



**Master Chief Jeffrey D. Sherman**  
*United States Coast Guard*



FORCECOM Command Master Chief

Master Chief Jeffrey Sherman assumed duties as Command Master Chief for FORCECOM in January 2013. As the senior enlisted advisor to the FORCECOM Commander, Master Chief Sherman advises him on issues and initiatives pertaining to all Coast Guard members and their families within FORCECOM. At the time of his selection as the FORCECOM Command Master Chief, he served as Officer in Charge, Coast Guard Cutter AHI in Honolulu, Hawaii.



Master Chief Sherman's previous assignments include Officer in Charge Coast Guard Cutter SEA OTTER San Diego, CA; Officer in Charge Coast Guard Cutter PETREL San Diego, CA; Officer in Charge Coast Guard Cutter BARRACUDA Eureka, CA; Officer in Charge Coast Guard Cutter CAPSTAN Philadelphia, PA; Executive Petty Officer Coast Guard Cutter WIRE Governors Island, NY; Coast Guard Cutter WALNUT Honolulu, HI. Master Chief served as Command Chief when CGC WALNUT deployed to the Northern Arabian Gulf in 2003, 1<sup>st</sup> LT Coast Guard Cutter IDA LEWIS Newport, RI; Supervisor Coast Guard MAT NEWPORT, RI. Master Chief Sherman also served tours onboard the Cutters CUTTYHUNK, BAYBERRY, SEDGE, and WOODRUSH.

BMCM is a graduate of the Chief Petty Officer Academy Class LXXX (March 2001), Coast Guard Senior Leadership Course (November 2008). Master Chief Sherman holds a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Social Science from Thomas Edison State University and a Master of Arts Degree in Human Behavior from National University. Master Chief Sherman holds a Master of 200 ton Commercial Mariners license.

Master Chief Sherman's personal awards include the six Coast Guard Commendation Medals with the Operational Distinguishing Device, two Coast Guard Achievement Medals with the Operational Distinguishing Device, two Commandant Letter of Commendation Ribbons with the Operational Distinguishing Device and nine Coast Guard Good Conduct Medals. Master Chief Sherman has earned his Command Afloat device and is a Master Cutterman.