
Andrew P. Snowden



Executive Assistant Director Atlantic Operations Naval Criminal Investigative Service

Special Agent Andrew P. Snowden serves as Executive Assistant Director for Atlantic Operations for the Naval Criminal Investigative Service (NCIS). In this position, he oversees all investigations and operations of seven NCIS field offices and numerous subordinate elements located throughout the Eastern United States, Europe, Africa, South America, the Middle East, and aboard carrier and expeditionary strike groups based on the East Coast.

Special Agent Snowden was selected as a member of the Senior Executive Service in 2016. Prior to his current assignment, he served as Executive Assistant Director for Pacific Operations (2016-2018). He was responsible for all criminal and national security investigations and operations conducted across six NCIS field offices and subordinate elements located throughout the Western United States, Asia, and Australia and aboard carrier and expeditionary strike groups based on the west coast and Far East regions. Special Agent Snowden served previously as Special Agent in Charge (SAC) of the NCIS Southeast Field Office (2013-2016). As SAC, he was responsible for the management and operational direction of NCIS offices throughout Florida, Georgia, the Gulf Coast, Texas and the lower Midwest states. His responsibilities extended throughout the Caribbean region and Central and South America. He served previously as Executive Assistant to the Deputy Director at NCIS Headquarters in Quantico, Virginia (2010-2013).

He served previously as Assistant Special Agent in Charge of the Northwest Field Office with operational responsibilities throughout the Pacific Northwest, British Columbia, and Alaska (2008-2010). Special Agent Snowden entered the NCIS supervisory ranks in 2004 and filled roles as Supervisory Special Agent (SSA) for counter-terrorism at the Northwest Field Office in Bangor, Washington; and SSA for criminal investigations and operations at the NCIS Resident Agency, Bremerton, Washington.

Special Agent Snowden began his career with NCIS at the Norfolk Field Office in 1997. He served subsequently in a variety of organizational assignments and mission areas both within the United States and abroad. His assignments included those with the NCIS Resident Agency, Oceana, Virginia; the NCIS Resident Agency, Keflavik, Iceland; and the NCIS Resident Unit,

Misawa, Japan. He began his law enforcement career as a police officer and detective at the Manchester, New Hampshire Police Department in 1992.

Special Agent Snowdon was commissioned as a U.S. Naval Officer in 1988 and received his wings as a Naval Flight Officer in 1989. He flew numerous operational missions in the P-3C Orion aircraft both on active duty and reserve status through 1997.

Special Agent Snowdon attended Boston University and holds a graduate degree in National Security and Strategic Studies from the U.S. Naval War College in Newport, Rhode Island.