

## SUBJECT OF PRESENTATION: ORGANIZATIONAL CHANGE & MENTORING



# BIOGRAPHY

UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

### CHIEF MASTER SERGEANT ANGELA M. ABSHIRE

Chief Master Sergeant Abshire is appointed as Director of Standards at the Canadian Forces Non Commissioned Member Professional Development Center (NCMPDC) in St. Jean Sur Richelieu, QC Canada. She validates training activities and evaluates courses' content for over 500 CF Warrant Officers annually from across the DND during the delivery of ILQ, ALQ, and CQ PME courses.

Chief Master Sergeant Abshire was born in Crowley, Louisiana. She graduated from Crowley High School in 1984. She entered the US Air Force in 1986, as a Passenger and Household Goods Specialist.

Her first assignment was Andersen AFB, Guam where she worked as a Military Customs Inspector, Passenger clerk, Inbound and Outbound Household Goods Clerk. In 1988, she was reassigned to England AFB, Louisiana, and in 1989, she retrained in Physical Therapy. She then moved to Elmendorf AFB, Alaska in 1991 where she worked as a Physical Therapy Technician until 1994.

CMSgt Abshire was then selected for a special duty assignment as a Physical Therapy Instructor and completed Basic Instructor Course at Sheppard AFB, Texas in August 1994. CMSgt Abshire served as an instructor and then, instructor supervisor until 1999. She was then reassigned for a remote tour at Kunsan AB, Korea in May 1999, as NCOIC, Physical Therapy.

In June 2000, she arrived at Patrick AFB, Florida and worked as the Physical Medicine Flight NCOIC. CMSgt Abshire joined the Air Force Senior NCO Academy in August 2004, assigned as Flight Instructor and Chief Leadership Course Instructor, Air Force Senior Noncommissioned Officer Academy, Maxwell Air Force Base, Gunter Annex, Alabama. She directly led 160-230 MSgts, SMSgts, CMSgts, and Lts annually from DoD and allied nations. CMSgt Abshire became part of the CF NCMPDC team in July 2007.

She was assigned as a Chief Leadership Qualification and Advanced Leadership Qualification Facilitator at the Canadian Forces Non Commissioned Member Professional Development Center in St. Jean Sur Richelieu, QC Canada. She directly led 120-140 Warrant Officers from the Canadian Forces.