

## **CAPTAIN MARY BETH NEWTON UNITED STATES NAVY**



Captain Mary Beth Newton of Long Island, New York, graduated Phi Beta Kappa from the State University of New York at Stony Brook. She received her commission in February 1981 from Officer Candidate School, Newport, Rhode Island. Her first assignment was as Assistant Administrative Officer on the staff of Commander, Light Attack Wing, U. S. Pacific Fleet in Lemoore, California. She reported in November 1982 to Naval Air Station Miramar, San Diego, California, where she completed her second division officer tour as Bachelor Quarters Officer.

In 1985, Captain Newton was assigned as an instructor and company officer on the staff of Officer Candidate School, Newport, Rhode Island. She then reported to Service School Command, San Diego, California in 1988, where she served as Assistant Officer in Charge of the Broadened Opportunity for Officer Selection and Training (BOOST) Program, and then as the Director of the Special Education and Training Schools Department. She was designated a Master Training Specialist and earned a subspeciality in Education and Training Management. In 1991, she reported to the Naval Postgraduate School in Monterey, California and graduated in June 1993 with a Master of Science degree in Financial Management.

In August 1993, she was assigned as Executive Officer of the Transient Personnel Unit, San Diego, California. Upon completion of her tour as Executive Officer in August 1995, she was assigned to the staff of the Joint Chiefs of Staff as Resources and Acquisition Manager in the Force Structure, Resources and Assessment Directorate, J-8. In July 1998, Captain Newton was assigned as Executive Officer, Naval Support Activity, Washington DC, and completed that assignment in May 2000. Captain Newton was then assigned as Program Manager for the Government/Industry Data Exchange Program and the Department of the Navy Standardization Officer in the Office of the Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Research, Development and Acquisition. While at ASN (RD&A) she completed the Advanced Program Management Course at the Defense Acquisition University, Ft. Belvoir, VA. In June 2003 she reported to her current position as Deputy Director, Program Engineering and Management Support at the Space and Naval Warfare Systems Command, San Diego, CA.

Captain Newton is a proven specialist in Financial Management as well as a designated Navy Acquisition Professional. She is DAWIA certified at Level III in the Program Management career field. Her personal awards include the Defense Meritorious Service Medal, Meritorious Service Medal, Navy/Marine Corps Commendation Medal (2 awards), and the Navy/Marine Corps Achievement Medal (2 awards).