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LT Drew Yuen

Naval Science Instructor

Lieutenant Yuen was born in Mount Holley, New Jersey, and was raised in a Navy Family, graduating from high school in Honolulu, Hawaii. He graduated and commissioned as an Ensign from the US Naval Academy in May 2014 with a BS in History as a Surface Warfare Officer (Nuclear).

In September 2014, ENS Yuen reported to his first command, USS ANTIETAM CG-54, homeported out of Yokosuka, Japan as the Communications Officer and Electronic Key Management Systems primary custodian. He led a division of 14 sailors and was responsible for the ship's automatic data processing systems and information security, as well as the command's cytological accountability. After a successful first tour and qualifying Surface Warfare Officer, Officer of the Deck, and promoting to Lieutenant Junior Grade, he transferred to Naval Nuclear Power Training Command, in Charleston, South Carolina in April 2016 and graduated in December 2016. Following graduation, he started Nuclear Power Training Unit Charleston and a qualified basic engineering officer in July 2017.



In September 2017, LT Yuen reported to USS RONALD REAGAN CVN-76, homeported out of Yokosuka, Japan as the Reactor Electrical Division Officer. He led the division of 26 sailors in the maintenance and production of electricity for USS RONALD REAGAN as she projected American airpower in the Western Pacific. In June 2017 he promoted again to Lieutenant. In September 2019, LT Yuen completed his nuclear training and qualified Naval Engineering Officer.

In December 2019, LT Yuen reported to Virginia Military Institute Naval Reserve Officer Training Corps and joined the best NROTC in the nation. As an Instructor of Naval Science he mentors and trains Cadets and Midshipmen to become the future leaders of the Naval Force.

His awards include Navy Achievement Medal, National Defense Service Medal, Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, Navy Sea Service Deployment Ribbon (3), Navy and Marine Corps Overseas Service Ribbon (3), Navy Rifle, and Navy Pistol.