

## **CLASS OF 2020**



## **David Pienta**

David Pienta has been a law enforcement officer for 8 years. Pienta currently works full-time as a Senior Application Developer for a law enforcement/federal government consulting firm in Tallahassee. Pienta is also currently a Sergeant in the Reserve Unit of the Wakulla County Sheriff's Office.

Some of the program areas Pienta has worked in include: The National Information Exchange Model (NIEM), Tribe and Territory Sex Offender Registration Program (TTSORS), VALOR for Blue (officer safety program), Advanced Law Enforcement Rapid Response Training (ALERRT), and the Comprehensive Opioid Abuse Program (COAP). Pienta is a certified Florida CJSTC Instructor, Axon (Taser) Instructor, CJSTC Firearms Instructor, NRA Pistol Instructor, Below 100 Instructor, SABRE Aerosol Pepper Spray for LEOS Instructor, and an ALERRT Citizen Response to Active Shooter Instructor.

Pienta holds a Bachelor of Science degree from Florida State University in Management Information Systems. He graduated from the Florida Public Safety Institute, Pat Thomas Law Enforcement Academy, and has previously served with the Florida A&M University Department of Campus Safety & Security.

He has been married to Dr. Rachel Pienta for more than 15 years. When he is not working, Pienta and his wife volunteer with Rotary International and the Rotary Youth Exchange program. They are currently hosting their fourth high school exchange student. Pienta has also served as a sports official (referee) for 25 years; working leagues from Little League to non-conference D-I. Pienta serves as a volunteer judge for the Leon County Teen Court program.