



Babette Maxwell

Babette Maxwell comes to Victory Media as one of the founders of Military Spouse magazine. She brings 6 years of publishing experience and 9 years of project management experience to Victory Media, where she serves as Executive Editor of Military Spouse. In her role, she oversees all strategic relationships, print and web content production and strategic vision of Military Spouse. Babette's passion and energy have been the driving force behind the massive growth and influence of Military Spouse.

Before joining Victory Media, Babette co-founded Military Spouse in 2003 with no prior industry experience. Having been self-taught the publishing industry, Babette secured distribution and advertising for Military Spouse magazine in under six months. In addition, Babette launched the magazine with an entirely virtual staff. After three years, Victory Media acquired Military Spouse magazine and integrated it into the operations of its military niche media brands.

Prior to founding Military Spouse, Babette was an environmental test engineer for the government when based out of NAS Atsugi, Japan. During her time with Radian International Contract Company, Babette staged air quality testing on Shinkampo, an industrial waste-burning incinerator. It was this testing and analysis that led to Japan's closure of the environmental hazard. Additionally, Babette worked for Newport News Shipbuilding conducting HVAC design support work for the Navy's fleet of submarines and for the Air Force doing design support for the C-5's TF-39 engine.

Babette studied Mechanical Engineering at the University of Texas in San Antonio. She is a fourth-generation military dependent with 27 moves and 36 years dedicated to military life. Babette lives on Naval Base Norfolk and lives with her active duty Naval officer husband and their three sons.