Sergeant Major Damian B. Sinanon

Director, SNCOA Camp Lejeune NC

SgtMaj Sinanon is a native of Westmoreland, Jamaica. He enlisted in the Marine Corps in July 1999 and attended recruit training at MCRD, Parris Island, SC where he graduated in October of 1999. After completing Marine Combat Training at Camp Geiger, NC he reported to Marine Corps Detachment, Fort Lee, VA in November 1999 as a Basic Bulk Fuel Specialist Student.

SgtMaj Sinanon's Fleet Marine Force assignments includes: 8th Engineer Support Battalion, 2d Marine Logistics Group, NC; Headquarters and Headquarters Squadron, Marine Corps Air Station New River, NC; 9th Engineer Support Battalion, 3d Marine Logistics Group, Okinawa; Recruiting Station Baton Rouge, 6th Marine Corps District, LA; Staff Non-Commissioned Officer Academy, Okinawa; 7th Communication Battalion, III Marine Expeditionary Force Headquarters Group, Okinawa; Combat Logistics Regiment 2, 2d Marine Logistics Group, NC; 2d Battalion 6th Marines, 2d Marine Division, NC; Marine Wing Support Squadron 172, 1st Marine Aircraft Wing, Okinawa; and Staff Noncommissioned Officer Academy, Camp Lejeune NC.

SgtMaj Sinanon's billet assignments includes Platoon Sergeant; Laboratory Specialist; Platoon Commander; Company Operations Chief; Canvassing Recruiter; RSS SNCOIC; Faculty Advisor; and Company First Sergeant

SgtMaj Sinanon's billet assignments as a Sergeant Major includes, 2d Battalion, 6th Marines, 2d Marine Division; Marine Wing Support Squadron 172, 1st Marine Aircraft Wing; and Director, SNCOA Camp Lejeune.

SgtMaj Sinanon's combat deployments includes: 26th MEU in support of Operation Swift Freedom and Enduring Freedom in Afghanistan in 2001; and Police Transition Team 20A in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom in Iraq in 2008.

SgtMaj Sinanon's non-combat deployments includes Exercise Ulchi Freedom Guardian to Korea in 2004; Exercise Guahan Shield to Guam in 2013; Marine Rotational Force-Europe with 2d Battalion 6th Marines in 2019; Mountain Warfare Exercise with 2d Battalion 6th Marines in 2020; and Korean Marine Exchange Program to the Republic of Korea in 2023.

In 2023, Sergeant Major Sinanon was selected for assignment as the Director of the Staff Noncommissioned Officer Academy Camp Lejeune and assumed his current position in November 2023.

His personal decorations include the Meritorious Service Medal w/ 2 gold star, Navy and Marine Corps Commendation Medal w/ 2 gold stars, Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medal, the Military Outstanding Volunteer Service Medal, and the Combat Action Ribbon.

SgtMaj Sinanon and his wife, Tanisha, have two children: David (21), and Toriel (13).