

Captain Emily J. Naslund

**Company Commander, Female Engagement Team
I Marine Expeditionary Force Headquarters Group, I Marine Expeditionary Force**

Capt Naslund was born in Edina, Minnesota and is a graduate of the Virginia Military Institute, achieving a Bachelors of Arts degree in Economics and Business, with a concentration in Financial Management.

She was commissioned in 2005 as a Logistics Officer. After completing The Basic School and Logistics Officers Course, she was assigned to Truck Company, Headquarters Battalion, 1st Marine Division, serving as the Executive Officer.

She deployed to Anbar Province, Iraq from January 2008 to February 2009 with Truck Company, I Marine Expeditionary Force Headquarters Group (Forward), where she served as a Convoy Commander.

Upon returning from Iraq, she served as the Company Commander of Truck Company Bravo, Headquarters Battalion, 1st Marine Division from March 2009 to January 2010.

She deployed with the Female Engagement Team, I Marine Expeditionary Force (Forward) from March 2010 to October 2010. During this tour, her 16 Female Engagement Teams conducted engagement operations throughout Helmand Province, Afghanistan in support of Operation Enduring Freedom.

Returning from Afghanistan in October 2010, she is currently serving as the Company Commander for the Female Engagement Team, I Marine Expeditionary Force. She is planning to return to the 1st Marine Division, until she executes orders in May 2010 to the United States Naval Academy to complete the Special Education Program.