

## U.S. MARINE CORPS FORCES PACIFIC

## -Organization description and mission:

U.S. Marine Corps Forces, Pacific (MARFORPAC) is the largest field command in the U.S. Marine Corps. Commander, MARFORPAC, as the U.S. Marine Corps Service Component Commander for the Commander, U.S. Pacific Command (PACOM), commands all U.S. Marine Corps forces assigned to PACOM, accomplishes assigned operational missions, advises the PACOM commander on the proper employment, capabilities and support of U.S. Marine Corps forces and provides combat ready forces to other commands, as required. The MARFORPAC Commander also serves as Commanding General, Fleet Marine Forces, Pacific.

## -Research areas of interest:

Coastal Marine Spatial Planning

Improved Communications with Non-profit Organizations during HA/DR events

-Current research topics being sponsored:

Coastal Marine Spatial Planning

-Funding supporting the topic:

Funded through NPS

-Faculty:

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-Potential future topics (if available at this time):

**TBD** 

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