



Combat Control Foundation

Andrea Dellinger is the Executive Director with Combat Control Foundation (CCF). In this role, Andrea is directly responsible for the planning, organization, and direction of the foundation's operations and programs. Along with leading business development initiatives, donor retention, public engagement, and ultimately achieving CCF's financial objectives.

In 1994, Andrea joined the United States Air Force following in the footsteps of her father and grandfather. After completion of her technical training, she was stationed, alongside her husband at Edwards Air Force Base in California. Where she supported Air Force Materiel Command's mission of excellence, performing research, development and test and evaluation of "aerospace systems from concept to combat". In 1997, a year after their daughter's birth, they relocated to Fairchild Air Force Base, Washington, where they transitioned into the Washington Air National Guard becoming full-time guardsmen supporting Air Mobility Command's mission to provide global air mobility and aiding in Washington State emergencies. In 1999, she deployed to United States Air Forces in Europe, in support of NATO's Operation Allied Forces and the humanitarian effort in Kosovo. In addition to her regularly assigned duties with the 141st Air Refueling Wing, Andrea volunteered for five years to be an active member of Fairchild's base honor guard team, which was comprised of an elite group of Airmen that's primary mission was to provide military funeral honors and representing the US Air Force in public events and ceremonies. In 2001, she was the 1st female Airman and Guardsman in the 92nd Air Refueling Wing's history to be selected as the Base Honor Guard Non-commissioned Officer of the Year.



In January of 2005, the Dellinger family relocated to San Antonio, TX for a civilian employment opportunity, for her husband. This new location presented her with the unique opportunity to continue working with her military brethren, at the Department of Veterans Affairs, Vocational Rehabilitation and Employment program. It was here that Andrea met a special hero that lit the fire for her to discover how to do more and learn how she could serve in a larger capacity for our nation's veterans and their families. This chance encounter led her to becoming one of the founding members of a sister Veteran Service Organization in June of 2010. Where she spent 12 plus years playing a vital role in the development of integral processes, programs, departments, and relationships and served as a member of the Executive Leadership Team. Andrea is humbled and honored to join the Combat Control Foundation family and is excited to apply her experience serving the Special Operations Community.

Andrea and her husband, Jarred, are empty nesters, living in Rockwall, Texas. Where they enjoy spending time on the lake, boating and fishing. Along with taking on challenging home renovation projects, and spending time with family and close friends.