



LTJG Joseph R. Fox
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United State Coast Guard



Lieutenant Junior Grade Joseph R. Fox is originally from Indianapolis, Indiana and graduated from Ball State University with a Bachelor of Arts in Telecommunications in 2009 and graduated from Southern New Hampshire University with a Master's of Science in Information Security in 2017.

Lieutenant Junior Grade Fox enlisted in the U.S. Coast Guard in 2010 and was assigned to *USCGC CHASE*. A decommissioning crewmember, he then transferred to *USCGC SHERMAN* before attending Information Systems Technician "A" School in 2012. Advancing to IT1 prior to his commission, his rated tours of duty include Electronics Support Detachment Los Angeles/Long Beach, Telephone and Information Systems Command (TISCOM), CG-Cyber, and TISCOM Cutter Connectivity.



Commissioned in 2018 under the Direct Commission Engineer program, he reported to the Navigation Center in Alexandria, Virginia. Lieutenant-Junior Grade Fox accepted a critical fill solicitation in 2019 as the Assistant Combat Systems Officer aboard *USCGC KIMBALL* where he was a part of the commissioning crew and took part in *KIMBALL*'s first operational patrols.

Lieutenant Junior Grade Fox assumed the duties of Executive Officer of *USCGC JOSEPH GERCZAK* in July 2021.