

CAPT Jose Jimenez, USCG

CAPT Jimenez joined the Eisenhower School faculty in 2017. He teaches Economics of National Security and is part of the Financial Services Industry Study course. He also serves as the Service Chair for the U.S. Coast Guard.

His command assignments include the 378-foot high endurance cutter MELLON (WHEC 717), Seattle, Washington; the 210-foot medium endurance cutter STEADFAST (WMEC 626), Astoria, Oregon; and the 110-foot patrol boat USCGC NUNIVAK (WPB 1306) in San Juan, Puerto Rico.

In addition to his command assignments, CAPT Jimenez served as Chief of Response of the 8th Coast Guard District headquartered in New Orleans, where he was responsible for Coast Guard response operations spanning 26 states, including the Gulf of Mexico coastline from Florida to Mexico, the adjacent offshore waters and outer continental shelf, as well as the inland waterways of the Mississippi, Ohio, Missouri, Illinois, and Tennessee River systems. He also served as Chief of Enforcement of the 13th Coast Guard District Coast Guard District headquartered in Seattle, where he oversaw all Coast Guard law enforcement matters for the states of Washington, Oregon, Idaho, and Montana.

A native of San Juan, Puerto Rico, Captain Jimenez graduated from the University of Puerto Rico in 1990 with a Bachelor's degree in Business Administration and earned his commission through the U.S. Army ROTC program. He entered the U.S. Coast Guard through its Direct Commissioning Program. He holds a Master's Degree in Business Administration from the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor, Michigan.