

Major Naranjo is a native of Southern California. Upon graduating from the University of San Diego in May 2010, he was commissioned through the Naval Reserve Officer Training Corps and reported to The Basic School. After completing The Basic School and Logistics Officer Course in 2011, he reported to Marine Wing Headquarters Squadron 3 to serve as the Squadron S-4 Officer at Marine Corps Air Station (MCAS) Miramar in San Diego, CA. Additionally, he served with Marine Wing Support Group 37 as Logistics Officer and upon the unit's de-activation, became the Operations Officer for Aviation Ground Support Department.

In November 2012, Captain Naranjo deployed in support of OEF 12.2/13.1 assigned to the Retrograde Operations Group as a Logistics Officer with 7th Marine Regiment assisting with the return of mission essential equipment from Afghanistan. Upon return, Capt Naranjo transitioned into the Aviation Ground Support Department Logistics Officer role supporting logistics for the Marine Air Wing units aboard MCAS Miramar. In Dec 2014, Capt Naranjo completed the Expeditionary Warfare Career Level Professional Military Education Program.

In July 2015 Capt Naranjo reported to Camp Lejeune for duty with Combat Logistics Regiment 25 (CLR-25), 2nd Marine Logistics Group (2D MLG) as the Regimental S-4 Logistics Officer and as the Headquarters Company Commander overseeing 180 Marines and Sailors. From February to September 2016, Capt Naranjo served as the J4 Support Operations Officer with NATO Special Operations Command Afghanistan/Special Operations Joint Task Force-Afghanistan supporting Resolute Support/Operation Freedom's Sentinel. Upon completion of deployment, he returned to CLR-25 and served in the S-3 as the Future and Assistant Operations Officer. Following completion of Intermediate MAGTF Logistics Operations Course in March 2017, he served as 2D MLG's lead planner for 2nd Marine Expeditionary Brigade's annual exercise, Bold Alligator 2017. From March to September 2018, he served as an Operational Planner in the Joint Operations Center supporting Combined Joint Task Force Operation Inherent Resolve in Union III Baghdad, Iraq. Upon return, he served as the CLR-25 Future Operations Officer.

In March 2019, he reported to the Office of Military Cooperation at the US Embassy in Manama, Bahrain as the Training, Exercises and Engagements Chief partnering with the Bahrain Defence Force supporting military-military subject matter exchanges and providing educational oversight in foreign military students attending US sponsored military courses. In June 2019, he completed USMC Command & Staff.

In June 2020, he reported to 1st Marine Division G-4 where he initially served as the Current Operations Officer. Following his promotion to Major, he served as the 1st Marine Division G-4 Plans Officer until June 2021. As Plans Officer, he led Sustainment Planning for the Division at Service Level Exercises. He supported sustainment planning and updates to 1st Marine Division Operational Plans within US Indo Pacific Command advancing operational logistics initiatives within First Marine Expeditionary Force (I MEF) and Marine Forces Pacific Command (MARFORPAC).

In July 2021, Maj Naranjo checked into 5th Marine Regiment and deployed to Australia serving as the Forward Coordination Element 22.1 Logistics and Executive Officer to support Marine Rotational Force-Darwin (MRF-D). He served a critical role advancing Operational level logistics with the Australia Defence Force during the MRF-D mission transition in Darwin, Australia. Upon his return in April 2022, he resumed his role as the Division G-4 Plans Officer supporting exercises locally aboard Camp Pendleton and abroad partnering with our South Korean partners in 2023 further improving the special allied partnership between 1st Marine Division and the 1st Republic of Korea Brigade Marine Corps.

In July 2023, Maj Naranjo checked into Marine Air Ground Training Force Command at the Marine Corps Air Ground Combat Center (MAGTF TC / MCACGCC) to serve as the G-4 Installation Operations & Plans Officer leading and providing base logistical support to exercise units deploying to the Combat Center.

In May 2024, he was hand selected to serve as the Executive Officer at Headquarters Battalion MAGTF TC / MCAGCC, a unit comprising 1,250 Marines and Sailors with the mission of providing leadership and support for assigned Marines and Sailors across the areas of administrative, annual training and installation support; enabling the Service Level Training Program through logistical and service support activities to provide a standard of excellence in managing infrastructure, base support services, and support to the Fleet Marine Force and families to ensure the readiness of the tenant and resident commands aboard the Combat Center.

Maj Naranjo has a Master of Business Administration in Project Management, Bachelor of Science in Business Finance and holds an Active Project Management Professional certification. His personal awards include the Meritorious Service Medal, Joint Service Commendation Medal (3rd Award), Joint Service Achievement Medal and Navy Marine Corps Achievement Medal.