Scheeler's personal awards include the Meritorious Service Medal (two awards), Navy-Marine Corps Commendation Medal (five awards) and the Navy-Marine Corps Achievement Medal (two awards). Professionally, he has been awarded Fleet Marine Force Qualified Officer warfare device and is board certified by the Aerospace Medical Association (AsMA) in Aerospace Physiology. He was selected as an AsMA Associate Fellow in 2016.

He is married to Andi, also from Bismarck, and together they have a son, Brayden, and daughter, Cleo. They also have one granddaughter, Allison (Brayden).