



**QMCS(SW/AW/IW) HENRY O. NICOL IV
FACULTY ADVISOR
U.S. NAVY SENIOR ENLISTED ACADEMY**

Senior Chief Henry O. Nicol IV graduated from West Valley High School in Hemet, CA. in 1998 and enlisted in the Navy the fall of that year. He attended boot camp and Quartermaster “A” school in Great Lakes, IL. His follow on training includes Senior Quartermaster Refresher/Navigator course, Voyage Management System Operator’s course, and Journeyman Instructor Training.

He is a graduate of class 173(Gold group) from the U.S. Navy Senior Enlisted Academy.

He reported for his first tour in March of 1999 onboard USS ELLIOT (DD 967) homeport San Diego, CA. advancing to Quartermaster First Class, qualified Surface Warfare Specialist and serving as Senior Quartermaster and Leading Petty Officer. In December of 2003 he reported to Commander, U.S. Third Fleet in San Diego, Ca. where he was selected for and accepted as a Chief Petty Officer in 2006 and served as the Service Allocations/CNO Project Coordinator and J32 Leading Chief. In March of 2007 he reported to USS SHILOH (CG 67) homeport Yokosuka, Japan as the Senior Quartermaster and Executive Department Chief. Additionally, he qualified as an underway Officer Of the Deck and Surface Warfare Coordinator. In March 2010 he reported to Afloat Training Group Western Pacific in Yokosuka, Japan as the Topside Leading Chief and Navigation Afloat Trainer and Inspector. He was advanced to Senior Chief in July of that year and qualified as an Afloat Training Specialist and Master Training Specialist. In May 2013 he reported to USS JOHN C. STENNIS (CVN 74) homeport Bremerton, WA. as the Senior Quartermaster and Navigation Department Leading Chief. He qualified as an underway Officer Of the Deck, Air warfare and Information Warfare specialist.

He is currently serving as a Faculty Advisor at the Navy Senior Enlisted Academy in Newport, RI. having reported in June of 2017.

During his deployments he has participated in Operation Southern Watch, Operation Enduring Freedom, Operation Enduring Eagle, and Operation Talisman Saber.

His personal awards include the Navy Commendation Medal(four awards), Navy Achievement Medal(three awards) and various other unit service and campaign awards.