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Lieutenant Commander Andrew C. Gerla, is the commander of the Honolulu Military Entrance Processing Station.

Lieutenant Commander Gerla enlisted in the Navy in 2000. He subsequently attended Washington State University on a Navy Reserve Officer Training Corps scholarship and received his commission in 2006. His initial surface warfare tour was as the anti-submarine warfare officer aboard the Arleigh Burke-class destroyer USS Chafee. He then served as a mission commander for Maritime Expeditionary Security Squadron Four. This was followed by a tour as the executive officer for Transient Personnel Unit Puget Sound. In 2013 he redesignated into the Navy's Human Resources community and served as the flag aide to Rear Admiral Annie B. Andrews, Commander, Navy Recruiting Command.



Lieutenant Commander Gerla holds a Masters of Business Administration from the City University of Seattle, and is a certified Senior Professional in Human Resources.

His military awards and decorations include two Navy and Marine Corps Commendation Medals and four Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medals.