

## MOAA President's Currently Serving Spouse Advisory Council 2012-2013



### **Tiffany Anglesey**

Tiffany grew up in Denver, Colorado and earned her Cosmetology License while attending high school. She later enrolled at Saint Josephs College and received a Bachelor Degree in Science with a minor in Adult Training. In August of 2005, "The Plan" was to finish her internship with Regis Salons in the management/training department and take a job in New York City the next summer. But everything changed in November of 2005. A dashing Naval Officer swept her off her feet and she has never looked back! Tiffany is currently a stay at home mom of three children, one of whom is an EFMP 5 status. In addition, Tiffany's husband, Kory, is serving his first of two deployments in Afghanistan. Tiffany has a passion for improving morale during deployments, especially for those who have husbands on Individual Augmentee assignments. She also started a service called Operation Dazzle where local hairstylist and makeup artists offer free of charge hair care and make up services for those military spouses who have service members returning home from deployment.



### **Katherine Bosma**

Katherine was born and raised in North Carolina and holds a 2001 BA (With Highest Honors and Highest Distinction) from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and a 2007 JD from Campbell University. Katherine started her professional career as a Special Projects Coordinator and Constituent Services Representative for Congressman Mike McIntyre. Following law school, where she was a member of the Law Review and participated in Moot Court, Katherine worked as a foreclosure attorney at a small law firm in Rhode Island. Katherine is presently Assistant General Counsel for Long & Foster Real Estate, Inc. in Chantilly, Virginia and is licensed to practice in Rhode Island, Massachusetts, and the District of Columbia. She is married to a Lieutenant Commander in the U.S. Coast Guard, has two daughters, and has successfully completed 5 marathons.



### **Renee Yniguez Cotton**

Renee hails from the great state of Ohio. She went to college at Evangel University in Springfield, Missouri and majored in communications and government. She also interned on Capitol Hill for two Congressmen. Renee worked for the United States Military Academy's football team's front office when her husband was assigned to New York for his first tour. Renee attended law school at Georgia State University and received honors in international law and international arbitration at Johannes Kepler Universitet in Linz, Austria. While in law school, she worked for a state wide consortium of universities whose project was to improve professional

services to special needs infants and toddlers. Renee is licensed to practice law in Maryland. She volunteered with the Exceptional Family Member Program Office until she was selected to join the Department of State's Foreign Service. While in the Foreign Service she worked in the Political Military Bureau in Department of State. She also worked in the International Religious Freedom Office as the Africa Watch Officer and contributed and helped edit the Congressional Report on International Religious Freedom. Currently Renee works part-time as a military family navigator and advocate for a non-profit organization that assists families with children having behavioral or emotional needs.



### **Stephanie Crosse**

Stephanie received her Bachelor of Arts degree in Government from The University of Texas at Austin and her Juris Doctor from The University of Dayton School of Law. Thereafter, Stephanie practiced law for eleven years in the private sector. She worked as a solo practitioner, a litigation associate in a mid-sized law firm, and as in-house counsel for a Fortune 200 insurance company. Two years ago, upon relocating to the Washington, DC metropolitan area, Stephanie transitioned to a career in legal education. She is the current Manager of Employer Relations at American University

Washington College of Law. She is also an adjunct professor with the school's International Legal Studies Program. In addition to her service on the MOAA Spouse Advisory Council, Stephanie serves on the Board of Directors for the Military Spouse JD Network. Stephanie resides in Bowie, Maryland with her husband, David Anglin, a Lt. Colonel in the U.S. Army JAG Corps. Stephanie is also the daughter of Dr. James E. W. Crosse, a retired Army Colonel.



### **Derek Donovan, Colonel, USMC (Ret.)**

Derek joined the Fisher House Foundation in 2007 following 26 years of active duty service in the United States Marine Corps. He holds a Bachelor of Arts degree from Brown University in Providence, Rhode Island. A helicopter pilot by training, his last assignment was with the President's Commission for the Care of America's Returning Wounded Warriors. In addition to extensive operational experience around the world he was also the first Marine selected as aide-de-camp to the Secretary of Navy and provided Presidential helicopter mission support as the Commanding Officer of the

Marine Corps Air Facility, Quantico, Virginia. He also served with the Joint Staff for the 2005 Base Realignment and Closure Commission and was responsible for the implementation of the recommendations impacting the Marine Corps. Derek's father was a 30-year Veteran of the United States Air Force and his mother served in the Army Nurse Corps. His wife Kathryn is an active duty Captain in the United States Navy currently serving as the Commodore of the 22nd Naval Construction Regiment currently deployed in Afghanistan. Their daughter, Emily, is a SeaBee assigned to Naval Mobile Construction Battalion 74 deployed to the western Pacific and their son Morris is stationed in Fort Carson, Colorado with the 4th Infantry Division.

### **Melissa Gilkes-Smith**

Melissa grew up in Central Florida and holds a BS in Business Management and is currently working towards her MS in Healthcare Leadership, both from Park University, as well as currently working towards her CHAA certification from the National Association of Healthcare Access Management. She is also an alumni member of the Phi Theta Kappa Honors Society. Melissa has served in many volunteer roles in both military and civilian organizations, such as the Camp Pendleton Officers' Wives Club, Quantico Officers' Spouses' Organization, Boy Scouts of America and Girl Scouts. She was also an attendee and served on the crew of the 2008 – 2009 Leadership Education Seminar at Camp Pendleton. Melissa currently works at Prince William Hospital within the Patient Access Services Department. Melissa also raises money for the National MS Society with Race to Stop MS through endurance racing events.



### **Mary Klumpp**

Mary is the spouse of Air Force Brigadier General Richard Klumpp, Jr., and mother to their two elementary school-age children. She is well acquainted with the military lifestyle; this summer her family relocated for the sixth time in eight years, and Mary's husband has just returned from a one year deployment to Afghanistan. She has served as honorary President and Vice President for the Officer's Spouse Clubs on two Air Force Bases. Currently, Mary is committed to supporting their family life at home. However, before her son was born, Mary worked as an attorney with the D.C. firm, Morgan, Lewis and Bockius, in the Trademark Law section. She obtained her JD from Fordham Law School, in New York City. She also attended Georgetown Law, as a visiting student, in her third year of studies. Mary graduated with Cum Laude honors, and served on Law Review her second year. Before marriage, and law school, Mary lived in New York City for over seven years, while pursuing Broadway musical opportunities. She obtained an MFA degree from the University of Utah in Musical Theatre. Prior to this she earned a Bachelor's Degree in Theatre from Missouri State, which is near her hometown and her father's farm.



### **Staci Koutsoukos**

Staci grew up in Norman, Oklahoma and graduated from Oklahoma State University with a BS in Business Administration in 2004. After working for Johnson & Johnson in medical device sales for five years in San Diego, California and Denver, Colorado, she joined MCCA (Marine Corps Community Services) upon her family's move to Japan. With MCCA, she was the Community Relations Administrator for MCCA Okinawa and Iwakuni. She received her MA in Human Relations from the University of Oklahoma in 2009 via distance learning while living in Okinawa. In 2011, she temporarily left the work force with the birth of her son, Jaxon, followed by the birth of her daughter, Grace, in 2012. Staci is active in the military community, as vice president for the Marine Aviation Officers' Spouses' Club of DC, as well as various groups on base at Fort Belvoir.



### **Tammy Moore**

Tammy Moore is an advisor to the American Red Cross President and Chief Executive Officer on policy, strategy, and operational matters relating to the organization's Service to the Armed Forces line of business which supports military members, their families and veterans. Prior to becoming advisor to the President, Tammy served in Red Cross Community Chapters across the country where she established initiatives to improve program service quality for military clients. She collaborated with the British Red Cross to develop a menu of service that would better meet the needs of British service members and families. Her work with the American Red Cross supporting the Military Community has been featured in publications and media outlets such as *Washington Exec Magazine*, *Viewpoint Talk Show*, *NBC*, and *Army Wives Talk Radio*. Tammy is a member of the Tiffany Circle Society of Women Philanthropists which has raised \$32.9 million in cumulative revenue with women leaders investing \$10,000 annually through their local Red Cross chapters. She is a two time recipient of the Commander's Award for Public Service and is currently completing post graduate studies at the Harvard Kennedy School of Government.



### **Teri Twigg**

Teri is a proud USAFR brat and Marine Corps spouse. She has over 15 years' experience in marketing and business consulting, event planning, and community relations; specializing in government contracts, non-profit organizations, and small business. She has successfully navigated organizations from the startup phase through targeted operation levels. Teri joined DECO, Inc., a government security contractor, as a consultant in 2009. Additionally, she has been instrumental in establishing the Military Spouse Foundation, an organization that assists military spouses with career transition via online training and virtual mentoring; and currently serves as the Director of Community Relations. She is a member of the Society for Human Resource Management, the President of the Quantico Officers' Spouses' Organization and a Board member of Marine Officers' Spouses' Organization of Washington DC. Teri has earned a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration and Hospitality Management and a Master of Business Administration from the University of Central Florida.



### **Kathryn Werner**

Kathryn was born and raised in rural West Tennessee. She attended Hendrix College in Conway, Arkansas where she was awarded a full tuition scholarship as a Hayes Scholar Finalist and graduated with a BA in Health Promotion (Cum Laude, With Distinction). She then continued her education by obtaining a Master of Physician Assistant Studies Degree from Idaho State University in 2007. Kathryn has been certified through the National Commission on Certification of Physician Assistants (NCCPA) since 2007. She has practiced medicine in a variety of settings including psychiatry, gastroenterology & hepatology, and currently, family practice. Additionally, she has served as a sub investigator for several clinical research trials investigating novel drugs for the treatment of hepatitis B and C. Kathryn is a member of the Andrews Officers' Spouses' Club and enjoys sailing and camping in her free time.



**Christina Zahara Noh**

Christina was raised in and around Boston, Massachusetts. She graduated magna cum laude from Tufts University, serving as a member of the inaugural class of Citizenship and Public Service Scholars and captain of the varsity women's fencing team. After college, Christina spent two years living in South Korea, first serving as a Fulbright English Teaching Fellow and later teaching English at the Ewha Women's University Language Center in Seoul. She returned to the States to attend law school at the University of Washington in Seattle, where she was a member of the Pacific Rim Law and Policy Journal. Upon graduating, Christina practiced at Goodsill Anderson Quinn and Stifel, a Honolulu law firm at which she specialized in government relations and civil litigation. She is a member of the Hawaii and District of Columbia Bars. Christina moved to the DC area in June 2011 and shortly thereafter, she and her husband became proud parents to their beautiful and vivacious daughter Gabrielle.