



# BIOGRAPHY

## UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

### CHIEF MASTER SERGEANT RYAN A. MANJUCK

CMSgt Ryan A. Manjuck is the Senior Enlisted Leader of the Joint Personnel Recovery Agency (JPRA), headquartered in Fort Belvoir, Virginia. JPRA is a Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff Controlled Activity aligned under the Joint Staff Director for Joint Force Development (J7). JPRA leads DoD Personnel Recovery (PR) by providing strategic direction, oversight, operational support, analysis, capability development, training, and education to improve PR interoperability, enabling DoD, the interagency, and multinational partners to prevent, prepare for, and respond to isolating events.

CMSgt Manjuck joined the Air Force in July 2000. Initially entering the Air Force as a Fuels Apprentice, he quickly realized he wanted to give back more during his career and retrained into Pararescue in 2007. Following his two-year training pipeline CMSgt Manjuck was stationed at Nellis AFB, NV with the 58th Rescue Squadron. Following his assignment, he worked at the 724th Operational Support Squadron, Fort Bragg, NC. Continuing his career, he was assigned the Special Operations Central Command, Macdill AFB, FL. During this assignment CMSgt Manjuck conducted joint planning to ensure personnel recovery coverage in the theatre of operations for a two-star command. Finally, CMSgt Manjuck lead the development of 1,300 special warfare airmen at the 350th Special Warfare Training Squadron preparing airmen for roles in Pararescue, Combat Control, Special Reconnaissance, Tactical Air Control Party, Special Tactics Officer, and Combat Rescue Officer Air Force specialties.



### EDUCATION

2004 Airman Leadership School, RAF Feltwell, UK  
2006 Associate of Applied Science, Business Administration, Community College of the Air Force, Montgomery, AL  
2011 Non-Commissioned Officer Academy, Sheppard AFB, TX  
2011 Associate of Applied Science, Personnel Recovery, Community College of the Air Force, Montgomery, AL  
2011 Senior Enlisted Joint Professional Military Education I  
2013 Professional Manager Certification, Community College of the Air Force, Montgomery, AL  
2013 Bachelor of Arts (BA), Middle Eastern History, American Military University, Charles Town, WV  
2016 Senior Enlisted Joint Professional Military Education II  
2017 Master of Business Administration (MBA), Southern New Hampshire University, Manchester, NH  
2018 United States Air Force Senior Non-Commissioned Officer Academy, Gunter Annex, AL  
2019 Joint Special Operations Forces Senior Enlisted Academy, Macdill AFB, FL  
2023 Chief Leadership Course, Gunter Annex, AL

## **ASSIGNMENTS OR CAREER CHRONOLOGY**

1. November 2000 – September 2003, Fuels Distribution, 305 Logistics Readiness Squadron, McGuire AFB, NJ
2. September 2003 – October 2006, Fuels Supervisor, 100 Logistics Readiness Squadron, RAF Mildenhall, UK
3. October 2006 – January 2008, Fuels Craftsman, 62 Logistics Readiness Squadron, McChord AFB, WA
4. January 2008 – July 2009, Pararescue Trainee, 342 Training Squadron, Kirtland AFB, NM
5. July 2009 – May 2015, Pararescue Flight Chief, 58 Rescue Squadron, Nellis AFB, NV
6. May 2015 – March 2019, Flight Chief Current Operations, 724 Operations Support Squadron, Pope AAF, NC
7. March 2019 – August 2021, Superintendent Current Operations, Special Operations Command Central, Macdill AFB, FL
8. August 2021 – August 2024, Superintendent Special Warfare Candidate Course, 350 Special Warfare Training Squadron, Joint Base San Antonio, TX
9. August 2024 – Present, Senior Enlisted Leader, Joint Personnel Recovery Agency, Joint Staff J-7, Fort Belvoir, VA

## **MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS**

Bronze Star Medal with "V" device  
Defense Meritorious Service Medal  
Meritorious Service Medal with one oak leaf cluster  
Air Medal with nine oak leaf clusters  
Joint Service Commendation Medal with one oak leaf cluster  
Air Force Commendation Medal with five oak leaf clusters  
Air Force Combat Action Medal  
Presidential Unit Citation

## **OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS**

2011 Distinguished Graduate, Non-Commissioned Officer Academy  
2019 Distinguished Graduate, Joint Special Operations Senior Enlisted Academy

## **EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION**

*Chief Master Sergeant 1 August 2021*

**(CURRENT AS OF SEPTEMBER 2024)**