

## VP - Communications: Dean Castaldo, Sgt USMCR

In 2008, Sgt. Castaldo enlisted in the Marine Corps Reserves and attended basic training at MCRD Parris Island, S.C. Upon graduating as the Honor Graduate from the Ammunition Technician school at Redstone Arsenal, he was assigned to Ammunition Co., Greenville, S.C.

Throughout his time in the Marine Corps, Sgt. Castaldo has served as a Fire Team Leader, Squad Leader, Platoon Sergeant, and Asst. Operations Chief.

In 2014 he interned for the National President of the MCRA in Washington, D.C. advocating on behalf of Marines and their families to our nations leaders in Congress. At the conclusion of the internship Sgt. Castaldo returned to North Carolina to become a Marine Corps Martial Arts Instructor and finish his remaining year of law school, graduating with honors.

In July of 2015, Sgt. Castaldo was reassigned to Ammunition Co Det. 1. Greenville, S.C. Sgt. Castaldo now serves the MCRA as the Director of Communications.