

Amanda Verissimo

Amanda earned her master's in dental hygiene at Old Dominion University and is now currently a member of the Faculty at ODU as well as a Dental Hygiene Dean at Education Affiliates.

She volunteers as the NOSCHR Advisor, a WOASF Board Member, the AIRLANT Spouse Course Facilitator, and Founder of the Aviation Officer Spouses - Atlantic. Previously she served as the NOSDCS Honorary Chair, NOSCDC Chairman, and Temptations Gift Boutique. She was the Advisor for the USS CARL VINSON Family Readiness Group, a member of CORE, Steering Committee, the Naval Officers' Spouses' Club San Diego Scholarship Committee, and the Navy Marine Corps Relief Society, CSA. She spent numerous hours volunteering in dental hygiene student mentoring and in patient care to include Mission of Mercy (dental project), Suffolk, VA. Frequent moves allowed her to be devoted to multiple commands as well as the elementary, middle and high school groups and organizations in the places she lived.



Amanda, originally from Palacios, TX, has lived in several cities across the country as a Navy spouse including Beeville, TX; Lemoore, CA; Coronado, CA; Virginia Beach, VA; Washington, D.C.; and Norfolk, VA where she and her husband currently reside. Married for 35 years to Rear Admiral Douglas Verissimo, she and Doug have three children: Megan (34), Zach (31) married to Juliana, and Jon (30) married to Mariam as well as 2 grandchildren, Eve and Emilia.

Amanda enjoys home decorating, trying new restaurants and wine, listening to music, and exercising. She is very thankful for family, friends, neighbors, and life.