

JUDGE TAMIA GORDON

National JAG



Judge Gordon has served as a top-notch attorney, consistently providing sound legal advice throughout her remarkable career. Her superior performance is also documented over several years of military service, where Judge Gordon achieved the field-grade rank of Major. As a Judge Advocate in the U.S. Marine Corps, she successfully held several challenging billets: Prosecutor/Trial Counsel, Income Tax Center Manager/Officer-In-Charge, Immigration and

Naturalization Officer, Legal Assistance Attorney, and Marine Corps Liaison to the White House Commission. Most notably, Judge Gordon's civilian career has included serving as a Patent Law Clerk in private practice and as Deputy Associate General Counsel of DoD General Counsel (Legal Counsel), where she handled Habeas Corpus litigation for the detained enemy combatants at Guantanamo Bay, Cuba.

Based on her appointment as a U.S. Administrative Law Judge, Judge Gordon is now the equivalent of a Brigadier General. In her current position, Judge Gordon is charged with presiding over hearings and issuing decisions on behalf of the Social Security Administration (SSA), which is one of the largest administrative judicial systems in the world. In fact, SSA issues more than half a million hearing and appeal dispositions each year.

A native of Washington, DC, Judge Gordon is a graduate of American University, where she received a Bachelor's Degree in Chemistry and also pledged Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. She was awarded a Master's Degree in Inorganic Chemistry from the University of Pennsylvania and a Doctorate in Law from the University of San Francisco, School of Law. Judge Gordon is also a qualified Arabic Linguist with training in Iraqi, Egyptian and Syrian dialects.

Judge Gordon currently serves as the National JAG for the NNOA Board of Directors. She is an NNOA Life Member, who has held several local chapter positions, to include: Vice President, Membership Director and Master-at-Arms. She has also served on several local chapter committees: National Conference Planning, Scholarship, Adopt-a-School, Adopt-a-Highway, Professional Military Education, Awards, Fundraising and Social.