

2014 Hall of Fame Honoree

Major Mary (Mullally) Clark
Class of 2000



The first-ever female instructor pilot in Afghanistan, Major Clark taught and mentored three female Afghan pilots, and while there, she also led the courageous recovery of a downed helicopter crew in hostile territory, which led to her nomination for the Distinguished Flying Cross for combat rescue.

Back in our nation's capital, Major Clark was selected for the prestigious position of White House social aide for former President Bush and current President Obama. A graduate of the U.S. Air Force Academy, she went on to flight school, graduating with both military and academic honors.

Major Clark has also earned her Master's degree in business administration from Penn State University. Promoted to Major last year, she is the recipient of the U.S. Air Force's Lance P. Sijan Leadership Award, Meritorious Service Medal, numerous Air Medals and the Aerial Achievement Medal.

She enjoys giving back to her community by coaching youth soccer and karate and also volunteering at food kitchens.

Major Clark resides in Albuquerque, NM, with her husband, David. In her spare time, Mary enjoys waterskiing, mountain biking, reading and running.