

BIOGRAPHICAL DATA BOOK



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NDU PRESIDENT

Vice Admiral Fritz Roegge, USN

16th President

Vice Admiral Fritz Roegge is an honors graduate of the University of Minnesota with a Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering and was commissioned through the Reserve Officers' Training Corps program. He earned a Master of Science in Engineering Management from the Catholic University of America and a Master of Arts with highest distinction in National Security and Strategic Studies from the Naval War College. He was a fellow of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology Seminar XXI program.



VADM Fritz Roegge, NDU President (Photo by NDU AV)

His sea tours include USS Whale (SSN 638), USS Florida (SSBN 728) (Blue), USS Key West (SSN 722) and command of USS Connecticut (SSN 22).

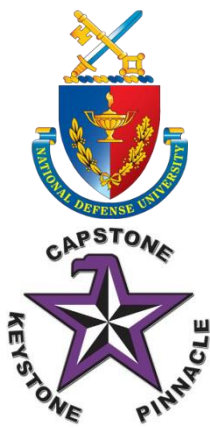
His major command tour was as commodore of Submarine Squadron 22 with additional duty as commanding officer, Naval Support Activity La Maddalena, Italy.

Ashore, he has served on the staffs of both the Atlantic and the Pacific Submarine Force commanders, on the staff of the director of Naval Nuclear Propulsion, on the Navy staff in the Assessments Division (N81) and the Military Personnel Plans and Policy Division (N13), in the Secretary of the Navy's Office of Legislative Affairs at the U. S. House of Representatives, as the head of the Submarine and Nuclear Power Distribution Division (PERS 42) at the Navy Personnel Command, and as an assistant deputy director on the Joint Staff in both the Strategy and Policy (J5) and the Regional Operations (J33) Directorates.

Roegge completed his first flag officer assignment as the deputy commander, Joint Functional Component Command for Global Strike at U.S. Strategic Command. He then served concurrently as commander, Submarine Group 8; commander submarines, Allied Naval Forces South; deputy commander, U.S. 6th Fleet; and director of operations and intelligence (N3), U.S. Naval Forces Europe-Africa. As a Rear Admiral (Upper Half) he served as director, Military Personnel Plans and Policy Division (N13) with a concurrent period as director, Total Force Manpower Division (N12) on the Navy Staff and then as Commander, Submarine Force, U.S. Pacific Fleet.

VADM Roegge assumed duties as the 16th President of the National Defense University on 25 Sep 2017.

SENIOR FELLOWS



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WILLIAM L. NYLAND GENERAL UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS (RETIRED)



Former Assistant Commandant United States Marine Corps

General William L. "Spider" Nyland served as the Assistant Commandant of the Marine Corps, Headquarters Marine Corps, Washington, D.C. from September 2002 until September 2005. He retired from active duty 1 November 2005.

General Nyland was commissioned a Second Lieutenant in the Marine Corps under the NROTC program upon graduation from the University of New Mexico in 1968. In addition to attaining an M.S. degree from the University of Southern California (1980), his formal military education includes The Basic School (1968), Naval Aviation Flight Training (NFO) (1969), Amphibious Warfare School (1975), Navy Fighter Weapons School (TopGun) (1977), College of Naval Command and Staff, Naval War College (1981), and Air War College (1988).

After being assigned to VMFA-531, General Nyland was ordered to Vietnam where he flew 122 combat missions with VMFA-314 and VMFA-115. In later tours of duty he flew additional combat sorties in Kosovo, Iraq and Afghanistan. General Nyland had multiple operational squadron tours and saw duty as the Congressional Liaison/Budget Officer, Headquarters, U.S. Marine Corps, Washington, D.C. In 1984 he served as the Operations Officer, Marine Aircraft Group-24, 1st Marine Amphibious Brigade, and he then commanded VMFA-232, the Marine Corps' oldest and most decorated fighter squadron, from July 1985 to July 1987.

General Nyland subsequently served as section chief for the Central Command section, European Command/Central Command Branch, Joint Operations Division, Directorate of Operations (J-3), Joint Staff, Washington, D.C. In July 1990, he assumed command of Marine Aviation Training Support Group (MATSG), Pensacola. Following his command of MATSG he assumed duties as Chief of Staff, 2nd Marine Aircraft Wing (2dMAW) on July 5, 1992, and assumed additional duties as Assistant Wing Commander on November 10, 1992. Promoted to Brigadier General on September 1, 1994, he was assigned as Assistant Wing Commander, 2nd MAW serving in that billet until December 1, 1995.

He served next on the Joint Staff, J-8, as the Deputy Director for Force Structure and Resources, completing that tour on June 30, 1997. He was advanced to Major General on July 2, 1997, and assumed duties as the Deputy Commanding General, II Marine Expeditionary Force, Camp Lejeune, N.C. He served next as the Commanding General, 2d Marine Aircraft Wing, MCAS Cherry Point, North Carolina from July 1998 to June 2000. He was advanced to Lieutenant General on 30 June 2000 and assumed duties as the Deputy Commandant for Programs and Resources, Headquarters, U.S. Marine Corps. He next assumed duties as the Deputy Commandant for Aviation on 3 August 2001. He was advanced to General on 4 September 2002 and assumed his duties as the Assistant Commandant of the Marine Corps on 10 September 2002.

Upon retirement he returned to Pensacola, FL, where he offers consulting services from his home office. He is a former fellow for the Institute of Defense & Business and served in an instructional role for Duke University (College of Continuing Education) in leadership training performed in support of BAE for four years. He is active as a Senior Mentor for the National Defense University in the "Capstone", "Keystone" and "Pinnacle" programs. He formerly served as the Chairman of the Board for the Marine Corps Scholarship Foundation (twice) and as the Chairman for the Marine Corps Toys for Tots Foundation. He also served as The National Commander for the Marine Corps Aviation Association from Jan 2007 - Jan 2010.

Gen Nyland (cont)

SSA Board Positions

GKN Aerospace North America, St. Louis, MO - SSA enacted 27 Mar 2007 – end date unknown

Other Boards and Advisory Positions

Member, Senior Advisory Group for Navigator Development Group, Enterprise, AL – no established end date

Non Profit Boards

Member, Board of Directors Marine Corps Law Enforcement Foundation, New York, NY – no end date established

Member, Board of Directors, Naval Aviation Museum Foundation, National Museum of Naval Aviation, Pensacola, FL

Chairman Emeritus, Marine Corps Scholarship Foundation

Member, Board of Directors, Sacred Heart Health System, Sacred Heart Hospital, Pensacola, FL

Other Positions

Institute for Human Machine Cognition (IHMC) – salaried position as Deputy Director for Defense R&D



PATRICK Z. ALSTON
COMMAND SERGEANT MAJOR
UNITED STATES ARMY
(RETIRED)



Former Command Senior Enlisted Leader
United States Strategic Command

Command Sergeant Major Patrick Z. Alston is employed as a Senior Fellow for the National Defense University's Capstone and Keystone programs. He is also a Senior Consultant with Burlington Capital Corporation, a diverse investment management firm located in Omaha, Nebraska.

CSM Pat Alston is a native of Columbus, Georgia. He is a graduate of Columbus High School. After graduation, he subsequently enlisted into the United States Army where he completed Basic Training at Fort Dix, New Jersey.

His initial assignment was at Fort Belvoir, Virginia, as a Medical Specialist. Subsequent assignments include Medical Specialist with 3rd Battalion, 325th Infantry Regiment, and 82nd Airborne Division. In 1984 he reclassified to the Chemical Corps and was assigned as a squad leader with 4th Chemical Company, 2nd Infantry Division; NBC NCO and Squad Leader with Alpha Company, 3rd Battalion, 73rd Armor, 82nd Airborne Division; Battalion NBC NCO with 3rd Battalion, 73rd Armor, 82nd Airborne Division; Senior NBC Operations and Staff NCO with Division Chemical, 82nd Airborne Division; NBC Operations, Staff NCO and Platoon Sergeant with 34th Support Group, Korea; Senior Drill Sergeant with Alpha Company, 82nd Chemical Battalion; Detachment Sergeant for the Contingency Support Detachment (WHITE HOUSE TEAM), 84th Chemical Battalion, U.S. Army Chemical School; Career Advisor/Branch Manager Career Management Field 74D, Total Army Personnel Command (PERSCOM); First Sergeant for Headquarters and Headquarters Company, Soldier Biological Chemical Command and Technical Escort Unit; Battalion CSM of the U.S. Army Technical Escort Battalion in Edgewood, Maryland; Division Chemical Sergeant Major for the 2nd Infantry Division, Korea; Battalion CSM of the 23rd Chemical Battalion, 19th TSC, Korea; CSM of the 23rd Area Support Group, 19th TSC, Korea; 10th Regimental CSM of the Chemical Corps, Command Senior Enlisted Leader, Defense Threat Reduction Agency/STRATCOM Center for Combating WMD and finished his Army career as the Command Senior Enlisted Leader of United States Strategic Command.

His military schools include Command Sergeant Major Course; Sergeant Major Academy (class # 51); First Sergeant Course (CDMT List); Advanced Noncommissioned Officers Course (Honor Grad); Basic Noncommissioned Officers Course (CDMT List); Primary Leadership development Course (CMDT List); Drill Sergeant School (Honor Grad); Airborne School; Air Assault School (Honor Grad); Technical Escort Course (J5) (Honor Grad); Drill Corporal Course; Customs Course; White House Executive Support Course; Executive Operations Course; Hazardous Material Course (Level 1-5); Chemical Weapons Orientation Course Joint Military Intelligence Course on Chemical Affairs; Assignment Manager/PDNCO Course; Administrative Procedures Course (DA Level), Joint Forces Staff College, United States Army Force Management Course and Keystone Course. He is currently a few classes away from receiving his Bachelors of Science Degree in Leadership with a concentration in Management from Trident University.

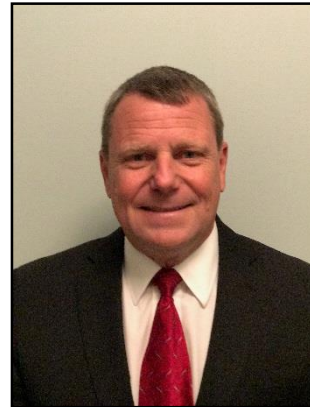
His awards and decorations include the Defense Superior Service Medal; Legion of Merit (second oak leaf cluster); Defense Meritorious Service Medal; Meritorious Service Medal (first oak leaf cluster); Army Commendation Medal (third oak leaf cluster); the Army Achievement Medal (silver oak leaf cluster); Army Service Ribbons; the National Defense Medal; Combat Medical Badge; Space Badge; Airborne Badge; Air Assault Badge; Drivers Badge; Drill Sergeant Badge; Good Conduct Medal (Silver Clasp, third loop); Overseas Ribbon (Third Oak Leaf Cluster); Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal; Global War on Terrorism Service Medal; and the noncommissioned Officers Professional Development Ribbon (fourth award). CSM Alston is also awarded the CHEMICAL CORPS HIGHEST AWARD “THE ORDER OF THE DRAGON” as well the TRANSPORTATION CORPS “HONORABLE ORDER OF SAINT CHRISTOPHER.”

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WILLIAM W. GORTNEY ADMIRAL UNITED STATES NAVY (RETIRED)

**Former Commander,
North American Aerospace Defense
Command, U.S. Northern Command**



Bill Gortney is employed as a Senior Fellow for the National Defense University in support of the Pinnacle, Capstone, and Keystone programs.

Admiral Bill Gortney graduated from Elon College in North Carolina, earning a Bachelor of Arts in History and Political Science in 1977. He was commissioned via the Aviation Officer Candidate School in 1977 and designated a Naval Aviator in 1978.

During his 39 year career Bill Gortney commanded at every level in the Navy. Squadron command tours included VFA-106, the East Coast FA-18 Fleet Replacement Squadron, and VFA-15. Three additional commands were in the U.S. Central Command area of operations, providing support to Maritime Security Operations and combat operations for Operations Enduring Freedom and Iraqi Freedom. These assignments included Commander, U.S. Naval Forces Central Command/U.S. 5th Fleet/Combined Maritime Forces, Bahrain; Commander, Carrier Strike Group 10, on board USS Harry S. Truman (CVN 75); and Commander, Carrier Air Wing 7, on board USS John F. Kennedy (CV 67). Four Star commands included U.S. Fleet Forces Command, NS Norfolk, VA, and his final assignment as Commander, North American Aerospace Defense Command, U.S. Northern Command.

Gortney's additional tours provided extensive fleet, joint, overseas, and Washington D.C. experience, to include assignment as Director, Joint Staff. He holds a Master of Arts in National Security and Strategic Studies from the Naval War College.

Gortney flew over 5,360 mishap-free flight hours and completed 1,265 carrier-arrested landings. He is authorized to wear multiple awards to include the Defense Distinguished Service Medal (two awards), The Homeland Security Distinguished Service Medal, the Sea Service Ribbon (8 awards), and the Overseas Service Ribbon (2 awards). Foreign awards include recognition from Bahrain, France, Mexico (2 awards), and Canada.

Admiral Gortney currently continues to serve in both public and private capacities, to include: Senior Fellow for CAPSTONE, National Defense University; member, Elon University President's Advisory Council; independent consultant for Boeing Defense, Space & Security; and member, Board of Advisors Draken International, Inc.

Admiral Gortney retired from active duty in 2016.



GREGORY S. MARTIN GENERAL UNITED STATES AIR FORCE (RETIRED)

**Former Commander
Air Force Materiel Command**



Gregory “Speedy” Martin is employed as a Senior Fellow for the National Defense University in support of the Pinnacle, Capstone, and Keystone programs.

General Gregory S. Martin retired from the United States Air Force on 1 September 2005 after thirty-five years of active commissioned service. His final duty was as the Commander of the Air Force Materiel Command where he commanded nearly 80,000 personnel who are charged with the responsibility for the Air Force Science and Technology, Acquisition Support, Test and Evaluation and Weapons Systems Sustainment and Logistics missions. During his tenure in this duty, General Martin initiated the most significant organizational and process transformation in the history of the Air Force Materiel Command. Centered around the “Lean Engineering Model”, AFMC achieved unprecedented “on time” maintenance and logistics performance improvements while at the same time reducing costs to the operational commands by 20%.

In his previous assignment, he was the Commander of the United States Air Forces Europe, Air Component Commander US European Command and the Commander for NATO’s Allied Air Forces North. In those capacities, he commanded the United States, Alliance and Coalition Air Forces during Operations Northern Watch (Northern Iraq No-Fly Zone) Joint Forge, Joint Guardian (Bosnia and Kosovo), and Atlas Response (Mozambique Flood Relief). Additionally, he commanded the joint and allied air forces in the European theater of operations as they conducted long range combat employment missions, humanitarian relief, special operations sustainment, and the largest post-WW II combat airdrops as a part of Operations Enduring Freedom and Iraqi Freedom.

A career fighter pilot with more than 4600 flying hours, mostly in the F-4 and the F-15, General Martin flew as a combat ready pilot, flight leader, instructor pilot, operations officer and squadron commander in various assignments throughout the world to include a combat tour in Southeast Asia where he flew 161 combat missions. He also commanded three fighter wings: The 479th Tactical Training Wing and the 33rd and 1st Fighter Wings.

General Martin also had a rich variety of staff assignments which included operations and training, programming and budgeting, joint operations and force planning, joint and Air Force operational requirements and Air Force Acquisition. His senior level positions included being the Vice Director, and acting Director, of the Joint Staff’s J-8 Directorate, Director of Air Force Operational Requirements and Principal Deputy to the Assistant Secretary of the Air Force for Acquisition.

Since retiring, General Martin has performed Senior Mentor duties with the Joint Forces Command. He has served on two Defense Science Board Studies, has been selected as the Chairman of the National Academies Air Force Studies Board, Board of Directors and the MITRE Air Force Advisory Board. He is also a consultant to many defense sector firms (see page 2).

Gen Martin (cont)

Professional History Highlights

Former Commander United States Air Force Materiel Command; Former Commander United States Air Forces Europe; Former Commander NATO's Allied Air Forces North; Chairman, National Academies, Air Force Studies Board, Board of Directors; Chairman, MITRE Air Force Board of Advisors; Senior Mentor, Joint Forces Command; Consultant for several defense and aerospace sector firms

Education

B.S. Geography , U.S. Air Force Academy; M.A., Business Management, Central Michigan University; National War College, Fort Lesley J McNair; Seminar XXI Massachusetts Institute, Of Technology; Advanced Management Program, Duke University

CERTIFICATION OF DIRECTORSHIPS, EMPLOYMENT AND CLIENTS

The following is a complete list of directorships, employment and consulting clients:

I. DIRECTORSHIP AND EMPLOYMENT

Name of Company: Responsibilities/Duties

Alenia NA: Board of Directors—Jun '10-Present

ATAC, LLC: Board of Advisors—Nov '07-Present

CDO Technologies: Strategic Advisory Board—Feb '06-Present

CSC: Transformation Advisory Board—Apr'07-Present

MITRE,,: Chairman, AF Advisory Board—May'07-Present

OADS, LLC: Board of Advisors—Sept '07-Present

UNISYS: Defense Advisory Board—Oct '09-Present

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ACE-EXCEL (501c.3): Vice Chair, Board of Trustees—Aug '05-Present

Falcon Foundation (501.c.3): Chairman, Board of Trustees—Oct '09-Present

Air Force Studies Board, National Academies: Chairman, AFSB BoD

NDU NWC Alumni Association: Vice Chairman, BoT—May'09-Present

II. CLIENTS

Name of Company: Services/Duties

Burdeshaw Associates: Consultant—Jan '07-Present

Capitol Aerospace Group: Consultant—Feb '10-Present

Council for Logistics Research: Panel and Committee Facilitator—Jan '07-Present

Cyberspace Operations Consulting, LLC: Consultant and Facilitator—May'10-Present

Durango Group Inc., LLC: Consultant—Mar '06-Present

EADS NA: Consultant—May '06-Present

Four Star Group: Consultant, Associate—May '07-Present

GE Aviation, Military Engines: Consultant—Jul '06—Present

Northrop-Grumman Aerospace Systems: Consultant—Nov'05--Present

Northrop-Grumman Technical Systems: Consultant—Oct'10-Present

RWB (Aerospace) Consultants: Consultant—May'06-Present

University of Tennessee: Adjunct Professor—Aug '07-Present

University of Virginia, Darden School of Business: Course Facilitator—Aug '09-Present

JFCOM HQE: Mentor Combatant Command Battle Staffs

NDU Senior Fellow: Facilitate Joint Senior Level Education Programs



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BIO

John M. Paxton, Jr.

General, United States Marine Corps, Retired



General Paxton retired from active duty on 30 Sep 2016 after 42 years of continuous active service. He was promoted to General and assumed duties as the 33d Assistant Commandant of the Marine Corps on December 15, 2012. A native of Pennsylvania, he graduated from Cornell University with a Bachelor and Master of Science in Civil Engineering and was commissioned through Officer Candidate School in 1974.

General Paxton's assignments in the operating forces included Rifle and Weapons Platoon Commander and Company Executive Officer, Co. B, 1st Battalion, 3d Marines; Training Officer, 4th Marine Regiment; Executive Officer, Co. G, 2d Battalion, 4th Marines; Company Commander, Co. L and Operations Officer, 3d Battalion, 5th Marines; GCE Operations Officer, II MEF, and Assistant Chief of Staff, G-3, 1st Marine Division. He commanded the 1st Battalion, 8th Marines in support of operations in Bosnia and Somalia with 22nd Marine Expeditionary Unit and later the 1st Marine Regiment.

Other assignments include Company Commander, Co. B, Marine Barracks Washington and Commanding Officer of Marine Corps Recruiting Station, New York. He served as a Plans Division Officer, Plans, Policies and Operations, HQMC; as Executive Assistant to the Undersecretary of the Navy; and as Amphibious Operations Officer/Crisis Action Team Executive Officer, Combined Forces Command, Republic of Korea.

As a general officer, he served as the Director, Programs Division, Programs and Resources, HQMC; the Commanding General of Marine Corps Recruit Depot San Diego/Western Recruiting Region; Commanding General, 1st Marine Division; Chief of Staff, Multi-National Forces – Iraq; Director for Operations, J-3, The Joint Staff; and Commanding General, II Marine Expeditionary Force and Commander Marine Forces Africa. He also served as Commander, Marine Corps Forces Command; Commanding General, Fleet Marine Force Atlantic; and Commander, Marine Forces Europe.

General Paxton is a graduate of the U.S. Army Infantry Officer Advanced Course and Marine Corps Command and Staff College. He has also served as a Commandant's Fellow at the Brookings Institute as well as at the Council on Foreign Relations.

CAPSTONE Staff

Gerard “Gerry” M. Mauer, Jr.
Director
Capstone, Keystone, Pinnacle

Rear Admiral Mauer retired from the Navy in March 2008 after over 31 years of service, which included extensive experience in fleet operations, resource management, technical innovation, Joint Professional Military Education (JPME), interagency coordination, and leading organizational change in NATO and joint commands.



From 2008 to 2011, RADM Mauer was a Group Vice President for Sabre Systems Inc. He was responsible for developing then implementing the corporate strategic plan and managing the Southeast Region's profit and loss operations, its contracts, corporate business development, human resources programs, and Capability Maturity Model Integration (CMMI) level III attainment. After leaving Sabre Systems, RADM Mauer had positions as an Associate with Burdeshaw Associates, as a Senior Analyst for Wikistrat, as a Board member and Board Treasurer for the Navy Safe Harbor Foundation, and as a representative and the national Co-Chair for the US Global Leadership Coalition's Veterans for Smart Power.

Admiral Mauer's last position in the Navy was from 2006 to 2008, when he served as the Commandant, Industrial College of the Armed Forces (ICAF). He was responsible for executing the congressionally mandated and accredited master's degree senior Professional Military Education curriculum. As a university leader, he directly supported the direction of the National Defense University and was a key member in the development of the University's strategic plan.

From 2003 to 2006, he served as the NATO Allied Command Transformation's Director, Joint Experimentation, Exercises, and Assessment, where he developed and implemented NATO's largest Concept Development and Experimentation program. The scope included creating NATO's transformation strategic vision and aligning the vision with its concepts and requirements. As a result of his initiatives, NATO rapidly implemented new processes, policies, and systems in support of its forces in Afghanistan and Iraq as well new capabilities to support its political and military infrastructure in NATO headquarters.

From 2001 to 2003, he was the Deputy, Directorate for Information Operations (J39/DDIO), Joint Staff Director of Operations (J-3) where he was responsible for direct coordination with the Office of the Secretary of Defense staff, Combatant Commands, and interagency organizations in their global information operations. In this capacity, his responsibilities also included supervision and operational coordination of the Joint Staff's Special Technical Operations information system and its programs.

Admiral Mauer graduated from Villanova University and the Naval Postgraduate School. He was a Naval Aviator who commanded Helicopter Antisubmarine Squadrons SEVEN (HS-7) and TEN (HS-10) in addition to assignment as the Commanding Officer of USS NASSAU (LHA 4). He has vast experience at sea with deployments to the Atlantic Ocean, Mediterranean Sea, and Arabian Gulf. Ashore assignments included: Naval Postgraduate School student, Assistant Program Manager for the Naval Air Systems Command SH-60F/H helicopter program (PMA 266), and Training Officer and Instructor Pilot in Helicopter Antisubmarine Squadron ONE (HS-1). He started with Capstone in August of 2016.

Bonnie Swanson
Deputy Director
Capstone / Keystone / Pinnacle



Bonnie Swanson is a native of Ellington, CT and a graduate of Ellington High School. After her freshman year at the University of Connecticut, she enlisted in the USMCR. Upon completing recruit training at Parris Island, SC, Bonnie returned to UCONN to continue her studies and reserve service with 6th Motor Transport Battalion, Providence, RI. In 1988 she graduated from UCONN with a Liberal Arts degree (Sociological and Educational Behavior Development) and accepted her commission in the USMC. After completion of The Basic School in 1989 and her assignment as a Military Police Officer, Bonnie reported to MCAS Cherry Point, NC for duty as a Platoon Commander and Services Officer.

In 1992, Bonnie was assigned as the Operations Officer for Recruiting Station, Baltimore, MD. Serving as an OpsO for 3 years, Bonnie was selected as the 4th Marine Corps District Contact Team Officer, Harrisburg, PA. Leading a team of three Master Gunnery Sergeants, the Contact Team trained over 350 recruiters and command group members within a 7 state area.

In 1997 Bonnie received orders to MCB, Camp Lejeune, NC as the Operations Officer, Provost Marshal's Office. She simultaneously served as the Commanding Officer, Military Police Company (330+ Marines) during this tour.

In May of 2000 after 11 years of service, Bonnie resigned her commission to accompany her husband, CWO4 Bret Swanson, USMC on his orders to Washington, DC. Bret retired from the military in 2002 and currently serves in Acquisition and Logistics within the Department of Defense.

In January of 2001, Bonnie was hired by the National Defense University as the Executive Officer of Capstone. Over the years her position has evolved into a Deputy Director position overseeing three courses, Pinnacle (3 star course), Capstone, and Keystone (Command Senior Enlisted course).

Bonnie has numerous military decorations and has attended many military schools, including the Basic Law Enforcement Academy at Lackland AFB, TX and the Advanced Military Police Academy at Fort McClellan, AL. She is still a record holder at UCONN for many soccer goalkeeping statistics, including the most shutouts in a career (41.5).

In 2005 Bonnie completed a Masters Degree in Organizational Management from the University of Phoenix. In 2008, she and Bret built their retirement home in Capon Bridge, WV – where you can find them EVERY weekend.

**Allied Fellows
(15 - 26 Jul 2019)**



Chief of Staff to Standing Joint Force Headquarters



Commodore S P Asquith MA OBE

Born and educated in West Yorkshire, Simon Asquith joined the Royal Navy as a Warfare Officer in 1990. He qualified as a submariner in 1995 and a series of junior officer's appointments followed where he served in diesel electric, nuclear attack and strategic deterrent submarines. This period included a 2 year exchange with the Netherlands' Submarine Service and a number of national SSN operations and strategic deterrent patrols.

He successfully completed the Submarine Command Course or 'Perisher' in 2003. On promotion to Commander he completed a short appointment at the Development, Concepts and Doctrine Centre where he progressed work on Joint and Maritime Operational Concepts. Between 2008 and 2011 he Commanded the Trafalgar Class SSN HMS TALENT where he conducted two deployments as the TLAM ready SSN and conducted a number of National Operations. A graduate of ACSC 15, from 2012 until 2014 he was the Maritime Force Generator in the Operations Directorate. In this role he provided maritime advice to ACDS(Ops), ran the Maritime Commitments Strategic Steering Group and generated Royal Navy forces for global operations. On promotion to Captain in September 2014, he took Command of HMS PORTLAND as Captain Anti-Submarine Warfare. In Portland he commanded a task group on anti-submarine warfare operations, conducted maritime security operations as the Fleet Ready Escort and participated in a series of NATO exercises.

A graduate of HCSC16, he subsequently joined the Higher Command and Staff Course team as Assistant Director (Strategy) from 2016-2017. He went from this assignment to be Chief of Staff and Deputy Commander to UKMCC in Bahrain, during which he ran the Headquarters responsible for UK maritime operations across the Middle East. Selected for promotion to 1*, he assumed the role of Chief of Staff to the Standing Joint Force Headquarters in March 2018.

BRIGADIER-GENERAL S. BERNARD, OMM, CD

DEPUTY CHIEF OF STAFF - PLANS, CANADIAN JOINT OPERATIONS COMMAND



Born in Loretteville, Quebec, Brigadier-General Simon Bernard began his military career at the age of 17 at the Royal Military College Saint-Jean (RMC) Saint-Jean, where he obtained his diploma and Commission in 1993. He served for more than ten years in the 2nd and 3rd Battalion Royal 22e Régiment, namely as Commanding Officer of the 2nd Battalion Royal 22e Régiment and the Citadelle de Québec from 2010 to 2012.

BGen Bernard participated in three United Nations and NATO Operations abroad. In 1995, he served as platoon commander in Croatia; in 2004, as G5/G3 Plans in the Kabul Multinational Brigade in Afghanistan; and more recently, from October 2009 to September 2010, as J5 of Task Force Kandahar. At

home, Colonel Bernard deployed on three humanitarian operations: following the Red River floods in Manitoba in 1997, the 1998 Ice Storm in Ontario and during the Montérégie floods in the spring of 2011 where he served as Commanding Officer of the Domestic Task Force.

In his postings outside his Regiment, he has cumulated experience in staff positions, namely in the Command Suite of the Commander Land Force Central Area (LFCA) in Toronto and as Executive Assistant to the Commander of the Allied Command Europe Mobile Force (Land), NATO's Quick Reaction Brigade, in Heidelberg Germany. He also assumed the responsibilities of G3 of 5 Canadian Mechanized Brigade Group (5 CMBG), Executive Assistant to the Chief of Staff Land Strategy at the Army HQ in Ottawa, G3 of 2nd Canadian Division / Joint Task Force (East) and Deputy Director Current Operations at the Strategic Joint Staff. He also commanded the Royal Military College Saint-Jean (RMC) from 2015 to 2017 before being posted as auditor to the 67th Session at the Center for Advanced Military Studies and the 70th Session at the National Defense Institute of Advanced Studies in Paris, France until June 2018.

BGen Bernard holds a bachelor's degree in Administration and a Masters' degree in War Studies. He also graduated from the Joint Command and Staff Program at the Canadian Forces College. He was promoted to his actual rank in June 2018 and has assumed the duties of Deputy Chief of staff Plans, CJOC since this date.

AIR FORCE

AIR COMMODORE PHIL GORDON

**Commander Air Warfare Centre
Senior Australian Defence Force Officer – Edinburgh Defence Precinct**

Air Commodore Phil Gordon graduated from the Australian Defence Force Academy in 1989. After completing number 156 Pilot's Course, he undertook fast jet training graduating as an F/A-18A Hornet pilot in December 1993.

After a two year tour at 3SQN he completed 123 Flying Instructors Course going on to fly and instruct on the PC9 and Macchi at 2FTS, 79SQN and 76SQN during which time he was promoted to Squadron Leader.

Air Commodore Gordon returned to Hornets as a Flight Commander at 77SQN in January 2000 for a two year tour which culminated in the first operational deployment to Diego Garcia for Operation SLIPPER. On return he took over as Executive Officer of 76SQN flying the Hawk 127.

Air Commodore Gordon attended Australian Command and Staff Course in 2004 after which he was promoted to Wing Commander and completed a tour as Deputy Director Joint Combined Training Centre with Capability Development Group.



Air Commodore Gordon assumed command of 20CU in June 2006 flying and instructing on the F/A-18A/B. In January 2009 Air Commodore Gordon was posted to the Embassy of Australia in Washington DC where he worked as Air Staff Officer Plans and Operations for the Air Attaché. Air Commodore Gordon returned to Australia in August 2011 on promotion to Group Captain into the newly established position of Director Air Combat Transition Office (DACTO).

During his three years as DACTO Air Commodore Gordon led Air Force planning for the introduction of the F35A Lightning II Joint Strike Fighter achieving a number of significant milestones including Government approval for 72 aircraft in April 2014 and delivery of the first two RAAF aircraft in July 2014.

In October 2014 Air Commodore Gordon took command of 81WG flying the F/A-18A/B Hornet. From March 2015 81WG contributed the strike element to combat operations in Iraq and Syria as part of Operation OKRA.

Air Commodore Gordon was promoted in June 2016 and subsequently commanded Air Task Group 630 from July 2016 to February 2017. The Air Task Group contributed strike, air to air refuelling, airborne and ground based command and control, intelligence and targeting capabilities to the US led coalition under Operation INHERENT RESOLVE. Upon assuming command Air Commodore Gordon flew two combat missions in the F/A-18A employing a total of 5 bombs in direct support of Iraqi ground forces.

On return from operations Air Commodore Gordon assumed the dual roles of Director General Air Command Operations (DGACOPS) in Headquarters Air Command, and Director General Air (DGAIR) in Headquarters Joint Operations Command. As the Australian Joint Forces Air Component Commander (JFACC) he was responsible for the air planning, command and control of major exercises and operations globally.

On 30th November 2018 Air Commodore Gordon commenced his current appointment as Commander Air Warfare Centre (CDRAWC). The Air Warfare Centre mission is to 'Ready the Warfighter' leading and supporting the transition of the Royal Australian Air Force into a fully joint and integrated '5th generation' capability.

Air Commodore Gordon is married with two children at university.



BIOGRAPHICAL SUMMARY

Name: Lois Nicholson

Role: Counsellor Defence Acquisition and Technology
British Defence Staff US
UK Ministry of Defence
Washington DC

**Biography:**

Lois has over 25 years experience leading multi-disciplinary teams in the UK Ministry of Defence (MOD) and in industry in the research, design and acquisition of complex military systems across land, sea, air and C4ISTAR domains.

After taking a Masters degree at University College London, Lois joined industry, leading systems engineering teams in major military systems design and development projects, working in cross-industrial, multi-national teams, including in France and Germany.

In 1997, Lois joined the civil service in the Defence Evaluation and Research Agency, where she led a team of scientists, engineers and military in the research of armoured vehicle crew systems and man-machine interfaces. On promotion in 2000, Lois took on wider responsibilities for battlefield systems capabilities, including vehicle systems integration, dismounted soldier technologies and unmanned vehicles. Lois led teams providing independent technical advice to the BOWMAN tactical comms system and Future Integrated Soldier Technology acquisition programmes. In 2001, Lois' post was transferred to the newly formed QinetiQ organisation, and she once again worked in the private sector.

In 2004, Lois rejoined the civil service in the Defence Science and Technology Laboratory (Dstl), where she was responsible for leading the Dstl programme of work in support of the Future Rapid Effect System - the UK's largest land armoured vehicle acquisition programme. In 2006, Lois was also appointed as a Programme Manager responsible for delivering the programme across a combined MOD and industry team.

In 2007, Lois took up an appointment as Assistant Director in the Directorate of Scrutiny in MOD London, where she led a team delivering technical scrutiny and independent challenge of major land equipment and defence infrastructure acquisition programmes, including equipment for front-line troops in Afghanistan. In this role, Lois provided independent technical and engineering advice directly to the most senior decision-makers within the MOD, including the Chief Scientific Adviser (CSA) and the MOD's 4* Investment Approvals Board.

In August 2011, Miss Nicholson was posted to the British Embassy Washington DC in the role of Attaché Defence Research & Technology. She was responsible to CSA and the Research and Development Board for all aspects of Research & Technology exchanges with the US, covering maritime, land, air, C4I, ISTAR/Space, Counter Terrorism, Cyber, Medical, and Policy and Analysis. Additionally, as part of her responsibilities within the broader British Defence Staff-US, Lois led a strategic audit of activities conducted by UK personnel across the US footprint, as well as formulation of a Campaign Plan designed to deliver focused outputs to meet defence priorities.

In August 2012, on promotion to the Senior Civil Service, Lois was appointed Head of Air-Sea-CIS Scrutiny, leading a high calibre team of professional analysts and engineers with responsibility for the scrutiny and independent challenge of evidence supporting multi-million pound business case submissions to the 4* Investment Approvals Committee (IAC). Her

responsibilities spanned examination of evidence of capability requirement, cost effectiveness and balance of investment, technical solution, programme delivery and technical risk assessment for Air, Maritime and CIS acquisition programmes.

In March 2015, Lois' responsibility increased to include scrutiny of Land, Defence Infrastructure and Business Change programmes, and thus became responsible, as Head of Scrutiny, for the entire scrutiny and independent challenge function within MOD. Lois led the team in delivering independent technical and analysis advice directly to the most senior decision-makers within the MOD, including 3* DG Finance and Chief Scientific Adviser and the MOD's 4* Investment Approvals Board. As a member of the 4* Joint Requirements Oversight Board, Lois advised the Vice Chief of the Defence Staff on robustness of military capability requirements.

In July 2018, Lois was posted to the British Embassy Washington DC in the role of Counsellor Defence Acquisition and Technology, and a member of the British Defence Staff Management Board. Lois leads a team responsible for working with the US in the areas of defence acquisition and trade, research and technology and future capability development. In this role, she is responsible for the cost-effective acquisition, timely management and delivery of a portfolio of \$13bn UK Foreign Military Sales (FMS) programme and Direct Commercial Sales (DCS) with the US; as well as delivering prosperity objectives by supporting specific UK export campaigns, seeking opportunities for UK companies to access US Defence markets. Building on opportunities offered by UK's inclusion in the trusted US National Technology Industrial Base (NTIB), Lois partners with US, Australia and Canada governments to seek ways of building resilience in the industrial base in each nation, including improving access to advanced technologies. On behalf of the UK's Chief Scientific Adviser, she is responsible for the UK/US bilateral science and technology co-operation and the development of future and new collaborative opportunities, and is responsible as the UK deputy for delivering the strategic intent of the 5 Eyes TTCP S&T collaboration. Lois is also responsible for advancing the UK/US next generation capability considerations on behalf of the VCDS, by actively promoting stronger cooperation, and through developing a programmatic approach, aiming to align bilateral cooperation on force development, acquisition, development of operational concepts, and science and technology, with our common strategic ends.

Lois is passionate about supporting the development of others. Corporately, as part of MOD's senior leadership team, Lois leads on behalf of the Permanent Secretary, the SCS Unit Ambassador Scheme, which is successfully delivering on its aim to promote more visibility and engagement of the senior civilian leadership with the wider civil service community across Defence. She also is an active ambassador herself - for HMNB Devonport and 1 Assault Group Royal Marines, where she leads and supports the civilian workforce, including apprentices, STEM group and the Devonport leadership cadre.

In 2013, Lois achieved professional accreditation as a Chartered Manager (Fellow of Chartered Manager Institute), becoming one of the first in the MOD to achieve this professional qualification and recognition.

Lois is an outdoor sports enthusiast and, while she has retired from field hockey, she currently enjoys golf (though not playing well!) and snow skiing. She enjoys listening to classical music, especially choral music.

Air Commodore Tim Walshe

Air Component Commander

AIRCDRE Walshe enlisted in the Royal New Zealand Air Force in 1984 and graduated from Navigator training in early 1986. He completed some twelve years on No. 5 Squadron operating the P3K Orion as a Navigator, Tactical Co-ordinator and in instructional roles. Before leaving the Squadron in 2001, held the position of Squadron Training Flight Commander.

In 1989, AIRCDRE Walshe served as an Operations Officer in the then Operations Group Headquarters, RNZAF Base Auckland. AIRCDRE Walshe has also completed two tours of the RNZAF Officer Training School, one as a Directing Staff member (1994-95), the second as the Officer Commanding (2001-03). In more recent years, AIRCDRE Walshe held the positions of Director of the RNZAF Air Power Development Centre (2004 and 2006-08), Commanding Officer Operational Support Wing at RNZAF Base Ohakea (2009-10), Defence Adviser to Singapore/Defence Attaché to Vietnam and Cambodia (2011-13), Commander Operational Support Command (early 2014) and Base Commander Auckland (2014-2017).



AIRCDRE Walshe has served on two occasions in the Middle East. In May 2003, as part of the NZDF's OPERATION TROY, AIRCDRE Walshe was attached to the United States Naval Central Command (USNAVCENT) in Bahrain as the NZDF Liaison Officer (LO). In 2007, AIRCDRE Walshe served as the LO to the United States Central Command Coalition Air Operations Centre in Qatar.

AIRCDRE Walshe completed Senior Staff College in New Zealand in 2000 and then in 2005-06 AIRCDRE Walshe attended the United States Air Force Air War College completing a Masters in Strategic Studies. In October-November 2009, AIRCDRE Walshe participated in the International Symposium Course conducted by the National Defence University, Peoples' Liberation Army in China. AIRCDRE Walshe recently completed the Royal College of Defence Studies (2018) in London followed by a short tour as a Special Projects Officer undertaking the Defence Capability Programme-Review. AIRCDRE Walshe was appointed Air Component Commander in September 2018.

AIRCDRE Walshe is married to Shona and has two adult children.

US Fellows



United States Navy Biography

REAR ADMIRAL JOHN J. ADAMETZ COMMANDER, NAVAL FACILITIES ENGINEERING COMMAND PACIFIC/ U.S. PACIFIC FLEET CIVIL ENGINEER

Rear Admiral Adametz is a native of Belle Vernon, Pennsylvania and is a 1989 graduate of Virginia Military Institute, where he received a Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering. He holds a Master of Science in Civil Engineering from Pennsylvania State University, an Executive Master of Business Administration from Naval Postgraduate School, and completed the Executive Management Program at the University of Virginia's Darden School of Business.

Adametz' operational tours include Electrical Officer, USS Nashville (LPD-13); Training Officer/Officer-in-Charge of Detail St. Lucia, U.S. Naval Mobile Construction Battalion 7; Contracting Officer, NATO Kosovo Force J4 Engineers; and Commanding Officer, U.S. Naval Mobile Construction Battalion 7. He also served as the Commodore of Naval Construction Group 2, the Atlantic Fleet Seabees.



His shore assignments include Assistant Resident Officer in Charge of Construction, Naval Air Station, Oceana; Flag Housing Officer, Public Works Center, Norfolk; Assistant Public Works Officer, Naval Station Rota, Spain; Executive Officer, The Presidential Retreat, Camp David; Facility Support and Joint Basing Program Director, Commander, Navy Installations Command; Expeditionary Readiness Program Director, Office of the Chief of Naval Operations; and Operations Officer, Naval Facilities Engineering Command Mid Atlantic. He commanded Naval Facilities Engineering Command Southwest and Naval Facilities Engineering and Expeditionary Warfare Center.

Rear Admiral Adametz is a registered professional engineer in the Commonwealth of Virginia, a member of the Defense Acquisition Corps, and a qualified Seabee Combat Warfare Officer, Surface Warfare Officer, and Fleet Marine Force Officer. He holds professional credentials as a Project Management Professional, Certified Facility Manager, and Certified Energy Manager, and is a member of the Society of American Military Engineers.

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Brigadier General Timothy L Adams USMC

Brigadier General Timothy L Adams was commissioned via the Platoon Leaders Class upon graduation from the University of Iowa. Designated a naval aviator in 1995, he joined VMGR 352 and deployed in support of Operation Southern Watch. In 1998 BGen Adams reported to Headquarters Eighth Marine Corps District for duty as the Assistant for Officer Procurement (Aviation.)



BGen Adams joined Marine Aviation Logistics Squadron 41 in 2001 and transferred to VMGR 234 making multiple combat deployments for Operation Iraqi Freedom. In 2008 BGen Adams reported to Headquarters Marine Corps as a strategic communications officer and speechwriter for Commander Marine Forces Reserve. During the 2009 Strategic Assessment, BGen Adams deployed to Afghanistan, assessing Afghan rule of law, ISAF detention policy and coalition counterinsurgency strategy. After a brief tour as Director, Public Affairs, he rejoined VMGR 234 as the Executive Officer and was slated for command.

BGen Adams commanded VMGR 452 “The Yankees” from 2011 through 2013, leading the squadron through multiple worldwide assignments.

Upon graduation from the National War College in 2014, he reported for joint duty in the Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense for Reserve Affairs as a Deputy Director. In 2015 he deployed to Jordan as the MARCENT Liaison Element OIC and LNO to CJIATF-Syria.

From 2016 to 2017, BGen Adams was the Senior Reserve Advisor/Deputy Commander Marine Aircraft Group 49 and then served as the Assistant Wing Commander, Fourth Marine Aircraft Wing from 2017-2018.

His first assignment as a General Officer was as the Deputy Commanding General, Joint Task Force ARES, United States Cyber Command and as the Deputy Commander Joint Forces Headquarters-Cyber, Fort George G. Meade, MD.

BGen Adams earned a Masters of Science in National Security Strategy from the National War College. He is also a graduate of The Air War College, the Joint Forces Staff College and the Marine Corps Command and Staff College.

He is a current member of the Marine Corps Reserve Policy Board.

His personal awards include the Legion of Merit, the Defense Meritorious Service Medal, the Air Medal, the Meritorious Service Medal, the Navy/Marine Corps Commendation Medal, the Army Achievement Medal, the Navy/Marine Corps Achievement Medal and the Humanitarian Service Medal.

BGen Adams is a Black Belt in the Marine Corps Martial Arts Program.



BIOGRAPHY

UNITED STATES AIR FORCE



BRIGADIER GENERAL JOHN J. ALLEN, JR.

Brig. Gen. John Allen is the Air Force Director of Civil Engineers, Deputy Chief of Staff for Logistics, Engineering & Force Protection, Headquarters U.S. Air Force, Washington, D.C. He is responsible for providing policy and oversight for the planning, development, construction, maintenance, utilities and environmental quality of 183 Air Force bases worldwide valued at more than \$277 billion. This responsibility includes housing, fire emergency services, explosive ordnance disposal and emergency management services. He also influences resourcing for installation support functions with an annual budget of \$11 billion and is the focal point for organizing, training and equipping the 51,000-person engineering force.

General Allen graduated from Virginia Tech in 1990. He entered active duty in 1992. He has served in a variety of squadron-level civil engineer assignments as well as assignments on wing, major command and the Headquarters Air Force staff. In addition, he has commanded at the squadron, group, and wing levels.

Prior to his current position, the general was the Director of Staff, Headquarters Air Force Materiel Command, Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Ohio.



EDUCATION

- 1990 Bachelor of Science, Civil Engineering, Virginia Tech, Blacksburg, Va.
- 1997 Squadron Officer School, Maxwell AFB, Ala.
- 2000 Master of Science, Engineering Management, University of Alaska Anchorage, Anchorage, Alaska
- 2003 Air Command and Staff College (correspondence)
- 2006 Master of Military Operational Art and Science, Air Command and Staff College, Maxwell AFB, Ala.
- 2008 Air War College (correspondence)
- 2010 Master of Arts in National Security and Strategic Studies, U.S. Naval War College, Naval Station Newport, R.I.
- 2014 Enterprise Leadership Seminar, University of North Carolina Kenan-Flagler Business School, Chapel Hill, N.C.

ASSIGNMENTS

1. January 1992 - September 1995, Programmer and Readiness Flight Chief, 23rd Civil Engineer Squadron, Pope AFB, N.C.
2. December 1993 - March 1994, Civil Engineer, 4404th Civil Engineer Squadron, King Abdul-Aziz AB, Dhahran, Saudi Arabia
3. September 1995 - September 1996, Maintenance Engineer, 8th Civil Engineer Squadron, Kunsan AB, South Korea
4. October 1996 - February 1998, Base Development Chief, 3rd Civil Engineer Squadron, Elmendorf AFB, Alaska
5. March 1998 - July 2000, Executive Officer, 3rd Wing, Elmendorf AFB, Alaska

6. July 2000 - June 2003, International Environmental Program Manager and Legislative Affairs Program Manager, Office of the Civil Engineer, Headquarters Air Force, Washington, D.C.
7. June 2003 - July 2005, Operations Flight Commander, 1st Civil Engineer Squadron, Langley AFB, Va.
8. July 2005 - June 2006, Student, Air Command and Staff College, Maxwell AFB, Ala.
9. June 2006 - July 2007, Commander, 332nd Expeditionary Civil Engineer Squadron, Balad AB, Iraq
10. July 2007- July 2009, Commander, 28th Civil Engineer Squadron, Ellsworth AFB, S.D.
11. July 2009 - June 2010, Student, U.S. Naval War College, Naval Station Newport, R.I.
12. June 2010 - July 2011, Chief, Programs Division, Office of the Civil Engineer, Headquarters Air Force, Washington D.C.
13. August 2011 - March 2012, Commander, 577th Expeditionary Prime BEEF Group, Bagram Airfield, Afghanistan
14. March 2012 - August 2012, Commander, 1st Expeditionary Civil Engineer Group, Southwest Asia
15. September 2012 - April 2013, Senior Military Assistant, Assistant Secretary of the Air Force, Installations, Environment & Logistics, Headquarters Air Force, Washington D.C.
16. April 2013 - July 2015, Commander, 633rd Air Base Wing, Joint Base Langley-Eustis, Va.
17. July 2015 - June 2017, Chief, Senate Legislative Liaison, Office of the Secretary of the Air Force, Pentagon, Washington, D.C.
18. June 2017 - June 2018, Director of Staff, Air Force Materiel Command, Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio
19. June 2018 - Present, Director of Civil Engineers, Deputy Chief of Staff, Logistics, Engineering and Force Protection, Headquarters U.S. Air Force, Washington D.C.

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Legion of Merit, with one device
Bronze Star Medal, with one device
Meritorious Service Medal, with four devices
Air Force Commendation Medal, with two devices
Air Force Achievement Medal, with one device
Meritorious Unit Award, with three devices
Air Force Outstanding Unit Award, with three devices
Air Force Organizational Excellence Award
National Defense Service Medal, with two devices
Southwest Asia Service Medal, with one device
Afghanistan Campaign Medal
Iraq Campaign Medal
Global War on Terrorism Service Medal
Korean Defense Service Medal

EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION

Second Lieutenant - January 15, 1992
First Lieutenant - July 7, 1993
Captain - July 7, 1995
Major - May 1, 2002
Lieutenant Colonel - March 01, 2006
Colonel - August 1, 2011
Brigadier General - June 8, 2018

(Current as of February 2019)



BIOGRAPHIES

UNITED STATES SOUTHERN COMMAND

Patricia M. Anslow

Major General, United States Army
Chief of Staff
U.S. Southern Command

Major General Patricia M. Anslow received her commission through the United States Military Academy, West Point, New York in 1989. She has attended numerous military schools including the Army Senior Leader Development Program - Intermediate, Army Senior Leader Development Program - Basic, United States Army War College, Dual Status Commanders Course, NATO Defense College (General Officer/Flag Officer and Ambassador's Course), and Harvard University, Senior Executives in National and International Security. Major General Anslow reported to U. S. Southern Command in July 2018 and currently serves as the Chief of Staff.



Major General Anslow's command & leadership assignments have included: Platoon leader, 100th Engineer Company; Installation Support Unit Commander, Arkansas Army National Guard; Battalion Commander, 875th Engineer Battalion, Commander, 87th Troop Command; Commander, Land Component Command Arkansas Army National Guard, Deputy Commanding General, Division East, First United States Army; and Deputy Commanding General, United States Army South.

Her staff positions include: Executive Officer, 100th Engineer Company and 875th Engineer Battalion; Personnel Officer, 30th Engineer Battalion; Operations Officer 25th Support Detachment, 875th Engineer Battalion, & Detachment 1, 87th Troop Command; Deputy Chief of Staff, Engineering, Joint Force Headquarters; Director, Facility Management Office, Joint Force Headquarters; Assistant Adjutant General; Chief of Staff, Kosovo Forces, and; Special Assistant to the Vice, Chief, National Guard Bureau.

Major General Anslow's operational deployments have been with the 100th Engineer Company, 30th Engineer Battalion, 20th Engineer Brigade, Saudi Arabia; Commander of the 875th Engineer Battalion, 411th Engineer Brigade, Baghdad, Iraq; Chief of Staff, Kosovo Forces.

Her personal decorations include the Defense Superior Service Medal, Legion of Merit (with Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster), Bronze Star, Meritorious Service Medal (with 3 Bronze Oak Leaf Clusters), Army Commendation Medal (with 4 Bronze Oak Leaf Clusters), Army Achievement Medal (with Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster), Army Reserve Component Achievement Medal (with Silver Oak Leaf Cluster), National Defense Service Medal (with Bronze Service Star), Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, Southwest Asia Service Medal (with 3 Bronze Service Stars), Iraq Campaign Medal (with Bronze Service Star).

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science degree, Geography, U.S. Military Academy, West Point, NY.

Bachelor of Science degree, Biology, University of Little Rock, AR.

Master of Science degree, Environmental Planning and Management, Johns Hopkins University, MD.

Master of Strategic Studies degree, U.S. Army War College, Carlisle Barracks, PA.

ASSIGNMENTS

1. May 1989 - November 1989, Student, Engineer Officer Basic Course, Fort Belvoir, VA
2. December 1989 - December 1989, Student, Airborne School, Fort Benning, GA
3. January 1990 - November 1990, Student, Mapping, Charting and Geodesy Officer, Fort Belvoir, VA
4. May 1990 - May 1991, Platoon Leader, 100th Engineer Company, Fort Bragg, NC
5. December 1990 - April 1991, Platoon Leader, 100th Engineer Company, 30th Engineer Battalion, 20th Engineer Brigade, Saudi Arabia
6. June 1991 - January 1992, Executive Officer, 100th Engineer Company, Fort Bragg, NC
7. January 1992 - May 1992, Personnel Officer, 30th Engineer Battalion, Fort Bragg, NC
8. May 1992 - May 1993, United States Army Reserve Control Group, St Louis, MO
9. May 1993 - June 1994, Civil Engineer, Installation Support Unit, Arkansas Army National Guard, AR
10. June 1994 - May 1996, Commander, Installation Support Unit, Arkansas Army National Guard, AR
11. June 1996 - July 1997, Civil Engineer, Installation Support Unit, Arkansas Army National Guard, AR
12. July 1997 - February 1999, Facilities Engineer, State Area Command, Arkansas Army National Guard, AR
13. March 1999 - August 1999, Operations Officer, 25th Support Detachment (Rear Operations Center), North Little Rock, AR
14. August 1999 - January 2001, Operations Officer, 875th Engineer Battalion, Jonesboro, AR
15. February 2001 - September 2002, Executive Officer, 875th Engineer Battalion, Jonesboro, AR
16. October 2002 - September 2003, Operations Officer, Detachment 1, 87th Troop Command, North Little Rock, AR
17. October 2003 - May 2006, Battalion Commander, 875th Engineer Battalion, Jonesboro, AR
18. June 2006 - October 2007, Battalion Commander, 875th Engineer Battalion, 411th Engineer Brigade, Baghdad, Iraq
19. November 2007 - July 2008, Deputy Chief of Staff, Engineering, Joint Force Headquarters, North Little Rock, AR
20. August 2008 - June 2009, Student, United States Army War College, Carlisle, PA
21. July 2009 - July 2010, Director, Facility Management Office, Joint Force Headquarters, North Little Rock, AR
22. July 2010 - June 2012, Commander, 87th Troop Command, North Little Rock, AR
23. June 2012 - October 2013, Assistant Adjutant General
24. October 2013 - May 2016, Commander, Land Component Command; dual-hatted, March 2014 - May 2016, Deputy Commanding General, Training Support Division (East), First United States Army
25. June 2016 - July 2017, Chief of Staff, Kosovo Forces, Kosovo
26. August 2017 - February 2018, Special Assistant to the Vice, Chief, National Guard Bureau for Domestic Operations, Washington, DC
27. February 2018 - July 2018, Deputy Commanding General, US Army South, Fort Sam Houston, TX
28. July 2018 - Present, Chief of Staff, United States Southern Command, Doral, FL





Joe Bedessem: Mr. Bedessem is currently the Deputy Executive Director for the Bureau of Human Resources and has served in that capacity since 2017. Previously, Joe served as Management Officer at the U.S. Consulate General in Basrah, Iraq where he oversaw support to a population of over 900 direct hires and contractors in one of the Department's most expeditionary outposts. He will transfer in August 2019 to be Management Counselor at the United States Embassy in Madrid, Spain.

Joe has also served overseas in Sana'a, Yemen as Global Affairs Officer; Damascus, Syria as Vice Consul and Commercial Officer; Cairo, Egypt as General Services Officer; and in Baghdad, Iraq and Manila, Philippines as Senior Human Resources Officer.

Domestically, Joe has served as Staff Assistant in the bureau of South Central Asian Affairs, Deputy Assignments Officer in the Office of Career Development and Assignments, and as Coordinator of the Foreign Service Generalist Officer Orientation course (A-100) and as Director of the Orientation Division at the National Foreign Affairs Training Center, Foreign Service Institute.

Joe holds an MS in National Resource Strategy from the Eisenhower School of the National Defense University and a BS in Hotel, Restaurant, and Institutional Management from the Pennsylvania State University. Born and raised in the Washington, DC area, Joe and his wife Ekhlal live in Fairfax, VA with their two teenage sons.

Brigadier General Sean C. Bernabe



BG Sean Bernabe assumed his duties as the United States Army Europe G3/5/7 in June, 2018.

BG Bernabe earned his commission as an Infantryman from the United States Military Academy in 1992. As a junior officer he served in a variety of staff and command positions within the 325th Airborne Infantry Regiment and 26th Infantry Regiment. He also deployed to the Balkans in support of Operation Joint Endeavor, Operation Able Sentry, and Operation Joint Guard. He later served at PERSCOM as a Captains Assignment Officer and the Aide-de- Camp to the Commanding General.

Following his attendance at the Command and General Staff Officer Course and Advanced Military Studies Program, BG Bernabe was assigned to 3rd Infantry Division where he served as a Future Operations Officer (Multi-National Division Baghdad), Chief of Training, battalion Executive Officer, and Brigade Operations Officer (FOB KALSU in Babil Province, Iraq). In 2009, BG Bernabe was stationed at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas and served as the Director of Academic Operations for the Command and General Staff School. In 2010, he was assigned to 10th Mountain Division and commanded 2nd Battalion, 14th Infantry and later served as Deputy Commander of 1st Brigade Combat Team (Ghazni Province, Afghanistan). After graduating from the National War College in 2013, BG Bernabe assumed command of the 2nd Armored Brigade Combat Team, 1st Cavalry Division (Republic of Korea). In 2016, BG Bernabe assumed duties as the Commander, Operations Group (COG), Joint Readiness Training Center, Fort Polk, Louisiana. In 2017, he assumed his duties as Deputy Commanding General for 3rd Infantry Division.

BG Bernabe's civilian education includes a Bachelor of Science Degree in Electrical Engineering from the United States Military Academy, a Master's Degree in Military Art and Science from the School of Advanced Military Studies, and a Master's Degree in National Security Strategy from the National War College. His military badges and awards include the Combat Action Badge, Expert Infantryman Badge, Ranger Tab, Senior Parachutist Badge, Air Assault Badge, Legion of Merit with two Oak Leaf Clusters, and Bronze Star with two Oak Leaf Clusters. BG Sean Bernabe is married to the former Jayne Wanamaker of Lake Charles, LA. They have a 19 year old son named Jackson who is an ROTC cadet at the University of North Georgia.



United States European Command

Brigadier General Maria A. Biank **EUCOM J6 / Deputy J3 Cyber** **United States European Command**



BG Maria A. Biank assumed duties as the United States European Command J6/Deputy J3 Cyber on 13 July 2018.

BG Biank earned a regular Army commission as a Signal Officer through the ROTC program at The College of William and Mary, Williamsburg, VA. BG Biank's initial assignment was in Germany from 1991-1994 where she held the positions of Signal Communications Platoon Leader, 1st Battalion, 1st Air Defense Artillery (HAWK), 32d Army Air Defense Command (AADCOM), and Platoon Leader, 11th Air Defense Signal Battalion, 32d AADCOM (later 413th Signal Company, 94th ADA Brigade, 32d AADCOM). From 1995-2002, she served as Assistant Operations Officer (S3) and Commander, Delta Company, 51st Signal Battalion (Airborne), 35th Signal Brigade (Airborne), Fort Bragg, NC; S6, 524th Military Intelligence Battalion, 501st Military Intelligence Brigade, Yongsan, Korea; Action Officer, G6, Intelligence and Security Command, Fort Belvoir, VA; and Intern, eArmyU program, Assistant Secretary of the Army, Manpower and Reserve Affairs with simultaneous duty as a White House Social Aide.

From 2003-2006, BG Biank was assigned as the Deputy G6, 4th Infantry Division, Tikrit, Iraq; Executive Officer, 13th Signal Battalion, 1st Cavalry Division, Baghdad, Iraq; and Deputy G6, 1st Cavalry Division, Fort Hood, TX and during Operations Katrina and Rita. In 2006, she served as the Executive Assistant to the Director, Defense Information Systems Agency and Commander, Joint Task Force Global Network Operations, Arlington, VA. From 2008-2011, she served as the G6, 3rd Infantry Division, Tikrit, Iraq and Fort Stewart, GA; followed by an assignment on the 37th CSA's transition team and the Army Staff, G3/5/7 LandWarNet Division, Washington, DC. From 2012-2014, she commanded the 93rd Signal Brigade, Fort Eustis, VA, responsible for 34 Army Network Enterprise Centers east of the Mississippi River.

After command, BG Biank was assigned to Fort Meade, MD at the Joint Force Headquarters – DoD Information Networks as the J3 and later served as the Executive Officer to the Headquarters Department of the Army Chief Information Officer and G6 in the Pentagon. Prior to her EUCOM assignment, she was the G3, Army Cyber Command, Fort Belvoir, VA.

BG Biank's education includes a Bachelor of Arts degree in History, The College of William and Mary; a Master's degree in Military History, US Army Command and General Staff College; and a Master's Degree in National Resource Strategy, Industrial College of the Armed Forces. She is a graduate of the U.S. Army Signal Officer Basic and Advanced Courses, the US Army Command and General Staff College, and the National Defense University's Industrial College of the Armed Forces.

BG Biank's military awards and decorations include the Defense Superior Service Medal (1OLC), Legion of Merit (2OLC), Bronze Star (2OLC), Meritorious Service Medal (4OLC), Army Commendation Medal (2OLC), Army Achievement Medal (1OLC), National Defense Service Medal (1 Star), Armed Forces Service Medal, Iraqi Campaign Medal (2 Stars), Global War on Terrorism Medals (Expeditionary and Service), Korean Defense Service Medal, Humanitarian Service Medal, Army Service Medal, and Overseas Service Medal (Numeral 5). She is authorized to wear the Meritorious Unit Citation, the Army Staff Identification Badge, and the Parachutist Badge. She has been awarded the Bronze Order of Mercury and the Noble Patron of Armor.



U.S. Army Mission and Installation Contracting Command

Brigadier General William M. Boruff

Commanding General

Brigadier General William M. Boruff is the commanding general of the Mission and Installation Contracting Command at Joint Base San Antonio-Fort Sam Houston, Texas. The MICC, a subordinate command to the U.S. Army Contracting Command, provides Army commands, installations and activities with responsive contracting solutions and oversight. It is made up of more than 1,500 Soldiers and Army civilians at two brigades, two field directorate offices, 30 field-level contracting offices and nine battalions located throughout the United States and Puerto Rico.

Prior to arriving at the MICC, Brigadier General Boruff served as the chief of the Capabilities and Acquisition Division within the J8 Joint Staff at the Pentagon in Washington.



Brigadier General Boruff was commissioned as a second lieutenant in Field Artillery from the ROTC program at the University of North Carolina at Pembroke, North Carolina, where he received a Bachelor of Science in Accounting as a distinguished military graduate. He joined the Army Acquisition Corps in 1995.

His advanced education includes a Master of Science in Acquisition and Contract Management, Florida Institute of Technology, Melbourne, Florida. His military education includes a Master of Science in Strategic Studies from the U.S. Army War College; Air Command and Staff College Course; Support Operations Course; Transportation Corps Advance Course; Multiple Launch Rocket System Cadre Course; and Field Artillery Basic Course.

Brigadier General Boruff has held numerous command and staff positions. His assignments include assignment officer, Acquisition Management Branch, U.S. Army Human Resources Command, Alexandria, Virginia; executive officer to the Director, U.S. Army Acquisition Support Center, Fort Belvoir, Virginia; proponent officer, Army Acquisition Executive Support Agency, Pentagon; contingency contracting officer, XVIII Airborne Corps, Fort Bragg, North Carolina; commander, Defense Contract Management Agency-Northern Iraq; deputy director, USAASC; commander, Defense Contract Management Agency, Combat Vehicles BAE Systems, York, Pennsylvania; project manager, Transportation Systems; director, Contracting Enabler Cell, Combined Security Transition Command-Afghanistan.

His awards and decorations include the Legion of Merit, Bronze Star with two oak leaf clusters, Defense Meritorious Service Medal, Meritorious Service Medal with four oak leaf clusters, Joint Service Commendation Medal, Southwest Asia Service Medal, Afghanistan and Iraq Campaign Medals, Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, NATO-International Security Assistance Force Medal (Afghanistan), Saudi Arabian Kuwaiti Liberation Medal, and Kuwaiti Liberation Medal. He is authorized to wear the Army Parachute Badge, Air Assault Badge and Army Staff Identification Badge. In fiscal 1997, he was awarded the Secretary of the Army Award for Excellence in Contracting-Outstanding Contingency Contracting Officer; and in fiscal 2009 he was named the Secretary of the Army Acquisition Director of the Year.

Brigadier General Jonathan P. Braga **Commander, Special Operations Command, Pacific**

Brigadier General Braga assumed command as Commander, Special Operations Command, Pacific on 27 July 2018.

Brigadier General Jonathan P. Braga was born in Attleboro, MA in June 1969. He attended the United States Military Academy and was commissioned as an Infantry Officer in 1991.

BG Braga served in multiple positions as an Infantry Officer as part of the 2nd Infantry Division in Korea and the 11th Armored Cavalry Regiment at the National Training Center, Fort Irwin, Ca.

Following these assignments he graduated from the Special Forces Qualification Course and went on to serve in multiple command positions in the 7th Special Forces Group (Airborne) at Fort Bragg, North Carolina and in Roosevelt Roads, Puerto Rico from 1995-2001. He completed numerous



deployments and humanitarian relief operations throughout the Caribbean, Central America, and South America. Upon completion of this tour he returned to Fort Bragg, NC to serve in a United States Army Special Operations Command (USASOC) Special Mission Unit (SMU) and completed multiple deployments as a Task Force Commander to Afghanistan and Iraq for OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM and OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM and OPERATION WILLING SPIRIT in Colombia from 2002-2005. He then achieved his Masters at the Naval War College at Newport, RI. Following this assignment, he served as the Operations Officer for the Joint Reconnaissance Task Force as part of Joint Special Operations Command (JSOC) in Washington, DC and deployed to lead a Special Operations Task Force deployed across three Geographical Commands from 2006-2008.

He then returned to Fort Bragg, NC and served in several command and staff positions in the same USASOC SMU from 2008-2012. In this assignment he completed multiple deployments to Iraq as a Task Force Commander. BG Braga

went on to serve as an Army War College Special Operations Fellow at the Naval Post Graduate School in Monterey, CA.

BG Braga served as the Garrison Commander of the National Training Center in Fort Irwin, CA from 2013-2015 and subsequently as the Chief of Staff at JSOC from 2015-2017. BG Braga most recently served as the Director of Operations, Combined Joint Task Force—Operation Inherent Resolve (CJTF-OIR), Iraq.

Brigadier General Lance “Gipper” Bunch

Deputy Director, Transregional Threats Coordination Cell, Joint Staff J5

Brig. Gen. Lance R. Bunch is the Deputy Director, Transregional Threats Coordination Cell (T2C2), Joint Staff J5, Pentagon, Arlington, Va. The T2C2 supports the Chairman’s global integration efforts, and enables the Combatant Commander’s to effectively address transregional threats and their enabling networks by coordinating and synchronizing the Joint Force. T2C2 is also charged with coordinating and collaborating the Joint Force’s activities with interagency partners and integrating partner nation military efforts into a unified transregional strategic approach.



General Bunch was commissioned upon graduation from the United States Air Force Academy in 1992. His flying assignments include operational tours in the F-15E, F-15C and B-52, and also instructing in the T-38A/C. General Bunch’s command tours include leading combat missions as Commander of the 335th Fighter Squadron at Seymour Johnson Air Force Base, N.C., and the 80th Flying Training Wing at Sheppard AFB, Texas, which conducts the Euro-NATO Joint Jet Pilot Training Program, the world’s only internationally manned and managed Undergraduate Pilot Training program. His staff assignments include tours at U.S. Pacific Command, the Joint Staff as a Chief of Staff of the Air Force Fellow, U.S. Central Command, United States Forces Afghanistan and the Office of the Secretary of Defense.

General Bunch is a command pilot with more than 3,500 flying hours in the F-15C/E, B-52G/H, and T-38A/C. His operational experiences include Operations Northern Watch, Enduring Freedom, Noble Eagle and Resolute Support/Freedom Sentinel.

EDUCATION

1992 Bachelor of Science in History, United States Air Force Academy, Colo.
1997 Master of Aeronautical Science, Embry-Riddle University
1998 Squadron Officer School, Maxwell AFB, Ala.
2003 Air Command and Staff College, by correspondence
2006 College of Naval Command and Staff, Naval Station Newport, R.I.
2006 Maritime Advanced Warfare School (MAWS), Naval Station Newport, R.I.
2007 Air War College, by correspondence
2011 Industrial College of the Armed Forces, National Defense University, Washington, D.C.

ASSIGNMENTS

1. May 1992 - July 1993, student, Specialized Undergraduate Pilot Training, Reese AFB, Texas
2. July 1993 - March 1994, student, B-52 Combat Crew Training School, Castle AFB, Calif.
3. March 1994 - February 1996, B-52H Copilot, 23rd and 72nd Bomb Squadrons, Minot AFB, N.D.
4. February 1996 - June 1996, student, T-38 Pilot Instructor Training, Randolph AFB, Texas
5. June 1996 - November 1998, Assistant Flight Commander, 87th Flying Training Squadron; Wing Programmer, 47th Operational Support Squadron, Laughlin AFB, Texas
6. November 1998 - May 1999, Executive Officer, 560th Flying Training Squadron, Randolph AFB, TX
7. June 1999 - January 2000, Student, F-15C Upgrade Training, Tyndall AFB, Fla.

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8. January 2000 - February 2003, Flight Commander, 67th Fighter Squadron; Chief, Fighter Plans, 18th Operational Support Squadron, Kadena AB, Japan
9. March 2003 - March 2004, Action Officer, J33, U.S. Pacific Command, Camp H.M. Smith, HI
10. March 2004 - June 2005, Executive Officer to the J3, U.S. Pacific Command, Camp H.M. Smith, HI
11. July 2005 – September 2006, student, College of Naval Command and Staff and Maritime Advanced Warfare School (MAWS), Naval Station Newport, R.I.
12. October 2006 - April 2007, Assistant Director of Operations, 335th Fighter Squadron, Seymour Johnson AFB, N.C.
13. May 2007 - April 2008, Director of Operations, 336th Fighter Squadron, Seymour Johnson AFB, N.C.
14. May 2008 - February 2010, Commander, 335th Fighter Squadron, Seymour Johnson AFB, N.C.
15. March 2010 - June 2010, Deputy Commander, 4th Operations Group, Seymour Johnson AFB, N.C.
16. July 2010 - June 2011, Student, Industrial College of the Armed Forces, Ft. McNair, Washington, D.C.
17. June 2011 - January 2013, CSAF Fellow, Joint Chiefs Strategy Working Group, Pentagon, Va.
18. January 2013 - March 2013, Student, T-38 Pilot Instructor Training, Sheppard AFB, Texas
19. March 2013 - February 2015, Commander, 80th Flying Training Wing, Sheppard AFB, Texas
20. March 2015 - March 2016, Executive Officer to the Commander, U.S. Central Command, MacDill
21. March 2016 – September 2017, Principal Military Assistant to the Secretary of Defense, Office of the Secretary of Defense, Pentagon, Arlington, Va.
22. September 2017 – July 2018, Director, Future Operations CJ35, Resolute Support Headquarters, Kabul, Afghanistan
23. July 2018 – August 2018, Assistant Deputy Commander for Air and Vice Commander, 9th Air and Space Expeditionary Task Force – Afghanistan, Resolute Support Headquarters, Kabul, Afghanistan
24. September 2018 – present, Deputy Director, Transregional Threats Coordination Cell, Joint Staff, Pentagon, Arlington, Va.

SUMMARY OF JOINT ASSIGNMENTS

1. March 2003 - June 2005, Action Officer and then Executive Officer to the J3, U.S. Pacific Command, Camp H.M. Smith, Hawaii, as a major
2. March 2015 - March 2016, Executive Officer to the Commander, U.S. Central Command, MacDill AFB, Fla., as a colonel
3. March 2016 – September 2017, Principal Military Assistant to the Secretary of Defense, Office of the Secretary of Defense, Pentagon, Arlington, Va., as a colonel and brigadier general
4. September 2017 – July 2018, Director, Future Operations CJ35, Resolute Support Headquarters, Kabul, Afghanistan
5. July 2018 – August 2018, Assistant Deputy Commander for Air and Vice Commander 9th Air and Space Expeditionary Task Force – Afghanistan, Resolute Support Headquarters, Kabul, Afghanistan
6. September 2018 – present, Deputy Director, Transregional Threats Coordination Cell, Joint Staff, Pentagon, Arlington, Va.

FLIGHT INFORMATION

Rating: Command Pilot

Flight hours: More than 3,500

Aircraft flown: F-15C/E, B-52G/H, and T-38A/C

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Defense Superior Service Medal with two oak leaf clusters

Legion of Merit

Brigadier General Lance “Gipper” Bunch

Deputy Director, Transregional Threats Coordination Cell, Joint Staff J5

Bronze Star

Defense Meritorious Service Medal with one oak leaf cluster

Meritorious Service Medal with one oak leaf cluster

Air Medal with three oak leaf clusters

Aerial Achievement Medal

Joint Service Commendation Medal

Air Force Commendation Medal with two oak leaf clusters

Air Force Achievement Medal

Air Force Combat Action Medal

EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION

Second Lieutenant, May 27, 1992

First Lieutenant, May 27, 1994

Captain, May 27, 1996

Major, January 1, 2003

Lieutenant Colonel, December 1, 2006

Colonel, October 1, 2010

Brigadier General, July 4, 2017

Brigadier General Windsor S. “Shane” Buzza
Commanding General
91st Training Division

Brigadier General Shane Buzza is the Commanding General of the 91st Training Division in Fort Hunter Liggett, California. Prior to this July 2018 assignment, General Buzza served as the Deputy Commander of the 84th Training Command in Fort Knox, Kentucky.

General Buzza received his commission as a Second Lieutenant in Field Artillery from the United States Military Academy at West Point, New York, on 25 May 1988. His prior assignments include Chief of Staff of Pacific Training Division, Camp Parks, CA; Brigade Commander, 2nd Brigade, Pacific Division, Lakewood, Colorado; multiple staff assignments with 5th Brigade, 75th Division from 2009 thru 2014; Battalion Commander, 3-356th Logistic Support Battalion (LSB), 402d FA Brigade, Division West, First Army from 2006-09; LSB Battalion S3 and S4 from 1999-2006; HHD Commander, 3rd Brigade, 91st Division (EX) 1997-99 and OPFOR Controller, Battle Projection Group, 1st Brigade, 91st Division (EX) 1995-97.



General Buzza's Regular Army assignments include various positions with 7/15 Field Artillery, 7th Infantry Division (Light) in Fort Ord, CA from 1988 thru 1991, including Battery Executive Officer (HHB and B Batteries), Supply/Maintenance Platoon Leader, B Battery Fire Direction Officer (deployed in support of Operation Just Cause in Panama from November 1989 thru January 1990) and Company Fire Support Officer. He transitioned from the Regular Army to the U.S. Army Reserve in 1991. Following the events of September 11, 2001, he served two stateside tours totaling 44 months. He has served in Japan during Yama Sakura 67 and the Republic of Korea nine times supporting Ulchi Freedom Guardian, Key Resolve and Dong Maeng exercises.

General Buzza attended Airborne School in the summer of 1986 while a Second Class Cadet at the Military Academy, then proceeded to Augsburg, Germany where he earned the German Armed Forces Proficiency Badge in bronze while on a multi-national exercise with the Federal Republic of Germany's 565 Panzer Artillerie Battalion. He holds a Bachelor of Science in Mathematics from West Point, Master of Physical Therapy and Master of Arts in Physical Education degrees from California State University, Fresno, and a Master of Strategic Studies degree from the US Army War College in Carlisle Barracks, Pennsylvania. His military education includes Field and Cannon Artillery Officer Basic Courses, Advanced Course (Honor Graduate), Combined Arms and Services Staff School, Command and General Staff College, Advanced Joint Professional Military Education, the U.S. Army War College, Department of Distance Education and the Panama Jungle Warfare Course.

General Buzza's awards and decorations include the Legion of Merit, Meritorious Service Medal with seven oak leaf clusters, Army Commendation Medal with seven oak leaf clusters, Army Achievement Medal with three oak leaf clusters, Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, Korean Defense Service Medal, Army Superior Unit Award, Military Outstanding Volunteer Service Medal, and Parachutist Badge.

General Buzza is a licensed and practicing physical therapist in Carmel Valley, California, where he and his wife Beth of 25 years, a certified personal trainer and masseuse, reside with their two sons Jacob and Zac. His hobbies include running marathons and triathlons.



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UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

BRIGADIER GENERAL J. DANIEL CAINE



Brig. Gen. J. Daniel Caine concurrently serves as the Deputy Commanding General, United States Central Command's Special Operation Component and as the deployed Deputy Commanding General (Forward) – Operation Inherent Resolve in Iraq.

General Caine was commissioned in 1990 through the ROTC program at the Virginia Military Institute. He served in various operational, staff, and joint assignments, primarily as an F-16 instructor pilot, Weapons Officer, member of the White House staff, and special operations officer. He has served Air Combat Command, U.S. Central Command, U.S. Special Operations Command, and at the District of Columbia National Guard in Washington, D.C. He has commanded a joint special operations air directorate, a joint task force, and a group. General Caine is a Command Pilot with more than 2,800 hours in the F-16 and has served as a Joint Terminal Attack Controller in a special mission unit assigned to the U.S. Special Operations Command.

Prior to his current assignment, General Caine was an Assistant Commanding General at the Joint Special Operations Command.

EDUCATION:

1990 Bachelor of Arts degree in economics, Virginia Military Institute, Lexington, Va.
1998 Squadron Officer School, by correspondence
1999 Air Force Weapons School Instructor Course, Nellis Air Force Base, Nev.
2001 Air Force Air to Ground Operations School, Nellis Air Force Base, Nev.
2004 Air Command and Staff College, by correspondence
2005 Master of Arts degree in air warfare, American Military University, Charles Town, W.Va.
2006 White House Fellow, Air Force Fellows Program, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D.C.
2012 NORAD/NORTHCOM Joint Task Force Commander Training Course, Peterson Air Force Base, Colo.
2012 Senior Leaders Maintenance Course, Washington, D.C.

ASSIGNMENTS:

1. November 1992 – December 1993, Student, EURO-NATO Undergraduate Pilot Training, 80th Flying Training Wing, Sheppard Air Force Base, Texas
2. January 1994 – April 1994, F-16 Pilot/Assistant Training Officer/Scheduling Officer, 138th Fighter Squadron, Syracuse Air National Guard Base, N.Y.
3. April 1994 – June 1995, F-16 Pilot/Assistant Weapons Officer, 138th Fighter Squadron, Syracuse Air National Guard Base, N.Y.
4. June 1995 – November 1995, F-16 Instructor Pilot/Chief of Scheduling and Training, 138th Fighter Squadron, Syracuse Air National Guard Base, N.Y.
5. November 1995 – April 1998, F-16 Instructor Pilot/Chief of Training, 138th Fighter Squadron, Syracuse Air National Guard Base, N.Y.
6. April 1998 – July 1998, F-16 Instructor Pilot/Chief of Weapons, 138th Fighter Squadron, Syracuse Air National Guard Base, N.Y.
7. July 1998 – January 1999, F-16 Instructor Pilot/Chief of Weapons, 121st Fighter Squadron, Andrews Air Force Base, Md.
8. January 1999 – June 1999, Student, F-16 Fighter Weapons School, 57th Fighter Wing, Nellis Air Force Base, Nev.
9. June 1999 – November 2001, F-16 Instructor Pilot/Flight Commander/Chief of Weapons and Tactics, 121st Fighter Squadron, Andrews Air Force Base, Md.
10. November 2001 – February 2002, F-16 Mission Commander/Chief of Group Weapons and Tactics, 332d Air Expeditionary Group, Ahmed Al Jaber Air Base, Kuwait
11. February 2002 – January 2003, Counter SCUD Project Officer, United States Central Command, MacDill Air Force Base, Fla.
12. January 2003 – May 2003, F-16 Mission Commander/Flight Commander/Chief of Wing Weapons and Tactics, 410th Air Expeditionary Wing, Location Masked
13. May 2003 – January 2005, Chief of Weapons and Current Operations, ANG AFRC Test Center, Tucson Air National Guard Base, Ariz.
14. January 2005 – August 2005, Director of Operations, ANG AFRC Test Center, Tucson Air National Guard Base, Ariz.
15. August 2005 – September 2006, White House Fellow, Special Assistant to the Secretary, United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D.C.
16. October 2006 – January 2008, Policy Director for Counterterrorism and Strategy, White House Homeland Security Council, Executive Office of the President, Washington, D.C.
17. January 2008 – July 2008, J3 and Commander, Joint Special Operations Task Force – Air Directorate, Balad,

Iraq

18. July 2008 – November 2010, F-16 Instructor Pilot/Mission Commander, 121st Fighter Squadron, Andrews Air Force Base, Md. (July 2008 – March 2010, Special Tactics Air Liaison Officer, 24th Special Tactics Squadron, Joint Special Operations Command, Pope Air Force Base, N.C.)

19. November 2010 – June 2012, Director of Operations (A3)/Deputy Director of Joint Operations (J3), Joint Force Headquarters, District of Columbia Air National Guard, Washington, D.C.

20. June 2012 – June 2014, Commander, 113th Maintenance Group, Joint Base Andrews, Md.

21. June 2014 – May 2016, Director of Joint Operations and Training (J3), Joint Force Headquarters, District of Columbia National Guard, Washington, D.C.

22. May 2016 – Jun 2016, Deputy Commanding General, Air, Joint Force Headquarters, District of Columbia Air National Guard, Washington D.C.

23. June 2016 – May 2018, Assistant to the Vice Commander, United States Special Operations Command, Special Operations Command Washington Office, The Pentagon, Arlington, Va. and Assistant Commanding General, Joint Special Operations Command, United States Special Operations Command, Fort Bragg, N.C.

24. May 2018 – Present, Deputy Commanding General, United States Central Command Special Operations Component and Deputy Commanding General – Operation Inherent Resolve (Iraq). (Concurrently)

SUMMARY OF JOINT ASSIGNMENTS

1. February 2002 – January 2003, Counter SCUD Project Officer, United States Central Command, MacDill Air Force Base, Fla., as a major

2. August 2005 – September 2006, White House Fellow, Special Assistant to the Secretary, United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D.C., as a lieutenant colonel

3. October 2006 – January 2008, Policy Director of Counterterrorism and Strategy, White House Homeland Security Council, Washington, D.C., as a lieutenant colonel

4. January 2008 – July 2008, J3 and Commander, Joint Special Operations Task Force Air Directorate, Balad, Iraq, as a lieutenant colonel

5. June 2016 – Present, Assistant to the Vice Commander, United States Special Operations Command, Washington Office, as a Brigadier General and Assistant Commanding General, Joint Special Operations Command, Fort Bragg, N.C., as a Brigadier General.

6. May 2018 – Present, Deputy Commanding General, United States Central Command – Special Operations Component and Deputy Commanding General – Special Operations Joint Task Force – Operation Inherent Resolve (Iraq) as a Brigadier General.

FLIGHT INFORMATION:

Rating: Command Pilot

Flight Hours: 2,800 hours, including more than 100 combat hours

Aircrafts Flown: T-37, T-38, F-16

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS:

Distinguished Flying Cross

Bronze Star with one bronze oak leaf cluster

Defense Meritorious Service Medal

Meritorious Service Medal

Air Medal with one bronze oak leaf cluster

Aerial Achievement Medal

Air Force Commendation Medal with two bronze oak leaf clusters

Joint Service Achievement Medal

Air Force Achievement Medal

Air Force Outstanding Unit Award with "V" device and four bronze oak leaf clusters
Combat Readiness Medal
National Defense Service Medal with one bronze campaign star
Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal
Global War on Terrorism Service Medal
Air Force Longevity Service Award with three bronze oak leaf clusters
Armed Forces Reserve Medal with hourglass device
Air Force Training Ribbon
Presidential Service Badge

PUBLICATIONS:

The Air Force Book, The Air Force Association, September 11th vignette
Concept of Operations for the location, identification and destruction of SCUD Missiles, OIF, 2003
Hurricane Katrina Lessons Learned Report, The White House, March 2006
The National Strategy for Homeland Security, The White House, Oct 2007

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS:

1992 Distinguished Graduate, EURO-NATO Undergraduate Pilot Training
1999 Outstanding Graduate, USAF F-16 Weapons School
2001 Mission Commander over Washington, D.C. on September 11th
2003 Mission Commander on the first night of Operation Iraqi Freedom
2004 Lieutenant General Claire Chennault Award as the Air Force's Outstanding Aerial Tactician
Multiple Civilian Pilot Ratings, including Air Transport Pilot

EFFECTIVE DATE OF PROMOTION:

Second Lieutenant 1 October 1990
First Lieutenant 1 October 1993
Captain 10 October 1995
Major 28 December 2000
Lieutenant Colonel 8 April 2005
Colonel 10 January 2011
Brigadier General 5 May 2016

(Current as of August 2018)



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UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

BRIGADIER GENERAL HEATH A. COLLINS

Brig. Gen. Heath A. Collins is the Program Executive Officer for Fighters and Bombers, Air Force Life Cycle Management Center, Air Force Materiel Command, Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Ohio. He is responsible for development, production, fielding, sustainment, and modernization of the fighters and bombers portfolio, which includes the A-10, A-29, B-1, B-2, B-52, F-15, F-16, F-22, and special programs. He is also responsible for organizing, training and equipping the B-21 and F-35 System Program Office.

General Collins entered the Air Force in 1993 receiving his commission through the ROTC program at Clarkson University. His career has spanned a variety of command, acquisition, space, test, operations, and staff assignments encompassing air-to-air missiles, electronic countermeasures, space, radar, ISR, nuclear, fighter, and bomber systems. He has served in numerous program management and senior leader positions including Program Manager, Wideband Global Satellite Communications (SATCOM), Block 1 Program, Deputy Commander of the Wideband SATCOM Group, Commander, Space Based Infrared System Space Squadron, Senior Materiel Leader and Deputy Director for the Infrared Space Systems Directorate, and the Remote Sensing Systems Directorate. General Collins has also served in the Office of the Under Secretary of Defense for Intelligence, overseeing the department's Airborne ISR, Space, and Special Programs. He is a graduate of the Air Command and Staff College and the Industrial College of the Armed Forces. He also holds Masters degrees from the Florida State University, the Air University, and the National Defense University.



Prior to assuming his current duties, General Collins served as the Senior Materiel Leader and System Program Manager for the Ground Based Strategic Deterrent program office, Air Force Nuclear Weapons Center, Air Force Materiel Command, Hill Air Force Base, Utah. He was responsible for the development, deployment, and sustainment of a combined \$85 billion portfolio of next-generation Intercontinental Ballistic Missile systems, providing the nation's strategic deterrent and global strike capabilities.

EDUCATION

- 1993 Bachelor of Science degree in Electrical Engineering, Clarkson University, Potsdam, NY
- 1996 Master of Science degree in Electrical Engineering, Florida State University, Panama City, FL
- 1997 Squadron Officer School, Maxwell AFB, AL
- 2004 Air Command and Staff College by correspondence
- 2006 Air Command and Staff College, Maxwell AFB, AL
- 2006 Master of Military Operational Art and Science degree, Air University, Maxwell AFB, AL
- 2008 Air War College by correspondence
- 2009 The Program Manager's Course, Defense Acquisition University, Fort Belvoir, VA
- 2011 Master of Science degree in National Resource Strategy, Industrial College of the Armed Forces, Fort Lesley J. McNair, Washington, DC
- 2011 Senior Acquisition Course, National Defense University, Fort Lesley J. McNair, Washington, DC
- 2013 The Executive Program Manager's Course, Defense Acquisition University, Fort Belvoir, VA
- 2015 Enterprise Perspective Seminar, Alan L. Freed Associates, Washington, DC
- 2016 Leadership Development Program, Center for Creative Leadership, San Diego, CA

ASSIGNMENTS

1. September 1993 – January 1994, Missile Analyst, 83rd Fighter Weapons Squadron, Tyndall AFB, FL
2. January 1994 – August 1997, Advanced Missile Flt Test Engineer, 83rd Fighter Weapons Squadron, Tyndall AFB, FL
3. August 1997 – July 1998, Education with Industry Student, Sanders, A Lockheed Martin Company, Nashua, NH
4. July 1998 – December 1998, Command and Control Engineer, 4th Space Operations Squadron, Schriever AFB, CO
5. December 1998 – November 1999, Chief, Command and Control Engineering, 4th Space Operations Squadron, Schriever AFB, CO
6. December 1999 – October 2000, Chief, Engineering, 4th Space Operations Squadron, Schriever AFB, CO
7. November 2000 – June 2001, Ops Support Flight Commander, 4th Space Operations Squadron, Schriever AFB, CO
8. June 2001 – July 2003, Manager, Advanced Satellite Payloads, National Reconnaissance Office, Chantilly, VA
9. July 2003 – August 2005, Chief, Vehicle Engineering, National Reconnaissance Office, Chantilly, VA
10. August 2005 – June 2006, Student, Air Command and Staff College, Maxwell AFB, AL
11. June 2006 – April 2007, Chief Engineer, Wideband Satellite Communications, Wideband Satellite Communications Group, Los Angeles AFB, CA
12. April 2007 – January 2008, Program Manager, Wideband Global Satellite Communications Block I Program, Wideband Satellite Communications Group, Los Angeles AFB, CA
13. January 2008 – April 2008, Deputy Commander, Wideband Satellite Communications Group, Los Angeles AFB, CA
14. April 2008 – June 2010, Commander, Space-based Infrared Systems Space Squadron, Los Angeles AFB, CA
15. July 2010 – June 2011, Student, Industrial College of the Armed Forces, National Defense University, Fort Lesley J. McNair, Washington, DC
16. June 2011 – June 2012, Deputy Director, Airborne ISR Programs, ISR Programs, Office of the Under Secretary of Defense for Intelligence, Washington, DC
17. June 2012 – June 2013, Deputy Director, Space and Special Programs, Battlespace Awareness and Program Assessment, Office of the Under Secretary of Defense for Intelligence, Washington, DC
18. July 2013 – November 2014, Deputy Director, Senior Materiel Leader, Infrared Space Systems Directorate, Space and Missile Systems Center, Los Angeles AFB, CA
19. November 2014 – February 2016, Deputy Director, Senior Materiel Leader, Remote Sensing Systems Directorate, Space and Missile Systems Center, Los Angeles AFB, CA
20. February 2016 – March 2018, System Program Manager, Senior Materiel Leader, Ground Based Strategic Deterrent, Air Force Nuclear Weapons Center, Hill AFB, UT
21. March 2018 – Present, Program Executive Officer for Fighters and Bombers, Air Force Life Cycle Management Center, Air Force Materiel Command, Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio

SUMMARY OF JOINT ASSIGNMENTS

June 2011 – June 2012, Deputy Director, Airborne ISR Programs, ISR Programs, Office of the Under Secretary of Defense for Intelligence, Washington, DC

June 2012 – June 2013, Deputy Director, Space and Special Programs, Battlespace Awareness and Program Assessment, Office of the Under Secretary of Defense for Intelligence, Washington, DC

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Legion of Merit

Defense Meritorious Service Medal with two oak leaf clusters

Meritorious Service Medal with oak leaf cluster

Joint Service Commendation Medal

Air Force Commendation Medal

Air Force Achievement Medal with oak leaf cluster

Joint Meritorious Unit Award

Air Force Outstanding Unit Award with oak leaf cluster

Air Force Organizational Excellence Award with two oak leaf clusters

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS

2006 Distinguished graduate, Air Command and Staff College

2016 Air Force ACAT I Program Manager of the Year

2017 Air Force Nuclear Deterrence Operations Professional Team of the Year

EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION

Second Lieutenant 20 July 1993

First Lieutenant 20 July 1995

Captain 20 July 1997

Major 01 Dec 2003

Lieutenant Colonel	01 Jun 2008
Colonel	01 Oct 2013
Brigadier General	02 Oct 2018

(Current as of May 2019)

Brigadier General Robert S. Cooley, Jr

Brigadier General Robert S. Cooley, Jr is the Commanding General of the 353rd Civil Affairs Command, one of four Army Reserve Civil Affairs Commands. BG Cooley graduated from the United States Military Academy (USMA) at West Point, NY with a Bachelor of Science degree in Chemistry in 1989. In 1999, he received his Masters in Business Administration from the Kenan-Flagler Business School at the University of North Carolina - Chapel Hill. He later received his Masters in Strategic Studies from the United States Army War College, Carlisle, PA in 2012. BG Cooley is a graduate of the Field Artillery Officer Basic and Advanced Course, the Senior Transportation Officer Qualification Course, the Civil Affairs Qualification Course, the Combined Arms and Services Staff School, and the Command General Staff College. He completed the Advanced Joint Professional Military Education Course at the Joint Forces Staff College in 2013.



Commissioned as a 2LT in the Field Artillery, BG Cooley has served in a variety of command and staff positions throughout the active duty and Army Reserves. After completing the Field Artillery Officer Basic Course in 1989, he held several positions in the 25th Infantry Division (L) at Schofield Barracks, HI to include Fire Direction Officer for Fox Battery, 7th Field Artillery Regiment; Fire Support Officer in Company, 4th Battalion, 22nd Infantry Regiment, and Executive Officer for B Battery, 11th Field Artillery Regiment. He transitioned to the US Army Reserve where he commanded the 993rd Transportation Company in Wilmington, NC. He then commanded the 1355th Transportation Railway Operating Company in Southport, NC. He was a Vessel Chief in the 1173rd Transportation Brigade Brockton, MA; a planning team chief in 360th Civil Affairs Brigade (Airborne), Charleston, SC; and the Operations Officer for the 1st Training Brigade, United States Civil Affairs and Psychological Operations Command (Airborne) at Fort Bragg, NC.

Over his career, BG Cooley served in numerous assignments supporting the Global War on Terror. In 2005, he deployed to Baghdad, Iraq supporting Operation Iraqi Freedom as the Operations Officer for the 448th Civil Affairs Battalion, Fort Lewis, WA. In 2006 assumed the role of civil affairs planner in the Multinational Forces – Iraq (MNF-I) Civil Military Operations Directorate in Baghdad, Iraq. In 2009 he deployed supporting Operation Enduring Freedom as the Deputy Commander for the Provincial Reconstruction Team (PRT) Khost, Afghanistan. Upon redeployment from Afghanistan in 2010, he assumed command of the 422nd Civil Affairs Battalion in Greensboro, NC. Upon successful completion of command, BG Cooley assumed the Chief of Staff position at the 352d Civil Affairs Command at Fort Meade, MD. In June 2014 he assumed command of the 1st Mobilization Support Group (1MSG) at Fort Totten, NY. Following the successful completion of command, he assumed the role of Deputy Commander, 85th Support Command, Arlington Heights, Illinois in June 2016.

BG Cooley's awards include the Legion of Merit, the Bronze Star (with 1 Oak Leaf Cluster), the Meritorious Service Medal (with 3 Oak Leaf Clusters), the Army Commendation Medal, the Army Achievement Medal (with 3 Oak Leaf Clusters), the Army Reserve Component Achievement Medal (with 4 Oak Leaf Clusters), the National Defense Service Medal (with 1 Bronze Star), the Armed Forces Reserve Medal (with mobilization M and 1 Bronze Star), the Army Service Ribbon, the Overseas Service Ribbon (with 2 Bronze Stars), the Afghanistan Campaign Medal (with 1 campaign star), the Iraqi Campaign Medal (with 2 campaign stars), the Global War on Terror Service Medal, the Joint Meritorious Unit Award, the Army Superior Unit Award, the NATO Article 5 Award, the Combat Action Badge, the Parachutist Badge, the Air Assault Badge and the United States Army Civil Affairs Corps Order of Cincinnatus. He resides in Wilmington, North Carolina with his wife Jeannie and their two children, Robbie and Abby.



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UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

BRIGADIER GENERAL DOUGLAS S. COPPINGER

Brig. Gen. Douglas S. Coppinger is the Director of Intelligence, U.S Cyber Command at Fort George G. Meade, Maryland. In this position, he serves as the principal intelligence adviser to the U.S. Cyber Command Commander. He coordinates intelligence functions in support of the command's Department of Defense computer network attack and computer network defense missions. General Coppinger previously served as the commander of the National Security Agency/Central Security Service Texas (NSAT).

After a decade of service as a cryptologic linguist, General Coppinger earned his commission as Honor Graduate from Officer Training School in 1993. He is a career Intelligence Officer, a Network Attack Specialist, a Latin American Foreign Area Officer (FAO), and has served in various key leadership positions at the tactical, operational and strategic levels.

General Coppinger has deployed to Bogota, Colombia; Dhahran, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia; Tuzla, Bosnia and Herzegovina; Baghdad, Iraq; Al Udeid, Qatar; and Camp Arifjan, Kuwait in support of Operations Southern Watch, Joint Forge, Iraqi Freedom, New Dawn, Enduring Freedom, the Combined Joint Task Force – Horn of Africa, and the Combined Joint Task Force – Operation Inherent Resolve.



EDUCATION:

- 1991 Bachelor of Science, Liberal Arts, Regents College, University of the State of New York
- 1994 Intelligence Officer Course, Distinguished Graduate, Goodfellow Air Force Base, TX
- 1997 Master of Science, Strategic Intelligence, National Intelligence University, Washington, D.C.
- 1998 Squadron Officer School, Outstanding Contributor, Maxwell AFB, AL
- 2004 Joint Forces Staff College, Norfolk, VA
- 2006 Master of Military Operational Art and Science, Air Command and Staff College, Exceptional Graduate, Outstanding Contributor, Hesselbein Leadership Award, Maxwell AFB, AL
- 2011 Master of Arts, National Security and Strategic Studies, Naval War College, Newport, RI
- 2017 Enterprise Leadership Seminar, Kenan-Flagler Business School, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC

ASSIGNMENTS:

1. Jul 1993 - Mar 1994, Student, intelligence officer school, Goodfellow AFB, TX
2. May 1994 – Jul 1996, Commander, EC global threat analysis flight, 26th Intelligence Squadron, Eglin AFB, FL
3. Aug 1996 – Sep 1997, Student, National Intelligence University, Washington D.C.
4. Sep 1997 – Jan 1998, Supervisor, USAF intelligence officer course, 315th Training Squadron, Goodfellow AFB, TX
5. Jan 1998 – May 2000, Executive Officer, 17th Training Wing, Goodfellow AFB, TX
6. May 2000 – Jul 2002, Commander, 313th Training Squadron, Corry Station, Pensacola, FL
7. Jul 2002 – Jul 2005, Executive Assistant to the Commander, U.S. Strategic Command, Offutt AFB, NE
8. Jul 2005 – Jun 2006, Student, Air Command and Staff College, Maxwell AFB, AL
9. Jul 2006 – Jun 2008, Commander, Detachment 1, 22d Intelligence Squadron, Nellis AFB, NV
10. Jun 2008 – Jun 2010, Commander, 91st Cyberspace Operations Squadron, JBSA-Lackland, TX
11. Jul 2010 – Jun 2011, Student, Naval War College, Newport, RI
12. Jun 2011 – Jun 2012, Chief, ISR Division, 609th Air Operations Center, Al Udeid Air Base, Qatar
13. Jul 2012 – Jun 2014, Vice Commander, 67th Cyberspace Wing, JBSA-Lackland, TX
14. Jun 2014 – Jul 2015, Director of Intelligence, 25th Air Force, JBSA-Lackland, TX

15. Jul 2015 – Apr 2016, Director of Staff, Deputy Chief of Staff, ISR (A2), Headquarters USAF, Washington, D.C.
16. Apr 2016 – Jul 2018, Commander, National Security Agency Texas, JBSA-Lackland, TX
17. Aug 2018 – present, Director of Intelligence (J2), U.S. Cyber Command, Ft. Meade, MD

SUMMARY OF JOINT ASSIGNMENTS:

1. Jul 2002 – Jul 2005, Executive Assistant to the Commander, U.S. Strategic Command, Offutt AFB, NE, as a Major
2. Jun 2011 – Jun 2012, Chief, ISR Division, 609th Air Operations Center, Al Udeid, Qatar, as a Lieutenant Colonel
3. Apr 2016 – Jul 2018, Commander, National Security Agency Texas, JBSA-Lackland, TX, as a Colonel
4. Jul 2018 – present, Director of Intelligence (J2), U.S. Cyber Command, Ft. Meade, MD, as a Brigadier General

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS:

Defense Superior Service Medal
Legion of Merit Medal with oak leaf cluster
Bronze Star Medal
Defense Meritorious Service Medal
Meritorious Service Medal with five oak leaf clusters
Joint Service Commendation Medal
Air Force Commendation Medal with oak leaf cluster
Army Commendation Medal
Joint Service Achievement Medal
Air Force Achievement Medal with oak leaf cluster

EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTIONS:

Second Lieutenant	July 27, 1993
First Lieutenant	July 27, 1995
Captain	July 27, 1997
Major	December 1, 2003
Lieutenant Colonel	September 1, 2007
Colonel	July 1, 2012
Brigadier General	September 2, 2018

(Current as of September 2018)



United States Army

Brigadier General MIGUEL A. CORREA

**Senior Defense Official
Defense Attaché
U.S. Embassy
Abu Dhabi, UAE**



SOURCE OF COMMISSIONED SERVICE ROTC

EDUCATIONAL DEGREES

University of Florida - BS in Business

USMC University – MS in National Security Studies

Pakistan National Defense University - MS in National Security and War Studies

MILITARY SCHOOLS ATTENDED

Infantry Officer Basic and Advanced Courses

United States Marine Corps Command and Staff

College Joint and Combined Warfighting School

Pakistan National Defense University

FOREIGN LANGUAGE(S) Spanish, German, Urdu

PROMOTIONS

APPOINTMENT DATE

2LT	24 May 89
1LT	15 Oct 91
CPT	12 Apr 94
MAJ	1 Nov 00
LTC	1 Oct 06
COL	18 Feb 12
BG	16 Mar 17

FROM TO ASSIGNMENT

Mar 17	Present	Senior Defense Official & Defense Attaché, U.S. Embassy, Abu Dhabi, UAE
Aug 15	Mar 17	Chief of Staff, United States Army Special Operations Command, Fort Bragg, NC
Mar 13	Aug 15	Deputy Commander, later Commander, 1st Special Warfare Training Group (Airborne) US Army John F. Kennedy Special Warfare Center and School, Fort Bragg
Jun 12	Dec 12	Commander, Special Operations Command Forward-Pakistan, Special Operations Command Central, Pakistan
Aug 11	Jun 12	Student, Pakistan National Defense University, Pakistan
Jun 08	Jul 11	Commander, 2d Battalion, later Deputy Commander, 1st Special Warfare Training Group (Airborne), United States Army John F. Kennedy Special Warfare Center and School, Fort Bragg, NC
Jul 07	Jun 08	Deputy, Joint Interagency Task Force, and later Liaison Officer, Joint Special Operations Command, Fort Bragg, NC and OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM
Jul 05	Jun 07	Strategic Planner, Strategic Plans and Policy Directorate, J-5, Joint Staff, Washington, DC and OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM, Afghanistan
Aug 04	Jun 05	Student, United States Marine Corps Command and Staff College, Quantico, Virginia
Jun 01	Aug 04	Commander, B Company, 1st Battalion, later Executive Officer, 7th Special Forces Group (Airborne), Fort Bragg, NC and OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM Afghanistan
May 00	Jun 01	Aide-de-Camp to the Commanding General, United States Army John F. Kennedy Warfare Center and School, Fort Bragg, NC
Jan 97	Apr 00	Commander, Special Forces Operational Detachment-Alpha, C Company, later Operations Officer, 3d Battalion, 10th Special Forces Group (Airborne), Fort Carson, CO and OPERATION JOINT GUARD, Bosnia-Herzegovina
May 96	Nov 96	Student, United States Army John F. Kennedy Special Warfare Center and School, Fort NC
Nov 95	Apr 96	Student, United States Army Infantry School, Fort Benning, Georgia
Apr 93	Oct 95	Instructor, later Chief, Advanced Military Mountaineering, Northern Warfare Training United States Army Alaska, Fort Greely, Alaska

Aug 90 Mar 93 Platoon Leader, A Company, later D Company, later Executive Officer, B Company, 2d Battalion, 502d Infantry Regiment, 2d Brigade, 101st Airborne Division (Air Campbell, Kentucky and OPERATION DESERT STORM, OPERATION DESERT SHIELD, Multi - Force and Observers, Sinai, Egypt

SUMMARY OF JOINT ASSIGNMENTS

	<u>DATE</u>	<u>GRADE</u>
Senior Defense Official & Defense Attaché, U.S. Embassy, Abu Dhabi, UAE	Mar 17 – Present	Brigadier General
Commander, Special Operations Command Forward-Pakistan, Special Operations Command Central, Pakistan	Jun 12 - Dec 12	Colonel
Deputy, Joint Interagency Task Force, JSOC	Jul 07 – Jun 08	Lieutenant Colonel
Strategic Planner, Strategy Division, Strategic Plans and Policy Directorate, J-5, Joint Staff, Washington, DC and OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM, Afghanistan	Jul 05 - Jun 07	Major/ Lieutenant Colonel

SUMMARY OF OPERATIONAL ASSIGNMENTS

	<u>DATE</u>	<u>GRADE</u>
Commander, Special Operations Command Forward-Pakistan, Special Operations Command Central, Pakistan	Jun 12 - Dec 12	Colonel
Deputy, Joint Interagency Task Force, and later Liaison Officer, Joint Special Operations Command, Fort Bragg, North Carolina and OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM, Iraq	Dec 07 - Jun 08	Lieutenant Colonel
Strategic Planner, Strategy Division, Strategic Plans and Policy Directorate, J-5, Joint Staff, OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM, Afghanistan	Nov 06 - Jan 07	Lieutenant Colonel
Executive Officer, 7th Special Forces Group (Airborne), OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM, Afghanistan	Jul 03 - Aug 04	Major
Commander, B Company, 1st Battalion, 7th Special Forces Group (Airborne), Fort Bragg, North Carolina and OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM, Afghanistan	Jun 01 - Jun 03	Major
Commander, Special Forces Operational Detachment-Alpha, C Company, 3d Battalion, 10th Special Forces Group (Airborne), OPERATION JOINT GUARD, Bosnia-Herzegovina	Aug 97 - Dec 97	Captain
Executive Officer, B Company, 2d Battalion, 502d Infantry Regiment, 101st Airborne Division (Air Assault), Multinational Force and Observers, Sinai, Egypt	Sep 90 - Mar 92	Second Lieutenant
Platoon Leader, A Company, 2d Battalion, 502d Infantry Regiment, 101st Airborne Division (Air Assault), OPERATION DESERT SHEILD / STORM, Saudi Arabia		

U.S. DECORATIONS AND BADGES

Legion of Merit (with 3 Bronze Oak Leaf Clusters)
 Bronze Star Medal (with 2 Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster)
 Defense Meritorious Service Medal
 Meritorious Service Medal (with 3 Bronze Oak Leaf Clusters)
 Joint Service Commendation Medal (with 2 Bronze Oak Leaf Clusters)
 Army Commendation Medal (with 2 Bronze Oak Leaf Clusters)
 Joint Service Achievement Medal
 Combat Infantryman Badge
 Expert Infantryman Badge
 Master Parachutist Badge
 Military Free Fall Parachutist
 Air Assault Badge
 Ranger Tab
 Special Forces Tab
 Joint Chiefs of Staff Identification Badge



Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff for Installation Management

Brigadier General Joy L. Curriera
Director, Operations



Brigadier General Joy L. Curriera became the Director of Operations for the Assistant Chief of Staff for Installation Management on July 24, 2017.

As the Director of Operations, Brigadier General Curriera is responsible for overseeing the development and coordination of program requirements, strategy, and policies pertaining to facilities, military construction, energy, real property asset management and BRAC properties that support Army objectives and improves the quality of life for Soldiers, Civilians, and Families.

Brigadier General Curriera graduated from the U.S. Military Academy and received her commission as a second lieutenant in the Army Signal Corps in 1990.

She served her lieutenant years in Germany, with the 1st Signal Battalion, 5th Signal Command; and then the 141st Signal Battalion, 1st Armored Division. Following the Signal Officer Advanced Course in 1995, she was assigned to the 501st Signal Battalion, 101st Airborne Division (Air Assault), Fort Campbell, Kentucky, as the division's telecommunications officer and later as battalion S-1. She commanded the Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 101st Personnel Services Battalion, (PSB); and while in command, she branch transferred to the Adjutant General's Corps.

While assigned at Fort Polk, Louisiana, she served as executive officer for the 5th PSB, and then as the G1/AG Personnel Strength Management Chief for the Joint Readiness Training Center and Fort Polk. In May 2000 Brigadier General Curriera transferred to the Pentagon where she served on the Department of Army Staff as the Operations/Information Management Officer for the General Officer Management Office. Following Command and General Staff College in 2003, she served as the Brigade S-1 for the 1st Signal Brigade, U.S. Army Network Enterprise Technology Command, Yongsan, South Korea. She then returned to the National Capital Region, to serve as the AG Branch and Human Resource Management Functional Area, Majors Assignment Officer for the Army Human Resources Command, Alexandria, Virginia.

Brigadier General Curriera deployed from HRC in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom, in May 2008 where she served as the CJ1 Personnel Strength Management Division chief for the Headquarters, Multi-National Corps – Iraq. Following this deployment, she assumed command of the 46th Adjutant General (Reception) Battalion, 194th Armored Brigade, Fort Knox, Kentucky. After battalion command, she served at the Army Human Resources Command at Fort Knox, as the Integration Branch chief, Field Services Division, The Adjutant General (TAG) Directorate; and then as chief of the Army's Records Management Division.

In June 2013, Brigadier General Curriera graduated from the National Defense University, Fort McNair, Washington, D.C., followed by her command of the U.S. Army Garrison in Japan, Camp Zama, from June 2013 to June 2015.

Before assuming her current duties with the Assistant Chief of Staff for Installation Management, Brigadier General Curriera served as chief of the Brigadier Generals Management Office, Senior Leader Development, Office of the Chief of Staff of the Army. She holds a Master of Science degree in National Security and Strategic Studies from the National War College and a Master of Arts degree in Human Resources Management from Webster University.

As of September 2018



BIOGRAPHY

UNITED STATES AIR FORCE



BRIGADIER GENERAL MATTHEW WOLFE DAVIDSON

Brig. Gen. Matthew Wolfe Davidson is the Vice Commander, 14th Air Force, Air Force Space Command, Vandenberg Air Force Base, California. The Air Force's only space numbered Air Force provides ready space forces and command and control capabilities and comprises almost 16,000 personnel with 28 weapon systems at 44 locations worldwide. Fourteenth Air Force plans, tasks and directs missile warning, space superiority, space situational awareness, satellite operations and space launch and range operations. General Davidson provides leadership and guidance for the 14th Air Force staff, five space wings, the National Space Defense Center, the 614th Air Operations Center and the 614th Air and Space Communications Squadron.



General Davidson graduated from Oklahoma State University's ROTC program and was commissioned in the Air Force in 1993. He completed the rigorous Special Tactics Officer training pipeline in April 1995. Since then, Davidson has led Special Tactics forces during Operations Provide Comfort II, Assured Response, Joint Endeavor, Enduring Freedom – Philippines, Enduring Freedom and Iraqi Freedom. He has commanded at the squadron, group and wing levels and led joint operations as the Chief of Staff for Special Operations Command Central in Al Udeid. Prior to assuming his current assignment, General Davidson served as the Executive Officer to the Chief of Staff of the Air Force.

EDUCATION

1993 Bachelor of Science degree in geography, Oklahoma State University
 1999 Squadron Officer School, Maxwell Air Force Base, Ala.
 2004 Air Command and Staff College (Correspondence), Maxwell Air Force Base, Ala.
 2004 Master of Science in International Relations, Troy State University, Ala.
 2005 Army Command and General Staff College, Ft. Leavenworth, Kan.
 2006 Master of Military Art and Science, School of Advanced Military Studies, Ft. Leavenworth, Kan.
 2007 Air War College (Correspondence), Maxwell AFB, Ala.
 2012 Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, Washington, D.C.
 2014 Joint Forces Staff College, Norfolk Naval Station, Va.

ASSIGNMENTS

1. January 1994 – December 1994, Special Tactics Training pipeline, various TDY locations
2. December 1994 – August 1997, Flight Commander, 23d Special Tactics Squadron, Hurlburt Field, Fla.
3. August 1997 – August 1998, Assistant Director of Operations, 720th Special Tactics Group, Hurlburt Field, Fla.
4. August 1998 – January 2002, Flight Commander, 24th Special Tactics Squadron, Pope Air Force Base, N.C.
5. January 2002 – May 2003, Director of Operations, 320th Special Tactics Squadron, Kadena Air Base, Japan
6. May 2003 – June 2004, Commander, 320th Special Tactics Squadron, Kadena AB, Japan
7. June 2004 – June 2005, U.S. Army Command and General Staff College, Ft. Leavenworth, Kan.
8. June 2005 – June 2006, School of Advanced Military Studies, Ft. Leavenworth, Kan.
9. June 2006 – June 2008, Air and Space Strategist, Headquarters Air Force, Project Checkmate, the Pentagon, Washington, D.C.
10. June 2008 – June 2009, Deputy Commander, 24th Special Tactics Squadron, Pope AFB, N.C.
11. June 2009 – April 2011, Commander, 24th Special Tactics Squadron, Pope AFB, N.C.
12. April 2011 – June 2012, Commander, 724th Special Tactics Group, Pope Field, N.C.
13. June 2012 – June 2013, Fellow, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars, Washington, D.C.
14. June 2013 – June 2014, Chief of Staff, Soccent Forward Headquarters, Al Udeid Air Base
15. September 2014 – June 2016, Commander, 24th Special Operations Wing, Hurlburt Field, Fla.
16. June 2016 – April 2018, Executive Officer to the Chief of Staff of the Air Force, the Pentagon, Washington, D.C.
17. April 2018 – present, Vice Commander, 14th Air Force, Vandenberg AFB, Calif.

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Defense Superior Service Medal with oak leaf cluster
 Legion of Merit with oak leaf cluster
 Bronze Star Medal
 Defense Meritorious Service Medal with oak leaf cluster
 Meritorious Service Medal with oak leaf cluster
 Joint Service Commendation Medal
 Air Force Commendation Medal
 Air Force Achievement Medal with two oak leaf clusters

EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION

Second Lieutenant Sept. 23, 1993
 First Lieutenant Sept. 23 1995
 Captain Sept. 23, 1997
 Major Feb. 1, 2004
 Lieutenant Colonel Sept. 1, 2007
 Colonel Sept. 1, 2011
 Brigadier General July 24, 2018

(Current as of August 2018)



BIOGRAPHY

UNITED STATES AIR FORCE



BRIGADIER GENERAL TODD A. DOZIER

Brig. Gen. Todd A. Dozier is the Vice Commander, 5th Air Force, and Director, Pacific Air Forces Joint Air Component Coordination Element, Yokota Air Base, Japan. Fifth Air Force conducts joint and bilateral planning and engagements to defend Japan and respond to regional contingencies. In addition, the command coordinates joint and bilateral actions and exercises with U.S. Forces Japan, U.S. service components, the Japan Self-Defense Forces and other Japanese organizations to strengthen bilateral interoperability. Fifth Air Force exercises administrative authority over U.S. Air Force forces in Japan.

General Dozier received his commission in 1992 through the ROTC program at Arizona State University, where he earned a Bachelor of Science degree in aerospace engineering. His assignments have included multiple operational tours in the EF-111A and F-16C/D aircraft. He has commanded a fighter squadron, an air expeditionary group, and a fighter wing and deployed for Operations Provide Comfort, Northern Watch, Southern Watch, Noble Eagle, Iraqi Freedom, and Inherent Resolve. His previous staff experience includes tours at Air Combat Command, the Office of the Secretary of Defense, 12th Air Force and Pacific Air Forces.



The general is a command pilot with more than 3,200 flying hours, including more than 820 combat hours.

EDUCATION

1992 Bachelor of Science degree in aerospace engineering, Arizona State University, Tempe, Ariz.
1998 Squadron Officer School, Maxwell AFB, Ala.
2005 Air Command and Staff College, by correspondence
2006 Army Command and General Staff College, Fort Leavenworth, Kan.
2006 Master's degree in business administration, Webster University, St. Louis, Mo.
2011 Air War College, Maxwell AFB, Ala.
2011 Master's degree in strategic studies, Air University, Maxwell AFB, Ala.

ASSIGNMENTS

1. May 1993 - June 1994, Student, Euro-NATO Joint Jet Pilot Training, Sheppard AFB, Texas
2. January 1995 - December 1995, Student, F-111E, then Student EF-111A, Replacement Training Unit,

Cannon AFB, N.M.

3. December 1995 - April 1998, EF-111A Instructor Pilot, Training Officer and Scheduler, 429th Electronic Combat Squadron, Cannon AFB, N.M.
4. May 1998 - November 1998, Student, F-16 Replacement Training Unit, Luke AFB, Ariz.
5. November 1998 - November 2000, F-16 Instructor Pilot and Assistant Chief of Weapons and Tactics, 36th Fighter Squadron, then Deputy Chief of Wing Combat Readiness Assessment Division, 51st Fighter Wing, Osan AB, South Korea
6. November 2000 - May 2003, F-16 Instructor Pilot and Flight Commander, 4th Fighter Squadron, then Assistant Chief of Wing Standardization and Evaluation, 388th Operations Group, Hill AFB, Utah
7. June 2003 - June 2005, Chief of Counter-Air, Homeland Security Division, Directorate of Air and Space Operations, then Special Action Officer to the Commander, Headquarters Air Combat Command, Langley AFB, Va.
8. July 2005 - June 2006, Student, Army Command and General Staff College, Fort Leavenworth, Kan.
9. September 2006 - May 2008, Assistant Director of Operations, then Director of Operations, 421st Fighter Squadron, Hill AFB, Utah
10. June 2008 - April 2010, Commander, 4th Fighter Squadron, Hill AFB, Utah
11. July 2010 - May 2011, Student, Air War College, Maxwell AFB, Ala.
12. June 2011 - June 2013, Deputy Director, Training, Training Readiness and Strategy, Office of the Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense (Readiness), the Pentagon, Arlington, Va.
13. June 2013 - July 2015, Vice Commander, 388th Fighter Wing, Hill AFB, Utah
14. July 2015 - May 2016, Director of Operations, 12th Air Force, Davis-Monthan AFB, Ariz.
15. May 2016 - May 2017, Commander, 8th Fighter Wing, Kunsan AB, South Korea
16. June 2017 - June 2018, Executive Assistant to the Commander, Pacific Air Forces, Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam, Hawaii
17. June 2018 - present, Vice Commander, 5th Air Force, Yokota Air Base, Japan

SUMMARY OF JOINT ASSIGNMENTS

1. June 2011 - June 2013, Deputy Director, Training, Training Readiness and Strategy, Office of the Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense (Readiness), the Pentagon, Arlington, Va., as a colonel

FLIGHT INFORMATION

Rating: command pilot

Flight hours: more than 3,200

Aircraft flown: F-16 C/D, F-111E, EF-111A, T-37 and A/T-38

AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Defense Superior Service Medal

Legion of Merit with oak leaf cluster

Bronze Star Medal

Meritorious Service Medal with three oak leaf clusters

Air Medal with eight oak leaf clusters

Aerial Achievement Medal with two oak leaf clusters

Air Force Commendation Medal with oak leaf cluster

Air Force Achievement Medal with oak leaf cluster

EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION

Second Lieutenant Nov.15, 1992

First Lieutenant Nov.15, 1994

Captain Nov.15, 1996

Major May 1, 2003

Lieutenant Colonel Dec.1, 2006

Colonel June 1, 2012

Brigadier General Aug. 3, 2018

(Current as of May 2019)

Nancy Dragani

Nancy Dragani serves as the Deputy Regional Administrator for FEMA Region VIII. In this position, her responsibilities include oversight for the operational aspects of regional disaster response, recovery, mitigation and preparedness activities in FEMA Region VIII which includes the states of Colorado, Montana, North Dakota, South Dakota, Utah, and Wyoming along with 28 federally recognized tribal nations. From April 2016 to November 2017 Ms. Dragani served as the Acting Regional Administrator.

Prior to joining FEMA in January 2016, Ms. Dragani worked for the Ohio Emergency Management Agency (EMA) for 20 years, where she was the Executive Director from 2005 to 2014. In 2004, Ms. Dragani retired from the Ohio National Guard with 22 years of combined U.S. Army, Army National Guard, and Air National Guard service.

Ms. Dragani has a Master of Arts from the Naval Postgraduate School's Center for Homeland Defense and Security. She holds a Bachelor of Arts degree from Ohio Dominican College.



Last Updated:

4/24/19



BRIGADIER GENERAL THOMAS DREW

DEPUTY COMMANDING GENERAL

Brigadier General Tom Drew, Deputy Commanding General, U.S. Army Special Operations Command, enlisted in the Army in 1982. He graduated from flight school at Fort Rucker, Alabama, September 13, 1983.

During his initial tours, Drew served as both an AH-1 Cobra and AH-64 Apache instructor pilot. He completed Officer Candidate School at Fort Benning, Georgia and was commissioned an aviation officer in 1989.

As a commissioned officer, he has held numerous leadership and staff positions including platoon leader, assistant operations officer and assistant intelligence officer of the 1st Battalion, 101st Aviation Regiment, Fort Campbell, Kentucky; personnel officer, 1st Battalion, 2nd Aviation Regiment, Camp Mobile, Korea; commander, Bravo Company, 1st Battalion, 24th Aviation Regiment, Savannah, Georgia; platoon leader and company commander, Charlie Company, 1st Battalion, 160th Special Operations Aviation Regiment (A); operations executive officer, special mission unit liaison officer, 1st Battalion, 160th SOAR(A); and the Regiment operations officer, 160th SOAR(A); battalion commander, 2nd Battalion, 160th SOAR(A); director of Flight Concepts, Fort Eustis, Virginia; brigade commander, 101st Combat Aviation Brigade; deputy commander, U.S. Army Aviation Center of Excellence, Fort Rucker, Alabama; 2nd Infantry Division deputy commanding general (support).



Drew's combat tours include Operation Desert Storm, Operation Enduring Freedom, Operation Iraq Freedom, Operation New Dawn, and Operation Freedom's Sentinel.

Drew's education includes a bachelor's degree from Embry Riddle Aeronautical University in Professional Aeronautics, a Master of Arts Degree in National Security and Strategic Studies from the Naval War College, Newport, Rhode Island; and a U.S. Army War College Fellowship, National Security Fellow Duke University.

He is qualified to fly the UH-1H, OH-58A/C, AH-1G/S, AH-64A, MH-6M, UH-60A/L/M, MH-60L DAP, CH-47D/F, MH-47G.

Drew's awards and decorations include the Legion of Merit (3 OLC), Distinguished Flying Cross, Bronze Star (5 OLC), Meritorious Service Medal (3 OLC), Air Medal ("V" device and numeral device "7"), Joint Service Commendation Medal, Army Commendation Medal (2 OLC), the Master Aviator Badge, the Combat Action Badge, the Parachutist Badge, the Military Free Fall Badge, and the Air Assault Badge.

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Katherine Duffy Dueholm

Katherine Duffy Dueholm is the Office Director for Caribbean Affairs, responsible for U.S. foreign policy in fifteen Caribbean countries, supporting seven U.S. Embassies. She worked previously as Director for Regional Affairs in the Department of State's Legislative Affairs Bureau. Prior to she was Deputy Chief of Mission in Timor-Leste, including over six months as Charge d'Affaires. Other overseas assignments include Brazil, Botswana, Germany, and Guyana. In Washington, she has worked as a Special Assistant to then-Secretary of State Madeleine Albright; served on detail to the U.S. Trade Representative's Office as Deputy Director for the U.S.-Chile Free Trade Agreement; and worked on North Korean issues.



Ms. Dueholm was formerly President of the Board at the American School of Brasilia and Treasurer of the National Capitol Area YWCA in Washington, DC. She has a Bachelor's Degree from Wake Forest University, a Master's Degree from the George Washington University and a Master's Degree from the National Defense University. She and her husband Mark have two children, ages 17 and 13.

GARY EDWARDS, DISES

CURRENT POSITION: Mr. Gary Edwards serves as Chief of Information Sharing and Collaboration. In this position, he acts as an advocate for DoD Customers in regards to authoring, publishing and dissemination of SIGINT. He also works to enable collaboration across the US Government with the goal to make possible the integration of knowledge across defense, foreign affairs, homeland security, intelligence and law enforcement.

EDUCATION:

- *Master of Science, National Defense Strategy, Industrial College of the Armed Forces – 2006*
- *Master of Science, Telecommunications, Naval Post Graduate School – 1991*
- *Bachelor of Science, Computer Information Systems, Fort Valley State University – 1985*

PRIOR PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE INCLUDES:

- *Nov 2017 to Jun 2018: Served as **Chief of Customer Requirements Office (P62)**. As Chief he was responsible for driving mission outcomes for DoD customers by translating their needs into cryptologic action. P62 is the “Cryptologic Front Door” for customer requirement.*
- *Oct 2016 to Nov 2017: Served as **Chief of Access Strategies and Targeting**. In this capacity he was responsible for building access strategies and overseeing the end-to-end management and governance of selector targeting.*
- *Oct 2015 to Oct 2016: Served as **Chief of Integrated Data Governance Service**. In this position he was responsible for optimizing collection capabilities, establishing and sustaining high quality accessible data flows from collection to customer.*
- *May 2015 to Oct 2015: Served as **Deputy Chief of TSMI**. As Deputy, focused on implementation of processes and technologies to enable integration of accesses, collection and exploitation; and aligning resources to achieve strategic objectives.*
- *Feb 2014 to Dec 2014: Served as **SID Military Deputy Director** responsible for managing a global Signals Intelligence Enterprise supporting national policy-makers and military forces that defend US interest and allies.*
- *Oct 2011 to Feb 2014: **Assistant Chief of Staff, US Navy Cyber Command/US Tenth Fleet**, responsible for central operational authority of networks, signal intelligence, information operations, cyber, electronic and space warfare in support of naval forces afloat and ashore.*
- *Jun 2009 to Sep 2011: **Commanding Officer, Center for Information Dominance**, Responsible for Cyber and Cryptologic training for military services. Manages staff of 1,100 across 16 global detachments and trained an average of 24,000 military/yr.*
- *Aug 2006 to May 2009: Assigned to **Staff of the Office of the Secretary of Defense**. Led the transformation of U.S. forces and enabled rollout of next generation capabilities for COCOM/Allies.*
- *Feb 2005 to Jul 2005: Assigned to the **Joint Chiefs of Staff**. Provided information assurance oversight of military C4 systems to support the security of DoD C2 networks.*

- *Jul 2001 to Feb 2005: **Commanding Officer, Naval Security Group Activity** Fort Gordon, Ga. Led 750 Sailors supporting cryptologic operations.*
- *Sep 1999 to Oct 2000: **Cryptologic Resource Coordinator**, onboard USS Eisenhower coordinated tactical SIGINT efforts of nine cryptologic platforms.*

HONORS, AWARDS AND SPECIAL ACHIEVEMENTS:

- *Legion of Merit (2)*
- *Defense Meritorious Medal (2)*
- *Meritorious Service Medal (2)*
- *Director's Distinguish Service Medal*
- *Joint Commendation Medal (2)*
- *Navy Commendation Medal (2)*
- *Navy Achievement (3)*

PERSONAL: Gary retired from the U.S. Navy Jan 2015 and immediately assumed a position within the Department of Defense. He and his wife Lakeisha are both natives of Atlanta, Ga. He and his family now reside in Laurel Maryland. He enjoys golfing, cycling and military history.

Data as of: Dec 2018



United States Army

Brigadier General BRIAN S. EIFLER

Chief, Legislative Liaison
Office of the Secretary of the Army
1600 Army Pentagon 1E416
Washington, DC 20310-1600
Since: November 2018



SOURCE OF COMMISSIONED SERVICE ROTC

EDUCATIONAL DEGREES

Central Michigan University – BS – Communications
United States Army War College – MSS – Strategic Studies

MILITARY SCHOOLS ATTENDED

Infantry Officer Basic and Advanced Courses
United States Army Command and General Staff College
United States Army War College

FOREIGN LANGUAGE(S) None recorded

PROMOTIONS DATE OF APPOINTMENT

2LT	31 May 90
1LT	29 Mar 93
CPT	1 Apr 95
MAJ	1 Jun 01
LTC	1 Jul 06
COL	1 Dec 10
BG	2 Nov 17

FROM TO ASSIGNMENT

Nov 18	Present	Chief, Legislative Liaison, Office of the Secretary of the Army, Washington, DC
Jul 17	Nov 18	Deputy Commanding General (Operations), 10th Mountain Division (Light), Fort Drum, New York and OPERATION INHERENT RESOLVE, Iraq
Dec 15	Jun 17	Chief, Programs Division, Office of the Chief Legislative Liaison, Office of the Secretary of the Army, Washington, DC
Jul 14	Jul 15	Chief of Staff, 25th Infantry Division, Schofield Barracks, Hawaii
Jun 12	Jul 14	Commander, 3d Brigade Combat Team, 25th Infantry Division, Schofield Barracks, Hawaii
Aug 11	Jun 12	Student, United States Army War College, Carlisle Barracks, Pennsylvania
Jul 09	Jul 11	Commander, Special Troops Battalion, 75th Ranger Regiment, Fort Benning, Georgia and OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM, Afghanistan
May 07	Jul 09	Commander, 1st Battalion, 6th Infantry Regiment, 2d Brigade Combat Team, 1st Armored Division, V Corps, United States Army Europe and OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM, Iraq
Feb 06	May 07	Commander, Special Troops Battalion, 75th Ranger Regiment, Fort Benning, Georgia and OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM, Afghanistan
Jun 05	Feb 06	Logistics Officer, 75th Ranger Regiment, Fort Benning, Georgia
Dec 02	Jun 05	Operations Officer, later Executive Officer, 2d Battalion, 8th Infantry Regiment, 2d Brigade Combat Team, 4th Infantry Division (Mechanized), III Corps, Fort Hood, Texas and OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM, Iraq
Aug 02	Dec 02	Chief, Current Operations, G-3, III Corps, Fort Hood, Texas
Jul 01	May 02	Student, United States Army Command and General Staff College, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas
Sep 98	Jul 01	Assistant Operations Officer, later Liaison Officer, 3d Battalion, 75th Ranger Regiment, Fort Benning, Georgia
May 97	Sep 98	Commander, C Company, 2d Battalion, 9th Infantry Regiment (Mechanized), 1st Brigade, 2d Infantry Division, Eighth United States Army, Republic of Korea
Oct 96	Apr 97	Assistant Operations Officer, 2d Battalion, 9th Infantry Regiment (Mechanized), 1st Brigade, 2d Infantry Division, Eighth United States Army, Republic of Korea
Feb 96	Jul 96	Student, United States Army Infantry School, Fort Benning, Georgia

Nov 93	Feb 96	Platoon Leader, B Company, later Civil-Military Officer, 1st Battalion, 75th Ranger Regiment, Hunter Army Airfield, Georgia
Jul 91	Nov 93	Platoon Leader, A Company, later Mortar Platoon Leader, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 2nd Battalion, 504th Parachute Infantry Regiment, 1st Brigade, 82nd Airborne Division, Fort Bragg, North Carolina
May 90	Aug 90	Platoon Leader, A Company, 1st Battalion, 125th Infantry Regiment, 46th Brigade, 38th Infantry Division, Alma, Michigan

SUMMARY OF JOINT ASSIGNMENTS

	<u>DATE</u>	<u>GRADE</u>
Director, CJ3, Combined Joint Task Force-Operation Inherent Resolve, OPERATION INHERENT RESOLVE, Iraq	Mar 18 - Aug 18	Brigadier General
Commander, 1st Battalion, 6th Infantry Regiment, OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM, Iraq	Apr 08 - Jun 09	Lieutenant Colonel

SUMMARY OF OPERATIONAL ASSIGNMENTS

	<u>DATE</u>	<u>GRADE</u>
Director, CJ3, Combined Joint Task Force-Operation Inherent Resolve, OPERATION INHERENT RESOLVE, Iraq	Mar 18 - Aug 18	Brigadier General
Commander, Special Troops Battalion, 75th Ranger Regiment, OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM, Afghanistan	Mar 11 - Apr 11	Colonel
Commander, Special Troops Battalion, 75th Ranger Regiment, OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM, Afghanistan	Jun 10 - Jul 10	Lieutenant Colonel
Commander, Special Troops Battalion, 75th Ranger Regiment, OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM, Afghanistan	Mar 10 - Apr 10	Lieutenant Colonel
Commander, 1st Battalion, 6th Infantry Regiment, OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM, Iraq	Apr 08 - Jun 09	Lieutenant Colonel
Commander, Special Troops Battalion, 75th Ranger Regiment, OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM, Afghanistan	Mar 06 - Jul 06	Major/Lieutenant Colonel
Operations Officer 2nd Battalion, 8th Infantry Regiment, OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM, Iraq	Mar 03 - Mar 04	Major

US DECORATIONS AND BADGES

Defense Superior Service Medal
 Legion of Merit (with 3 Bronze Oak Leaf Clusters)
 Bronze Star Medal (with 2 Bronze Oak Leaf Clusters)
 Meritorious Service Medal (with Silver Oak Leaf Cluster)
 Army Commendation Medal for Valor
 Army Commendation Medal (with 3 Bronze Oak Leaf Clusters)
 Army Achievement Medal (with 2 Bronze Oak Leaf Clusters)
 Combat Infantryman Badge
 Expert Infantryman Badge
 Master Parachutist Badge
 Ranger Tab
 Pathfinder Badge
 Army Staff Identification Badge



Christopher L. Eubank

Brigadier General, United States Army

39th Chief of Signal/Signal School Commandant

BG Christopher L. Eubank is a native of Roanoke, Virginia. He was commissioned as a Second Lieutenant from the Virginia Military Institute. BG Eubank began his Army career in 1991 as an Armor Officer where he served as a Platoon Leader in the 1st Infantry Division (Mechanized), Fort Riley, Kansas. In 1993, he branch-transferred to the Signal Corps and was assigned to the 121st Signal Battalion where he served as a Signal Platoon Leader. Later, he was reassigned as the Battalion Signal Officer for 1st Battalion, 16th Infantry Regiment, 1st Infantry Division. As a Captain, he was assigned to United States Army Europe and Seventh Army, Germany, where he served as a Brigade Signal Officer, Brigade Logistics officer, and Commander of the 324th Signal Company, 72nd Signal Battalion. In 1999 he was assigned to the United States Army Space and Missile Defense Command, Colorado Springs, Colorado, where he served as a Communications Officer and later project officer. As a Major, he was assigned to the 82nd Airborne Division, Fort Bragg, North Carolina where he served as a Brigade Signal Officer, Battalion Operations Officer, Communications planner for the Joint Special Operations Command. As a Lieutenant Colonel, he served as Commander, 82nd Airborne Division Special Troops Battalion. After battalion command he was assigned as the Deputy Director for Communications – J65 Programs Division, United States Special Operations Command, MacDill Air Force Base, Florida and later Director J6, Special Operations Joint Task Force Afghanistan. As COL Eubank, from 2013 to 2014, he commanded the Area Support Group-Kuwait. He then was assigned as the Deputy Chief of Staff, G6, for the United States Army Special Operations Command, Fort Bragg, North Carolina. BG Eubank has deployed eight times in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation Enduring Freedom. BG Eubank's previous assignment was the fifth Director of the J6 for the United States Africa Command at Kelley Barracks in Stuttgart Germany. As of 9 July 2018, BG Eubank is the 39th Chief of Signal and Signal School Commandant.



BG Eubank is a graduate of the Armor Officer Basic Course, the Signal Officer Basic and Advanced Courses, the U.S. Army Command and General Staff College, and the U.S. Army War College. He holds a Bachelor of Arts in History from Virginia Military Institute, a Master of Arts in Computer Resource and Information from Webster University and a Master of Science in Strategic Studies from the United States Army War College, Carlisle, PA.

BG Eubank's military awards and decorations include the Defense Superior Service Medal, Legion of Merit, Bronze Star Medal, Defense Meritorious Service Medal, Meritorious Service Medal, Army Commendation Medal, Joint Service Achievement Medal, Army Achievement Medal, Iraq Campaign Medal, Afghanistan Campaign Medal, GWOT Expeditionary and Service Medals, NATO Medal, Combat Action Badge, Master Parachutist Badge, and Polish Jump Wings.

BG Eubank and his wife Kim have a 13 year-old daughter named Emerson.



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UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

BRIGADIER GENERAL (DR.) PAUL FRIEDRICHs

Brigadier General Paul Friedrichs is the Joint Staff Surgeon at the Pentagon, Washington, D.C. He serves as the chief medical advisor to the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, providing advice to the Chairman, the Joint Staff and the combatant commanders. He coordinates all issues related to health services to include operational medicine, force health protection and readiness among the combatant commands, the Office of the Secretary of Defense and the services.

General Friedrichs received his commission through the Reserve Officer Training Corps in 1986 and his Doctor of Medicine degree (M.D.) from the Uniformed Services University in 1990. He has commanded at the squadron and group level, served as an Assistant Professor of Surgery and led joint and interagency teams which earned numerous awards, including "Best Air Force Hospital." As the Command Surgeon, Pacific Air Forces, he partnered with the Pacific Fleet Surgeon to develop mitigations for joint medical gaps. While the Command Surgeon for US Transportation Command, he synchronized Joint and interagency efforts and identified and mitigated global patient movement gaps. As the Command Surgeon, Air Combat Command, General Friedrichs's team leveraged the National Defense Strategy to engineer a complete overhaul of ground medical operations requirements, introducing new capabilities into the Expeditionary Medical Support construct to enhance readiness for future near-peer conflicts.



EDUCATION

1986 Bachelor of Science, Biology, Tulane University, New Orleans, LA
1990 Doctor of Medicine, Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences, Bethesda, MD
1997 Urologic Surgery Residency, Wilford Hall and Brooke Army Medical Centers, San Antonio, TX
1998 Air Command and Staff College, Maxwell AFB, AL
2001 Aerospace Medicine Primary Course, USAFSAM, Brooks AFB, TX
2003 Air War College, Maxwell AFB, AL
2006 Space Operations Executive Course, National Space Security Institute, Colorado Springs, CO
2006 Interagency Institute for Healthcare Executives, Washington D.C.
2008 National War College, Ft McNair, D.C. (Distinguished Graduate) 2010 Medical Capstone Program, Washington, D.C.
2016 USAF Executive Development Program, University of North Carolina Keenan-Flagler Business School

ASSIGNMENTS

1. June 1990–June 1991, Surgical Intern, Wilford Hall Medical Center, Lackland AFB, TX
2. July 1991–June 1992, General Medical Officer, Wilford Hall Medical Center, Lackland AFB, TX
3. June 1992–June 1997, Urological Surgery Resident, Wilford Hall Medical Center, Lackland AFB, TX
4. July 1997–October 1997, Assistant Chief, Urology, 89th MDG, Andrews AFB, MD
5. November 1997–September 1999, Chief, Urology, 89th MDG, Andrews AFB, MD
6. October 1999–September 2000, Chief, Population Health Management, 89th MDG, Andrews AFB, MD

7. October 2000–July 2001, Analyst, Health Benefits and Policy Division, Office of the Surgeon General, Headquarters Air Force, Bolling AFB, D.C.
8. August 2001–June 2002, Chief, Operations Branch, Office of the Surgeon General, Headquarters Air Force, Bolling AFB, D.C.
9. July 2002–May 2003, Chief, Optimization and Integration Division, Air Force Medical Operations Agency (AFMOA), Bolling AFB, D.C.
10. May 2003–May 2005, Commander, 56th Medical Operations Squadron, Luke AFB, Ariz. (September 2004–January 2005, Commander, 332 Expeditionary Aeromedical Operations Squadron, Balad AB, Iraq)
11. June 2005–April 2006, Chief, Aeromedical and Clinical Services Branches, HQ Air Force Space Command, Peterson AFB, CO
12. May 2006–July 2007, Chief, Medical Operations Division, HQ Air Force Space Command, Peterson AFB, CO
13. August 2007–June 2008, Student, National War College, Ft McNair, D.C.
14. August 2008–July 2010, Commander, 3rd Medical Group, 3rd Wing, Elmendorf AFB, AK
15. July 2010–July 2011, Commander, 673d Medical Group, 673d Air Base Wing, Joint Base Elmendorf-Richardson, AK
16. July 2011–July 2014, Command Surgeon, HQ Pacific Air Forces, Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam, HI
17. July 2014–June 2016, Vice Commander, AFMOA, Joint Base San Antonio, Lackland, TX
18. January 2015–June 2015, Chair, Joint Task Force on High Reliability Organizations, Office of the Assistance Secretary of Defense for Health Affairs, Washington, D.C.
19. June 2016–July 2018, Command Surgeon, US Transportation Command, Scott AFB, IL
20. July 2018–July 2019 Air Combat Command (ACC), Command Surgeon, Joint Base Langley-Eustis, VA
21. July 2019–present, Joint Staff Surgeon, the Pentagon, Washington D.C.

FLIGHT INFORMATION

Rating: Senior Flight Surgeon

Flight hours: 294 including 30 combat flying hours

Aircraft: C-17, C-130, C-141, C-21, C-23, KC-135, C-12, UH-60A, and CH-47

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Defense Superior Service Medal

Legion of Merit with 3 Oak-leaf clusters

Bronze Star

Air Force Meritorious Service Medal with 3 Oak-leaf clusters

Joint Service Commendation Medal with 1 Oak-leaf cluster

Army Achievement Medal

Air Force Achievement Medal with 1 Oak-leaf cluster

Arizona State Guard Meritorious Service Medal

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS

National Defense University President's Writing Award

Federal Liaison to the Governor of Alaska's Health Care Commission

Presidential Citation, American Urological Association

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS AND ASSOCIATIONS

Diplomat of the American Board of Urology

Fellow of the American College of Surgeons

Associate Fellow, Aerospace Medical Association

Alpha Omega Alpha

EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION

Second Lieutenant May 17, 1986

Captain May 19, 1990

Major May 19, 1996

Lieutenant Colonel May 19, 2002

Colonel May 29, 2007

Brigadier General June 2, 2018

(Current as of July 2019)

Biography

Brigadier General Brian Gibson

Brigadier General Brian W. Gibson entered the active Army in 1992 after graduating from Wheaton College with a Bachelor of Science degree in Mathematics and receiving a commission through the Reserve Officer Training Corps. He also holds a Master of Arts degree from Webster University in Computer Resources and Information Management and a Master of Arts in National Security and Strategic Studies from the Army War College.

His military education includes: the Air Defense Artillery Officer Basic Course, Air Defense Officer Advance Course, Combined Arms Services and Staff School, U.S. Army Command and General Staff College, and U.S. Army War College. Following commissioning he served in the following key assignments: Platoon Leader and Battalion Master Gunner, 6th Battalion (Patriot), 43rd Air Defense Artillery, Ansbach, Germany and Operation Southern Watch, Saudi Arabia; Assistant Brigade Operations Officer (S-3), 69th Air Defense Artillery Brigade, Giebelstadt, Germany, and Operation Joint Endeavor, Hungary; Commander, A Battery, 6th Battalion (Patriot), 52nd Air Defense Artillery, Ansbach, Germany, Operation Southern Watch, Saudi Arabia, and Operation Northern Watch, Turkey; Operations Research Analyst, U.S. Army Recruiting Command, 6th Recruiting Brigade, Las Vegas, NV; Operations Officer (S-3), 1st Battalion (Patriot), 7th Air Defense Artillery, Fort Bliss, TX; Operations Officer (S-3), 108th Air Defense Artillery Brigade, Fort Bliss, TX and Operation Iraqi Freedom, Iraq; Chief of Concepts, United States Army Air Defense Artillery Director of Combat Developments, Fort Bliss, TX; Secretary of the General Staff, United States Army Space and Missile Defense Command, Alexandria, VA; Patriot / MEADS Team Chief, Headquarters Department of the Army, Deputy Chief of Staff for Programs (G-8), Pentagon, Washington, DC; 32nd Army Air and Missile Defense Command's (AAMDC) senior forward representative in the CENTCOM AOR, Deputy Commander, 69th Air Defense Artillery Brigade and Battalion Commander, 1st Battalion, 44th Air Defense Artillery Regiment, Fort Hood, TX; Commander, 69th Air Defense Artillery Brigade, Fort Hood, TX; Global Force Management Division Chief, Deputy Director of Regional Operations, Joint Staff Operations Directorate (J-3), Pentagon, Washington, DC; Commandant of the U.S. Army Air Defense Artillery School and as the Chief of Air Defense Artillery, Fort Sill, Oklahoma. BG Gibson assumed responsibility as the Director of the Air and Missile Defense Cross Functional Team on 1 April 2019.



BG Gibson's awards and decorations include the Defense Superior Service Medal, Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Army Meritorious Service Medal with 5 oak leaf clusters, Army Commendation Medal with 4 oak leaf clusters, Army Achievement Medal with 2 oak leaf clusters, National Defense Service Medal with 1 oak leaf cluster, Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, South West Asia Service Medal, Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal, Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, Armed Forces Service Medal, Army Service Ribbon, Overseas Service Ribbon 2nd Award, NATO Medal, and Kuwait Liberation Medal. He has also been awarded the Joint Staff Identification Badge, Army Staff Identification Badge, and Parachutist Badge.

BG Gibson is married to the former Cheryl Marie Lueckenbach. They have two children: Josiah and Simon.



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DEFENSE INTELLIGENCE AGENCY
DEFENSE INTELLIGENCE SENIOR EXECUTIVE SERVICE

GREGORY S. KIRKPATRICK
Chief National MASINT Office

Mr. Kirkpatrick was appointed Chief of the National MASINT Office in the Directorate for Science and Technology in November 2017. The National MASINT Office executes the Director, Defense Intelligence Agency's (DIA's) authorities and responsibilities as the Intelligence Community's Functional Manager for MASINT. In this role, Mr. Kirkpatrick also serves as the Chair of the MASINT Committee.



Prior to taking this position, Mr. Kirkpatrick served in various supervisory and senior intelligence officer positions in the DIA including Chief of the Chemical and Nuclear Sciences Division; Deputy Chief, Science and Technology Office; Chief of the Office for National Collection Systems; and on detail to the Office of the Director of National Intelligence as the DIA lead for the Integrated Collection Architecture effort. Other career highlights include serving on active duty as the Technical Manager of the Collection Management Mission Applications program and as the Operations Officer for the Joint Deployable Intelligence Support Systems Joint Program Office both in the Office of Naval Intelligence. Prior to being recalled to service after September 11, 2001, Mr. Kirkpatrick spent eight years as a practicing attorney in private practice at Ross, Dixon and Bell, LLP in Washington, DC and as a Trial Attorney for the Aviation and Admiralty Litigation Section of the U.S. Department of Justice, Civil Division.

Mr. Kirkpatrick's military service encompasses 22 years as an intelligence officer and intelligence specialist in the United States Navy Reserve. Mr. Kirkpatrick holds a Master of Science in National Security Strategy from the National War College at the National Defense University; a Juris Doctor from the National Law Center of the George Washington University; and a Bachelor of Arts in Political Science and Economics from Indiana University. He and his wife Lisa live in Virginia.

November 2017



BIOGRAPHY



UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

BRIGADIER GENERAL DAVID J. KUMASHIRO

Brigadier General David J. Kumashiro is the Director, Joint Force Integration, Deputy Chief of Staff for Strategy, Integration and Requirements, Headquarters U.S. Air Force, Washington, D.C.

General Kumashiro graduated from the United States Air Force Academy in 1992. He served in Air Mobility Command as a C-5A/B Galaxy evaluator pilot and in Air Combat Command as an RQ/MQ-1B Predator instructor pilot. He has commanded at various levels and has also served on the Joint Staff and at the Headquarters Air Force level. Prior to his current assignment, General Kumashiro was the Director, Air Force Executive Talent Management.

He is a command pilot with more than 3,500 hours in the C-17A, C-5A/B, and the RQ/MQ-1.



EDUCATION

1992 Bachelor of Science degree in Engineering Sciences, U.S. Air Force Academy, Colorado Springs, Colo.

1997 Distinguished graduate, Squadron Officer School, Maxwell Air Force Base, Ala.

1999 Master of Arts, Organizational Management, The George Washington University, Washington, D.C.

2003 Air Command and Staff College, by correspondence

2005 Distinguished graduate, Master of Arts, Military Operational Art/Science, Air Command and Staff College, Maxwell Air Force Base, Ala.

2007 Air War College, Maxwell Air Force Base, Ala., by correspondence

2011 Distinguished graduate, Master of Arts, National Security and Strategic Studies, National War College, Fort Lesley J. McNair, Washington, D.C.

2012 Leadership Development Program, Center for Creative Leadership, Greensboro, N.C.

2013 Massachusetts Institute of Technology Seminar XXI, Washington, D.C.

2018 Cyber Operations Executive Course, Maxwell AFB, Ala

2019 The Higher Command and Staff Course, Defence Academy of the United Kingdom, Shrivenham, UK

ASSIGNMENTS

1. July 1992 - September 1993, Student, Undergraduate Pilot Training, 84th and 85th Flying Training Squadrons, Laughlin AFB, Texas.

2. January 1994 - July 1997, C-5 Aircraft Commander, 3rd Airlift Squadron, Dover AFB, Del.

3. July 1997 - May 1999, Air Force Intern, Secretary of the Air Force Staff Group and Joint Staff Logistics Readiness Center, the Pentagon, Arlington, Va.

4. May 1999 - July 2002, C-5 Evaluator Pilot, 22nd Airlift Squadron, Travis AFB, Calif.
5. July 2002 - July 2004, R/MQ-1B Predator Instructor Pilot, 15th Reconnaissance Squadron, Nellis AFB, Nev.
6. August 2004 - June 2005, Student, Air Command and Staff College, Maxwell AFB, Ala.
7. June 2005 - February 2008, Branch Chief, "Engine Room" Program Integration Division, Directorate of Programming, Deputy Chief of Staff, Strategic Plans and Programs, the Pentagon, Arlington, Va.
8. March 2008 - March 2010, Commander, 436th Operations Support Squadron, Dover AFB, Del.
9. July 2009 - January 2010 (Deployed), Deputy Commander, 332nd Expeditionary Operations Group, JB Balad, Iraq
10. March 2010 - July 2010, Deputy Commander, 436th Operations Group, Dover AFB, Del.
11. August 2010 - June 2011, Student, National War College, Ft McNair, Washington D.C.
12. June 2011 - July 2013, CSAF Fellow, with duty as Chief of Staff, Pakistan Afghanistan Coordination Cell, the Joint Staff, the Pentagon, Arlington, Va.
13. July 2013 – June 2015, Commander, 62nd Airlift Wing, JB Lewis-McChord, Wash.
14. July 2015 – May 2018, Director, Air Force General Officer Management, Deputy Chief of Staff for Manpower, Personnel and Services, Headquarters U.S. Air Force, the Pentagon, Arlington, Va.
15. June 2018 – April 2019, Director, Air Force Executive Talent Management, Office of the Vice Chief of Staff, Headquarters U.S. Air Force, the Pentagon, Arlington, Va.
16. April 2019 – present, Director, Joint Force Integration, Deputy Chief of Staff for Strategy, Integration and Requirements, Headquarters U.S. Air Force, the Pentagon, Arlington, Va.

SUMMARY OF JOINT ASSIGNMENTS

June 2011 - July 2013, CSAF Fellow, with duty as Chief of Staff, Pakistan Afghanistan Coordination Cell, the Joint Staff, the Pentagon, Arlington, Va. As a lieutenant colonel and colonel

FLIGHT INFORMATION

Rating: Command Pilot

Flight hours: More than 3,500

Aircraft flown: C-17A, C-5A/B, RQ/MQ-1

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Defense Superior Service Medal

Legion of Merit

Meritorious Service Medal with three oak leaf clusters

Air Medal

Aerial Achievement Medal with one oak leaf cluster

Air Force Commendation Medal with one oak leaf cluster

Army Commendation Medal

EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION

Second Lieutenant May 27, 1992

First Lieutenant May 27, 1994

Captain May 27, 1996

Major November 1, 2002

Lieutenant Colonel August 1, 2007

Colonel September 1, 2011

Brigadier General September 22, 2017

(Current as of June 2018)



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UNITED STATES AIR FORCE



BRIGADIER GENERAL LAURA L. LENDERMAN

Brig. Gen. Laura L. Lenderman, is Commander, 502nd Air Base Wing and Joint Base San Antonio, Texas, which unifies 11 geographically distinct locations including JBSA-Fort Sam Houston, JBSA-Lackland, JBSA-Randolph and JBSA-Camp Bullis. The 8,000-person 502nd ABW executes 49 installation support functions to enable the largest Joint Base in the Department of Defense consisting of 266 Mission Partners, 80,000 full-time personnel and a local community of more than 250,000 retirees. The 502nd ABW also manages and provides oversight for major projects, facilities and infrastructure worth \$37 billion.

Prior to assuming her current position, General Lenderman served as Deputy Director (Military), Strategic Plans, Policy, and Logistics, U.S. Transportation Command, Scott Air Force Base, Illinois. The Strategic Plans, Policy and Logistics Directorate is the Command lead for future initiatives, including strategic, campaign and operational planning, logistical transformation, force programming, policy development and operational traffic management policies and procedures to ensure readiness and capability to meet current, projected and emerging requirements.



General Lenderman graduated from Duke University with an electrical engineering degree in 1993. After attending pilot training at Columbus Air Force Base, Mississippi, she served several tours flying the KC-135 at Grand Forks AFB, North Dakota, Fairchild AFB, Washington, and Altus AFB, Oklahoma. Her staff assignments include serving as the Chief, Commander's Action Group and Executive Officer to the Commander, Air Mobility Command, Scott AFB, Illinois. and the Analysis Branch Chief, Joint Staff J-8, Washington, D.C. General Lenderman also commanded the 15th Air Mobility Operations Squadron at Travis AFB, California, served as the Vice Commander of the 380th Air Expeditionary Wing in Southwest Asia, and commanded the 375th Air Mobility Wing at Scott AFB, Illinois.

EDUCATION

1993 Bachelor of Science degree, Cum Laude, electrical engineering, Duke University, N.C.

1998 Squadron Officer School, Maxwell AFB, Ala.

2000 Master of Science degree, business administration/organizational management, George Washington University, Washington, D.C.

2006 Master of Science degree, military operational art and science, Air Command and Staff College,

Maxwell AFB, Ala.

2007 Master of Science degree, airpower art and science, School of Advanced Air and Space Studies, Maxwell AFB, Ala.

2008 Air War College by correspondence, Maxwell AFB, Ala.

2010 National Security Research Fellow, John F. Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass.

ASSIGNMENTS

1. March 1994 - March 1995, student, Undergraduate Pilot Training, Columbus AFB, Miss.
2. March 1995 - July 1998, KC-135R Pilot/Aircraft Commander, Grand Forks AFB, N.D.
3. July 1998 - August 2000, student, Air Force Intern Program, the Pentagon, Arlington, Va.
4. September 2000 - August 2003, KC-135R Instructor Pilot, Fairchild AFB, Wash.
5. August 2003 - July 2005, KC-135R Instructor/Evaluator Pilot, Altus AFB, Okla.
6. August 2005 - June 2006, student, Air Command and Staff College, Maxwell AFB, Ala.
7. July 2006 - June 2007, student, School of Advanced Air and Space Studies, Maxwell AFB, Ala.
8. June 2007 - June 2009, Commander, 15th Air Mobility Operations Squadron, Travis AFB, Calif.
9. June 2009 - June 2010, National Security Research Fellow, John F. Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass.
10. June 2010 - July 2012, Chief, Commander's Action Group and Executive Officer to the Commander, Air Mobility Command, Scott AFB, Ill.
11. July 2012 - August 2013, Vice Commander, 380th Air Expeditionary Wing, Southwest Asia
12. August 2013 - August 2015, Chief, Analysis Branch, Program and Budget Analysis Division, Joint Staff J-8, Washington, D.C.
13. August 2015 - August 2017, Commander, 375th Air Mobility Wing, Scott AFB, Ill.
14. August 2017 - June 2018, Deputy Director-Military, Strategic Plans, Policy, and Logistics, U.S. Transportation Command, Scott AFB, Ill.
15. June 2018 - present, Commander, 502nd Air Base Wing and Joint Base San Antonio, Texas

FLIGHT INFORMATION

Rating: command pilot

Flight Hours: more than 3,000

Aircraft Flown: KC-135R/T, KC-10 and C-17A

PUBLICATIONS

"The Rise of Air Mobility and Its Generals," Air University Press, January 2008

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Defense Superior Service Medal

Legion of Merit

Bronze Star

Defense Meritorious Service Medal

Meritorious Service Medal with three oak leaf clusters

Aerial Achievement Medal with five oak leaf clusters

Air Force Commendation Medal with oak leaf cluster

Air Force Achievement Medal with oak leaf cluster

EFFECTIVE DATE OF PROMOTION

Second Lieutenant Sept. 21, 1993

First Lieutenant Sept. 21, 1995

Captain Sept. 21, 1997

Major Feb. 1, 2004

Lieutenant Colonel Sept. 1, 2007

Colonel Sept. 1, 2011

Brigadier General Aug. 1, 2018

(Current as of October 2018)



United States Navy **Biography**

REAR ADMIRAL FREDRICK R. LUCHTMAN **Physiological Episodes Action Team (PEAT) Lead**

Rear Admiral Fredrick “Lucky” Luchtman is a native of Auburn Hills, Michigan and a 1989 graduate of the U. S. Naval Academy. In December 1991, he was designated a Naval Aviator in Beeville, Texas.

As a career F/A-18 Hornet and Super Hornet pilot, he commanded Carrier Air Wing Seven (CVW-7) and Strike Fighter Squadron Fifteen (VFA-15). Luchtman also deployed with VFA-82, VFA-136, VFA-131 and CVW-2. He participated in Operations Southern Watch, Deny Flight, Deliberate Force, Enduring Freedom, Iraqi Freedom and Inherent Resolve.

Ashore, Luchtman has served as a Strike Fighter Tactics Instructor at Strike Fighter Weapons School, Atlantic; C4 Systems Chief at U.S. Strategic Command; Tactical Air Commander Detailer and the Executive Assistant to Commander, Navy Personnel Command; and Executive Assistant to Commander, U.S. Pacific Fleet.



Luchtman was promoted to flag rank in August 2018 after assuming his role as Physiological Episodes Action Team (PEAT) lead.

Luchtman is a graduate of the Navy Fighter Weapons School (TOPGUN) and of the Naval War College, earning a Master of Arts in National Security and Strategic Studies.

He has accumulated more than 4,000 hours and 1,000 carrier arrested landings in Navy jet aircraft.

Luchtman’s personal awards include the Legion of Merit, Bronze Star, Defense Meritorious Service Medal, Meritorious Service Medal, Air Medal with Combat “V”, Strike/Flight Air Medal (8 awards) and other personal and unit awards.



BIOGRAPHY

UNITED STATES TRANSPORTATION COMMAND

Office of Public Affairs, Scott Air Force Base, Illinois 62225-5357

Brig. Gen. Robert K. Lyman

Brig. Gen. Rob Lyman is the Director of Command, Control, Communications and Cyber (C4) Systems, for U.S. Transportation Command, Scott Air Force Base, Illinois. He is responsible for the planning, integration, operations, and maintenance of USTRANSCOM's C4 systems. He serves as the command's chief information officer, responsible for the investment strategy for all information technology resources. He is also dual-hatted as the Deputy Director for Cyberspace Operations, where he leads the command's cyber mission assurance and cyber effects efforts.

Lyman entered the active duty U.S. Air Force in Sept. 1993 as a distinguished graduate from the ROTC program at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, New York. He has served unit level tours in logistics, combat communications, space operations, joint special operations and on headquarters staffs at major command, Headquarters Air Force, sub-unified joint command, and joint task force level. He has extensive joint experience and is a fully qualified joint specialty officer as well as having commanded at squadron, group, and wing levels.



EDUCATION

- 1993 Bachelor of Science degree in Electrical Engineering, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, N.Y.
- 1999 Distinguished Graduate and Outstanding Contributor, Squadron Officer School, Maxwell Air Force Base, Ala.
- 2001 Master of Arts degree in Organizational Management, George Washington University, Washington D.C.
- 2001 Certificate in Legislative Studies, Government Affairs Institute at Georgetown University, Washington D.C.
- 2004 Air Command and Staff College by correspondence
- 2007 U.S. Army Command and General Staff College, Fort Leavenworth, Kan.
- 2007 Air War College by correspondence
- 2010 White House Fellowship, Washington D.C.
- 2012 U.S. Air Force Leadership Enhancement Program, Center for Creative Leadership, Greensboro, N.C.
- 2017 U.S. Air Force Enterprise Leadership Seminar, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, N.C.
- 2018 Cybersecurity: The Intersection of Policy and Technology, Harvard Kennedy School, Cambridge, Ma.

ASSIGNMENTS

1. September 1993 – July 1996, B-1B Avionics Software Engineer, B-1B System Support Management Division, Oklahoma City Air Logistics Center, Tinker Air Force Base, Okla.
2. July 1996 – July 1997, Executive Officer, Aircraft Directorate, Oklahoma City Air Logistics Center, Tinker Air Force Base, Okla.
3. July 1997 – November 1997, Student, Basic Communications Officer Training (BCOT), Class Leader of Class 970721, Keesler Air Force Base, Miss.
4. November 1997 – July 1999, Commander, Network Systems Flight, 52d Combat Communications Squadron, 5th Combat Communications Group, Robins AFB, Ga.
5. July 1999 – May 2001, Air Force Intern, Air Force Intern Program, Pentagon, Washington D.C. Duty in the Office of the Undersecretary of Defense for Personnel & Readiness and the Office of the U.S. Air Force Deputy Chief of Staff for Communications & Information.
6. May 2001 – August 2003, Deputy Flight Commander, Plans and Policy Flight, 850th Communications Squadron, then Director of Operations, Space and Information Systems, 50th Communications Squadron, then, Commander, Missions Systems Flight, 50th Space Communications Squadron, Schriever Air Force Base, Colo.

7. August 2003 – August 2004, Staff Action Control Officer, Office of the Secretary Combined Joint Staff, Headquarters, United Nations Command / ROK-US Combined Forces Command / United States Forces Korea, Yongsan Garrison, Seoul, Republic of Korea.
8. August 2004 – June 2006, Operations Planner, Communications Operations Division, Directorate of Command, Control, Communications & Computer Systems (J6), Joint Special Operations Command, Fort Bragg, N.C.
9. June 2006 – June 2007, Student, United States Army Command and General Staff College, Fort Leavenworth, Kan.
10. July 2007 – July 2009, Commander, 96th Communications Squadron, Eglin AFB, Fla.
11. August 2009 – August 2010, White House Fellow with placement in the Office of the Secretary, United States Department of Transportation, Washington D.C.
12. September 2010 – July 2011, Chief, Strategy Integration, Office of the Secretary of the Air Force, Office of the Deputy Chief Management Officer, Pentagon, Washington D.C.
13. July 2011 – July 2013, Commander, 88th Communications Group, Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio.
14. July 2013 – July 2015, Director of Communications and Chief Information Officer, Headquarters Air Mobility Command, Scott AFB, IL.
15. July 2015 – July 2017, Commander, 628th Air Base Wing and Commander, Joint Base Charleston, Charleston, SC.
16. July 2017 – July 2018, Director of Communications (J6), Joint Special Operations Command, Fort Bragg, NC.
17. July 2018 – present, Director, Command, Control, Communications, and Cyber (C4) Systems, USTRANSCOM (TCJ6), Scott Air Force Base, IL.

SUMMARY OF JOINT ASSIGNMENTS

1. January 2000 – June 2000, Air Force Intern, Air Force Intern Program, Pentagon, Washington D.C., Duty in the Office of the Undersecretary of Defense for Personnel & Readiness, as a captain
2. October 2001 – April 2002, Chief, Communications Engineering Branch, Joint Task Force-Southwest Asia, U.S. Central Command, Prince Sultan AB, KSA, as a captain
3. March 2003 – May 2003, Deputy Chief, Theater Communications Operations & Engineering, US Central Air Force, Prince Sultan AB, KSA, as a captain
4. August 2003 – August 2004, Staff Action Control Officer, Office of the Secretary Combined Joint Staff, Headquarters, United Nations Command / ROK-US Combined Forces Command / United States Forces Korea, Yongsan Garrison, Seoul, Republic of Korea, as a major
5. August 2004 – June 2006, Operations Planner, Communications Operations Division, Directorate of Command, Control, Communications & Computer Systems (J6), Joint Special Operations Command, Fort Bragg, N.C., as a major
6. August 2009 – August 2010, White House Fellow with placement in the Office of the Secretary, United States Department of Transportation, Washington D.C., as a lieutenant colonel
7. July 2017 – June 2018, Director of Communications (J6), Joint Special Operations Command, Fort Bragg, N.C., as a colonel
8. June 2018 – present, Director, Command, Control, Communications, and Cyber (C4) Systems, USTRANSCOM (TCJ6), Scott Air Force Base, Ill, as a brigadier general

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Defense Superior Service Medal
 Legion of Merit with two oak leaf cluster
 Bronze Star Medal with two oak leaf clusters
 Defense Meritorious Service Medal with oak leaf cluster
 Meritorious Service Medal with two oak leaf clusters
 Air Force Commendation Medal with two oak leaf clusters
 Joint Service Achievement Medal
 Air Force Achievement Medal with oak leaf cluster
 Military Outstanding Volunteer Service Medal with two service stars

EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION

Second Lieutenant	May 13, 1993
First Lieutenant	July 19, 1995
Captain	July 19, 1997
Major	Dec. 1, 2003
Lieutenant Colonel	Sept. 1, 2007
Colonel	Sept. 1, 2011
Brigadier General	July 3, 2018

(Current as of May 2019)



BIOGRAPHY



UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

BRIGADIER GENERAL DAVID J. MEYER

Brigadier General David J. Meyer is currently assigned to Stuttgart Germany as the Deputy Director of United States European Command Plans and Operations. The Directorate enables the command to integrate and synchronize joint operations supporting U.S. interests and regional alliances in the European Command area of responsibility in conjunction with our Allies, Partner nations, interagency stakeholders and the Department of Defense. General Meyer's specific portfolio includes oversight of the Integrated Air and Missile Defense Division, the Information Operations and Special Activities Division, and the Nuclear Operations Division.

General Meyer was commissioned through the United States Air Force Academy. He is a command pilot with more than 4,300 F-16 hours in Pacific Air Command, Air Combat Command, and the Air National Guard. He has served as an F-16 instructor pilot, operational test pilot, and flight evaluator and flew over 70 combat missions in Operations Iraqi Freedom, Enduring Freedom, and Southern Watch. General Meyer is a graduate of the United States Air Force Fighter Weapons School. His staff and joint experience includes an assignment at Headquarters Air Force and the National Guard Bureau.



EDUCATION

1987 Bachelor of Science degree, United States Air Force Academy, Colorado Springs, Colo.
1994 Squadron Officer School, Maxwell Air Force Base, Ala.
1994 United States Air Force Fighter Weapons School, Nellis AFB, Nev.
2003 Air Command and Staff College, Maxwell AFB, Ala., by correspondence
2007 Air War College, Maxwell AFB, Ala., by correspondence
2014 Joint Task Force Commander Course, United States Northern Command, Peterson AFB, Colo.
2016 Defense Support of Civil Authorities Course, Peterson AFB, Colo.
2017 Senior Manager Course in National Security Leadership, George Washington University, Washington, District of Columbia
2017 Senior Leadership Orientation Course, Joint Base Andrews, Maryland
2018 National Security Studies Management Course, Syracuse University, Syracuse, N.Y.
2018 Senior Executive Seminar, George C. Marshall Center, Garmisch, Germany

ASSIGNMENTS

1. June 1987 - June 1988, Student Pilot, 50th Flying Training Squadron, Columbus AFB, Miss.
2. July 1988 – June 1989, Student Pilot, F-16 Flying Training Unit, MacDill AFB, Fla.
3. July 1989 – July 1990, F-16 Pilot, 35th Fighter Squadron, Kunsan Air Base, Republic of Korea
4. July 1990 – January 1993, F-16 Instructor Pilot, 421st and 34th Fighter Squadron, Hill AFB, Utah
5. February 1993 - July 1996, F-16 Instructor Pilot and Operational Test and Evaluation Project Officer, Chief of Weapons and Test Management, 85th Test and Evaluation Squadron, Chief of Flight Safety, Air Warfare Center, Eglin AFB, Fla.

6. August 1996 - May 1999, F-16 Instructor Pilot, Flight Commander, later, Assistant Director of Operations, F-16 Division of USAF Weapons School, Nellis AFB, Nev.
7. June 1999 – June 2001, F-16 Instructor Pilot, Chief Wing Weapons and Tactics, 20th Operational Support Squadron, Assistant Director of Operations, 77th Fighter Squadron, Shaw AFB, S.C.
8. June 2001 – March 2010, F-16 Instructor Pilot and Weapons and Tactics Officer, later, Assistant Director of Operations, later, Director of Operations 157th Fighter Squadron, McEntire Joint National Guard Base, S.C.
9. March 2010 – May 2011, Vice Commander, 169th FW, McEntire Joint National Guard Base, S.C.
10. May 2011 – April 2014, Commander 169th Operations Group, McEntire Joint National Guard Base, S.C. and (April-Aug 2012) Deputy Commander 451st Expeditionary Operations Group, Kandahar AB, Afghanistan
11. May 2014 – May 2016, Commander, 169th Fighter Wing, McEntire Joint National Guard Base, S.C.
12. May 2016 – June 2017, Chief, Current Operations, National Guard Bureau J-3/7, Arlington Hall, Va.
13. June 2017 – Sept 2017, Special Assistant to the Director Air National Guard for Headquarters Air Force, Air National Guard Assistant for Training and Readiness, Arlington, Virginia.
14. October 2017 – Present, Deputy Director of Plans and Operations, United States European Command, USEUCOM, Stuttgart-Vaihingen, APO AE

FLIGHT INFORMATION

Rating: Command pilot

Total flight hours: 4,300+

Aircraft flown: F-16C/CG/CJ, T-38, AT-38, T-37

AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Legion of Merit with oak leaf cluster

Defense Meritorious Service Medal

Meritorious Service Medal with one silver and one bronze oak leaf cluster

Air Medal with three oak leaf clusters

Aerial Achievement Medal with oak leaf cluster

Air Force Commendation Medal with oak leaf cluster

Air Force Achievement Medal with oak leaf cluster

Air Force Outstanding Unit Award with Valor and bronze oak leaf cluster

Air Force Organizational Excellence Award

Combat Readiness Medal with two silver oak leaf clusters

Southwest Asia Service Medal with bronze service star

Afghanistan Campaign Medal with bronze service star

Iraq Campaign Medal with bronze service star

Korean Defense Service Medal

Air Force Overseas Ribbon Short with oak leaf cluster

Air Force Expeditionary Service Ribbon with Gold Border and oak leaf cluster

Air Force Longevity Service with one silver and one bronze oak leaf cluster

Armed Forces Reserve Medal with two M Devices

NATO Medal for Afghanistan

Kuwait Liberation Medal Government of Kuwait

EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION

Second Lieutenant May 27, 1987

First Lieutenant May 27, 1989

Captain May 27, 1991

Major Dec. 1, 1998

Lieutenant Colonel Dec. 9, 2003

Colonel March 30, 2011

Brigadier General 16 June 2017

(Current as of March 2019)

Danielle Miller

Ms. Danielle Miller is the Director for Readiness and Force Employment Division within the office of Cost Assessment and Program Evaluation (CAPE). She leads CAPE's analysis of the Services' readiness portfolios and is responsible for the content and funding for DoD's five-year readiness program. She also oversees a data analytic team, which provides support to strategic studies, such as the National Defense Strategy and Strategic Portfolio Reviews.

Prior to serving as rFED's Director, she was rFED's Navy Afloat Readiness portfolio manager. In this role, she led the annual ship readiness issue team. She also served as the Lead Global Posture Analyst representing CAPE in the global posture community and informing facilities investments across the globe. She also led a Strategic Portfolio Review focused on developing new analytic methods to evaluate readiness.

Ms. Miller was the Deputy Director of the Joint Data Support Division within CAPE. In this role she managed teams of analysts developing force structure and historic deployment data. She supported programmatic decisions and major strategic studies such as Strategic Choices Management Review.

In the private sector Ms. Miller provided contracting support to CAPE, the United States Air Force, and the Department of Labor. She also has extensive experience in the non-profit sector having worked for Special Olympics Florida and the Better Housing League of Greater Cincinnati as a development officer securing funding from a variety of foundations and local, state, and federal agencies.

She is graduated from Florida State University with an MA in International Affairs and BS from Wright State University in International Studies.





BRIGADIER GENERAL DUANE R. MILLER

**Commanding General,
U.S. Army Corrections Command (ACC)
and
Deputy Commanding General,
U.S. Army Criminal Investigation
Command (USACIDC)**

BG Miller was commissioned as a Second Lieutenant in 1992 after serving as an enlisted Soldier in the 18th MP Brigade; the Supreme Allied Commander Europe Security Detachment/CID, Belgium; and the 28th Infantry Division, Pennsylvania Army National Guard.

BG Miller's key command and leadership assignments include: Chief of Staff, Senior Fellow to the Atlantic Council and the HQDA Lead Integrator for the Long Range Precision Fires Cross Functional Team, Washington D.C.; Commander, 8th MP Brigade and Director of Emergency Services, USARPAC, HI; Senior Advisor to the Minister of Interior, Afghanistan, in support of Operation Resolute Support; Executive Officer to the Provost Marshal General, and Commanding General, U.S. Army Criminal Investigation Command, Defense Forensics and Biometrics Agency & Army Corrections Command; Commander, 95th MP Battalion, Germany; Force Development Integrator and Executive Officer to the G3/5/7, Army Staff, HQDA; Operations and Executive Officer, 793d MP Battalion, Germany, including service in Iraq in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom; Company Commander and Platoon Leader for the 25th MP Battalion, HI.

BG Miller's military education and professional associations include: Basic Training/AIT through Command & General Staff College and USMC War College. Civilian education achievements include: A.A. in Criminal Justice from Harrisburg Area Community College; B.S. in Business Administration (Accounting) from Duquesne University, M.B.A. from Syracuse University/Army Comptroller Program; Masters of Strategic Studies from USMC War College.

BG Miller's awards and decorations include the Legion of Merit; Defense Meritorious Service Medal, Bronze Star Medal (2 OLC); Meritorious Service Medal (3 OLC); Joint and NATO Service Medals; Defense, Expeditionary and Humanitarian Service-Medals; Iraq and Afghanistan Campaign Medals; Ranger Tab; Combat Action, Air Assault and Airborne Badges, along with the Order of the Marechaussee (Silver) for achievement and service within the U.S. Army Military Police Regiment.

BG Miller has been married to his college sweetheart, Heidi, since 1994. They have one daughter, Madison (15) and reside in Montclair, VA.



United States Navy Biography

REAR ADMIRAL ANDREW J. MUELLER **Deputy Commander, Navy Recruiting Command**

Rear Adm. Andrew J. Mueller graduated from the University of Rochester in New York, earning a Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering in 1988. He received his commission through the Naval Reserve Officer Training Corps program and was designated a naval aviator in March of 1991. He is a distinguished graduate from the Marine Corps Command and Staff College Distant Education Program.



Mueller's operational tours include flying the A-6E Intruder with the "Main Battery" of Attack Squadron (VA) 196 stationed on board Naval Air Station (NAS) Whidbey Island, Washington. Following F/A-18 aircraft transition training, he reported for a second sea tour flying the F/A-18C with the "Golden Warriors" of Strike Fighter Squadron (VFA) 87 stationed on board NAS Cecil Field, Florida. While conducting Adriatic Sea operations, he served as the John F. Kennedy Carrier Strike Group liaison officer to the Combined Air Operations Center, Vicenza, Italy. He later deployed with VFA-204 and Carrier Air Wing Reserve 20 on board USS Nimitz (CVN 68) for an Around-the-Horn deployment.

Mueller's command tours include VFA-204 on board NAS New Orleans, Louisiana; Training Air Wing 1 Reserve Component Command on board NAS Meridian, Mississippi; Navy Reserve Carrier Strike Group (NR CSG) 5 supporting Commander, Task Force 70, the USS George Washington Carrier Strike Group, forward deployed to Naval Station, Yokosuka, Japan; U.S. Naval Forces Europe-Africa/U.S. 6th Fleet Det. 802 supporting Commander, Naval Forces Europe/Africa/U.S. 6th Fleet in Naples, Italy.

Shore Assignments include training officer and wing landing signal officer with Commander, Medium Attack Wing Pacific; department head tours in safety, operations and maintenance with VFA-204; chief of staff with NR CSG-5; NEPLO (Navy Emergency Preparedness Liaison Officer) for the State of Mississippi; deputy commander, Navy Region Southeast Reserve Component Command Fort Worth, Texas. Chief of staff, NR Deputy Chief of Naval Operations for Operations, Plans and Strategy (N3/N5).

He is authorized to wear the Legion of Merit, Meritorious Service Medal, Air Medal (Strike Flight), Navy and Marine Corps Commendation Medal, Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medal, as well as various campaign and unit awards.



United States Navy Biography

Rear Admiral Scott W. Pappano Program Executive Officer, Columbia

Rear Adm. Scott Pappano is a native of Bethlehem, Pennsylvania. He is a 1989 graduate of the U.S. Naval Academy with a Bachelor of Science in Marine Engineering and also holds a Master of Science degree in Nuclear Engineering from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

At sea, Pappano served on USS *City of Corpus Christi* (SSN 705), USS *Albuquerque* (SSN 706), USS *Michigan* (SSBN 727 Gold), and USS *Ohio* (SSGN 726). He commanded USS *Buffalo* (SSN 715) while forward-deployed in Guam.

Assignments ashore include duty in the Commander, Submarine Development Squadron 12 Tactical Action Group; onboard X-Daniel Webster (MTS 626) at Naval Nuclear Power Training Unit Charleston, S.C.; military assistant to the Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Policy; and executive assistant to the Director, Programming Division (N80) on the Navy Staff.

After selection as an Acquisition Professional, Pappano served in the Special Operations Forces Mobility Program Office (PMS 399); as executive assistant to the Commander, Naval Sea Systems Command; and as major program manager for the Strategic and Attack Submarine Program Office (PMS 392).

Pappano was assigned as Program Executive Officer, Columbia in March 2019. His previous Flag assignments include Commander, Naval Undersea Warfare Center and Director, Comprehensive Test Facility.

Pappano served on teams that have been awarded the Joint Meritorious Unit Award, the Navy Unit Commendation, the Meritorious Unit Commendation, and the Navy "E" Ribbon.



REAR ADMIRAL WILL PENNINGTON
Director, Global Integration and Engagement, OPNAV N5I

Rear Adm. Will Pennington is a native of Wilton, Iowa. He graduated from the United States Naval Academy in 1989 with a Bachelor of Science in Economics. He is a graduate of Air Command and Staff College, Joint Forces Staff College, and holds a Masters in Engineering Management from Old Dominion University in Norfolk, Virginia.



Pennington was designated a naval aviator in 1991 and has deployed nine times with operational tours in F-14 and FA-18 aircraft supporting Operations Southern Watch, Allied Force, Enduring Freedom, Iraqi Freedom, New Dawn, and Inherent Resolve. Early assignments include Fighter Squadron (VF) 154 forward deployed to NAF Atsugi, Japan, the Carrier Air Wing (CVW) Eight Staff, and VF-14 where he served as Operations Officer during the Navy's first Tomcat to Super Hornet transition. He later returned to command Strike Fighter Squadron (VFA) 14. Additional sea tours include Executive Officer of USS George H.W. Bush (CVN 77) during her initial certification and maiden combat deployment and Commanding Officer of USS Blue Ridge (LCC 19), the Seventh Fleet Flagship forward deployed to Yokosuka, Japan. Most recently, he served as Commanding Officer of USS George H.W. Bush (CVN 77) and completed a record setting combat deployment for which the crew was recognized with the Atlantic Fleet Battle 'E', the Jig Dog Ramage Award for excellence in integrated Carrier Air Wing operations, the Flatley Memorial Safety Award, and the Chief of Naval Operations Award for Excellence in Environmental Stewardship.

Pennington's shore tours include instructor duty with Fighter Squadron (VF) 101, the F-14 Fleet Replacement Squadron, Executive Assistant to the Director of Plans and Policy (J5) at USSTRATCOM and subsequently as Special Assistant to the Commander at USSTRATCOM. He has also served as the Commander Detailer for Tactical Aviation within Pers-43 at Navy Personnel Command, Aircraft Carrier Requirements Officer at Naval Air Force Atlantic Fleet, and Chief of Staff at Naval Air Force Atlantic.

His awards include the Legion of Merit, Joint Meritorious Service Medal, Meritorious Service Medal, Air Medal (Strike Flight and Individual Action with Combat V), Navy and Marine Corps Commendation Medal, Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medal, and various campaign, unit and service awards.



BIOGRAPHY

UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

Brigadier General Scott A. Sauter

Brigadier General Scott A. Sauter is the Special Assistant to the Chief Air Force Reserve and Military Deputy for Total Force Integration, Office of the Air Force Director of Staff, U.S. Air Force, Washington, D.C. On behalf of the Secretary of the Air Force and the Chief of Staff of the Air Force, the Total Force Integration Office works to identify the appropriate force mix of active and reserve components across missions and platforms to reduce legal, organizational, policy, and cultural barriers to a more fully integrated Air Force.



General Sauter entered the Air Force in 1988 as a Distinguished Graduate of the Air Force Reserve Officer Training Corps. Following Undergraduate Pilot Training in 1990, he was a T-37 First Assignment Instructor Pilot and went on to become a C-5 Evaluator Aircraft Commander before entering the Air Force Reserve via Palace Chase in 1998. General Sauter's career in the Reserve has included assignments as a Traditional Reservist, Individual Mobilization Augmentee, and Active Guard Reserve supporting several Major Commands, the United States Air Force Academy, the Office of the Secretary of Defense, and multiple assignments on the Air Staff. He has flown operationally, to include combat time, in support of overseas contingency operations and humanitarian airlift missions; and, was mobilized in support of Operation ENDURING FREEDOM after 9/11. General Sauter has commanded at the squadron and wing levels.

In his civilian career, General Sauter is a pilot and check airman with a major commercial airline.

EDUCATION

- 1988 Bachelor of Electrical Engineering, Catholic University, Washington, D.C.
- 1994 Squadron Officer School, Air University, Maxwell AFB, Ala.
- 2002 Air Command and Staff College, by correspondence, Air University, Maxwell AFB, Ala.
- 2003 Master of Aeronautical Science, Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University, Daytona Beach, Fla.
- 2007 Reserve Component National Security Course, National Defense University, Ft. Lesley J. McNair, Washington, D.C.
- 2007 Master of Science, Electrical Engineering, Oklahoma State University, Stillwater, Okla.
- 2007 Air War College, by correspondence, Air University, Maxwell AFB, Ala.
- 2010 Senior Acquisition Course, Defense Acquisition University, Ft. Belvoir, Va.
- 2010 Master of Science degree, National Resource Strategy, Industrial College of the Armed Forces, Ft. Lesley J. McNair, Washington, D.C.
- 2011 NATO Senior Officer Policy Course, NATO School, Oberammergau, Germany
- 2012 National and International Security Leadership Seminar, Alan L. Freed Associates, Capitol Hill Club, Washington, D.C.
- 2014 Air Force Reserve Command Wing and Group Commander Orientation Course, AFRC Professional Development Center, Robins AFB, Ga.

2015 Director of Mobility Forces Course, U.S. Air Force Expeditionary Operations Center, Detachment 1, Hurlburt Field, Fla.
2015 Enterprise Perspective Seminar, Alan L. Freed Associates, Capitol Hill Club, Washington, D.C.
2016 China, Middle East and South Asia Seminar, Alan L. Freed Associates, Capitol Hill Club, Washington, D.C.
2017 Transnational Issues Seminar, Alan L. Freed Associates, Capitol Hill Club, Washington, D.C.
2017 Continuous Process Improvement for Executives, Institute for Defense Business, Cincinnati, Ohio

ASSIGNMENTS

1. March 1989 – March 1990, Student, Undergraduate Pilot Training, Reese AFB, Texas
2. March – August 1990, Student, T-37 Pilot Instructor Training, Randolph AFB, Texas
3. August 1990 – November 1994, T-37 Instructor Pilot, Check Pilot, and Assistant Flight Commander, 35th Flying Training Squadron, Reese AFB, Texas
4. November 1994 – February 1995, Student, C-5 Aircraft Commander Initial Qualification, Altus AFB, Okla.
5. February 1995 – February 1998, C-5 Aircraft Commander, Flight Examiner and Flight Commander, 22nd Airlift Squadron, Travis AFB, Calif.
6. February 1998 – December 2002, C-5 Instructor Pilot and Flight Examiner, 68th Airlift Squadron, Lackland AFB, Texas
7. December 2002 – June 2004, Director, System Safety/Test, Oklahoma City Air Logistics Center, Tinker AFB, Okla.
8. June – October 2004, Individual Mobilization Augmentee to the 34th Operations Group Director of Standardization and Evaluation, U.S. Air Force Academy, Colo.
9. October 2004 – July 2006, Flight Operations Officer and TG-10 Instructor Pilot, 302d Operations Group Detachment 1, later activated as 70th Flying Training Squadron, U.S. Air Force Academy, Colo.
10. July 2006 – July 2009, Commander, 70th Flying Training Squadron, U.S. Air Force Academy, Colo., also Adjunct Faculty, Department of Mathematical Sciences, July 2008 – May 2009
11. July 2009 – June 2010, Student, Industrial College of the Armed Forces, Ft Lesley J. McNair, Washington, D.C.
12. July 2010 – April 2013, Deputy Director, Training Program Management. Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense, Reserve Affairs, the Pentagon
13. April 2013 – July 2015, Vice Commander, 315th Airlift Wing, Joint Base Charleston, S.C., April – November 2014, March – April 2015, served as Commander, 315th Airlift Wing
14. July 2015 – January 2017, Mobilization Assistant to the Deputy Chief of Staff for Manpower, Personnel and Services, Headquarters U.S. Air Force, the Pentagon
15. January 2017 – May 2018, Mobilization Assistant to the Director of Current Operations (reorganized as Training and Readiness), Deputy Chief of Staff for Operations, Headquarters U.S. Air Force, the Pentagon
16. June 2018 – present, Special Assistant to the Chief of the Air Force Reserve and Military Deputy for Total Force Integration, Director of Staff, Headquarters U.S. Air Force, the Pentagon

SUMMARY OF JOINT ASSIGNMENTS

July 2010 – April 2013, Deputy Director, Training Program Management, Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense, Reserve Affairs, Pentagon, Washington, D.C. as a lieutenant colonel and colonel

FLIGHT INFORMATION

Rating: Command Pilot

Flight Hours: More than 4,500 military and 3,000 commercial

Aircraft Flown: T-37B, T-38A, C-5A/B/C, TG-10 B/C/D, TG-15A, UV-18B, C-17A, B747-400, B777-200, B737-200/300/500/700/800/900/900ER, A319/320

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Legion of Merit
Defense Meritorious Service Medal
Meritorious Service Medal with four oak leaf clusters
Air Force Commendation Medal
Joint Meritorious Unit Award
Air Force Outstanding Unit Award with three oak leaf clusters
Combat Readiness Medal
Air Force Recognition Ribbon
National Defense Service Medal
Southwest Asia Service Medal
Global War on Terrorism Service Medal
Armed Forces Service Medal
Humanitarian Service Medal
Nuclear Deterrence Operations Service Medal
Air Force Longevity Service Award with six devices
Armed Forces Reserve Medal with two "M" devices
Small Arms Expert Medal-Pistol
Air Force Training Ribbon

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS

Distinguished Graduate, Air Force Reserve Officer Training Corps
Distinguished Graduate, T-37 Pilot Instructor Training
Distinguished Graduate, Squadron Officer School
Air Mobility Command High Flight
Air Mobility Command Rodeo Trophy, Best C-5 Aircrew
Joint Qualified Officer (JQO) Level III

OTHER AFFILIATIONS

Air Force Association – Life Member; Nation's Capital Chapter Board Member, 2011-2013
Reserve Officers Association – Life Member

EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION

Second Lieutenant May 13, 1988
First Lieutenant Oct. 7, 1990
Captain Oct. 7, 1992
Major Oct. 1, 2000
Lieutenant Colonel Aug. 18, 2005
Colonel Aug. 1, 2010
Brigadier General Feb. 1, 2017

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Program Executive Officer **BG MICHAEL E. SLOANE**

Brigadier General Michael E. Sloane is the Program Executive Officer for Simulation, Training and Instrumentation (PEO STRI) in Orlando, Florida. PEO STRI executes a multi-billion dollar program annually, and is staffed by more than 1,000 military, government civilian and service support contractors. The organization also manages Foreign Military Sales programs which support more than 65 countries.

Prior to this assignment, Brigadier General Sloane served as the Assistant Program Executive Officer Enterprise Information Systems (PEO EIS) from December 2016 - June 2018. His responsibilities included the integration of the Army's Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) systems as well as the migration of the ERPs in accordance with the Office of the Secretary of Defense and Army policies to the Defense Information Systems Agency data centers as part of the Army enclave. Prior to his position as Assistant PEO, Brigadier General Sloane served as the Chief of Staff to the Acting Assistant Secretary of the Army (Acquisition, Logistics and Technology).

Brigadier General Sloane was commissioned as an Army officer after earning a Bachelor of Business Administration from Columbus State University in Columbus, Georgia. He earned a Master of Business Administration from Webster University while attending the Command and General Staff College. In 2012, he graduated from the Industrial College of the Armed Forces (ICAF) with a Master of Science in National Resource Strategy and completed the Senior Acquisition Course.

Brigadier General Sloane has had operational assignments as a platoon leader and company executive officer while serving four years in the 24th Infantry Division (Mechanized). In the 24th ID, he deployed for Operations Desert Shield and Desert Storm, to Honduras for Joint Task Force 105 and to support Hurricane Andrew relief operations. His career includes a break in active duty service from 1993 to 1997 during which he worked in corporate industry and started a Limited Liability Corporation.

Upon recall to active duty in 1997, Brigadier General Sloane's military duties commenced with three years in the 10th Mountain Division (Light Infantry) serving as the Division Support Command S4 and as Commander, Bravo Company, 210th Forward Support Battalion. While commanding in the 10th Mountain Division, he deployed to the Balkans with the NATO-led multinational peacekeeping force, Stabilization Force 6.

In 2000, Brigadier General Sloane was assigned to Army Human Resources Command to serve as the Future Readiness Officer and an Assignment Officer. In 2003, following CGSC, he was assigned to the Missile Defense Agency's Terminal High Altitude Area Defense (THAAD) System Project Office as the Assistant Product Manager for Missile Development and later as Assistant Product Manager for THAAD System Test and Evaluation. In 2006, he was assigned to the Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff, G-1 as the lead Personnel Policy Integrator for the Acquisition, Chaplain and Judge Advocate General Corps. From 2008 to 2011, Brigadier General Sloane served in PEO Soldier as the Product Manager for Soldier Clothing and Individual Equipment then, following ICAF, he served three-and-a-half years as the Project Manager for Soldier Sensors and Lasers, starting in 2012.

Brigadier General Sloane's awards and decorations include Legion of Merits, Defense Meritorious Service Medal, Meritorious Service Medals, Army Commendation Medals, Joint Service Achievement Medal, Army Achievement Medals, Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal, Southwest Asia Service Medal (with three Bronze Service Stars), Global War on Terrorism/Service Medal, Humanitarian Service Medals, the NATO Badge, Saudi Arabia and Kuwait Liberation Medals,



RDML Philip E. Sobeck
Director, 21st Century Sailor Office
OPNAV (N17)

Rear Admiral (Lower Half) Sobeck enlisted in 1985 as a Machinist Mate (Nuclear) and calls Boyertown, Pennsylvania his hometown. He is a 1991 graduate of the U.S. Naval Academy and earned a master's degree in organizational management from the George Washington University. He has also served as a fellow for MIT's Seminar XXI Strategic Studies Program.

He is a surface warfare officer whose sea assignments include USS Hawes (FFG 53), USS Gonzalez (DDG 66), USS McFaul (DDG 74), Destroyer Squadron Five Zero (CDS 50), and the First Combined United States and United Kingdom Destroyer Squadron (1 CDS) embarked on USS Harry S. Truman CVN 75). He commanded USS Avenger (MCM 1), USS Ardent (MCM 12), USS Farragut (DDG 99), Destroyer Squadron Five Zero (CDS 50), and Commander Task Force 55. During these tours, he was forward deployed nine times and participated in a multitude of Joint and Combined operations.



Assignments ashore include PERS 410B, Bureau of Naval Personnel, Executive Assistant (EA) to the Commandant of Midshipman, Deputy Director for Maritime Security (Political Military International Security Office, U.S. State Department), Executive Assistant to CNO's Executive Learning Officer, Assistant Deputy Director Flag Officer Management and Detailing (PERS N00F), Senior Military Assistant to USD (Personnel and Readiness), Deputy Executive Assistant to Commander, U.S. Fleet Forces, Director, Future Fleet Design and Architecture OPNAV (N3/N5), Military Assistant to the 76th Secretary of the Navy, Special Assistant to the Digital Warfare Office (N2/N6).

Sobeck became the Director of the 21st Century Sailor Office OPNAV (N17) in May 2018.

His awards are based on being surrounded by incredible shipmates and they include the Defense Superior Service Medal, Legion of Merit, Meritorious Service Medal, and various unit and campaign awards.

Biography

Defense Threat Reduction Agency



Rear Admiral John D. Spencer



Rear Admiral John D. Spencer serves as the Director, Nuclear Enterprise Directorate (NE), Defense Threat Reduction Agency (DTRA). In this capacity he is responsible for the execution of multiple programs providing capabilities to the Warfighter related to the safety, security, and reliability of the U.S. nuclear deterrent and Countering Weapons of Mass Destruction (CWMD).

Rear Admiral Spencer was born and raised in Fairborn, Ohio. He graduated from the United States Naval Academy in 1991 with a degree in Systems Engineering. He earned a master's degree in National Security and Strategic Studies from the Naval War College where he was a Halsey Research Scholar. He also completed a National Security Fellowship at the Harvard Kennedy School of Government.

His sea tours include division officer assignment on USS Maryland (SSBN 738), weapons officer on USS Billfish (SSN 676), navigator on USS Jefferson City (SSN 759) and executive officer on USS San Juan (SSN 751). He commanded USS Philadelphia (SSN 690) in Groton, Connecticut and was commodore of Submarine Squadron Sixteen in Kings Bay, Georgia.

Staff assignments include instructor duty at the Naval Nuclear Power School, operations officer at Submarine Squadron Eleven, deputy commander of Submarine Squadron Eight, in the Policy section of the Office of the Secretary of Defense and Executive Assistant to the Commander of U.S. Strategic Command.

His awards include the Defense Superior Service Medal, the Legion of Merit, the Meritorious Service Medal, the Navy-Marine Corps Commendation Medal, the Navy-Marine Corps Achievement Medal and various unit and service awards.

Brigadier General Kevin J. Stewart
Commanding General, 2d Marine Logistics Group



Brigadier General Stewart is a graduate of North Carolina State University and received his commission in 1991 and subsequently was assigned as a Supply Officer. His first duty assignment was with 2nd Marine Division where he served as the Supply Officer for 2nd Assault Amphibian Battalion and 2nd Battalion, 2d Marines (2/2). While assigned to 2/2, he participated in a Unit Deployment to Okinawa, Japan and Operation Support/Uphold Democracy in Cap Haitien, Haiti.

Selected for Captain, he was assigned as the Supply Officer, MARFOR-160, JTF-160 during Operation Sea Signal and deployed to Guantanamo Bay, Cuba. Upon return from deployment, he was transferred to I Marine Expeditionary Force and was assigned as the Supply Officer and Headquarters Company Commander for 9th Communication Battalion.

He was selected to attend the Naval Postgraduate School and received a Masters of Science in Information Technology Management. After school and selected for Major, he was assigned to Expeditionary Warfare Training Group, Pacific as the Director, Joint Expeditionary Warfare Laboratory. He then transferred to 3rd Force Service Support Group in Okinawa, Japan and served in the G-3 as the Officer-in-Charge of Tactical Readiness and Training. He also served as the Sustainment Officer for Brigade Service Support Group-3.

Following his tour in Okinawa, he was assigned as the Supply Officer for Marine Corps Tactical Systems Support Activity, Marine Corps Systems Command. He then transferred to 1st Marine Logistics Group and served as the Officer-in-Charge of the Supply Management Unit. In this capacity and as the Supply Company Commander, he deployed to Iraq in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom. After returning from Iraq, he was reassigned as the Executive Officer of Combat Logistics Regiment-15.

Promoted to Lieutenant Colonel, he was assigned to U.S. Southern Command as the Chief, Logistics Plans and Policy. He was then selected to serve as the Combatant Commander's Executive Officer. Following his tour at U.S. Southern Command, Colonel Stewart was assigned as the Commanding Officer, 1st Maintenance Battalion.

During his tour at 1st Maintenance Battalion, he deployed to Afghanistan as the Commanding Officer, Combat Logistics Regiment-15 (FWD). The unit received the Marine Corps' Logistics Unit of the Year Award for 2010. Also, 1st Maintenance Battalion won the Secretary of Defense's Field Level Maintenance Award.

Following command, Colonel Stewart attended Pennsylvania State University for a Logistics Fellowship. After school, he was assigned to Headquarters Marine Corps Installations and Logistics and served as Branch Head, Logistics Vision and Strategy and as the Branch Head, Logistics Policy and Capabilities.

Following his tour at Headquarters Marine Corps, Colonel Stewart was assigned as the Commanding Officer of Combat Logistics Regiment-25 (CLR-25). CLR-25 won the Marine Corps' Logistics Unit of the Year Award for 2016.

Colonel Stewart served as the Executive Assistant to the Deputy Commandant for Installations and Logistics from July 2016 until June 2018.

His personal awards and decorations include the Legion of Merit (gold star), Bronze Star, Defense Meritorious Service Medal, Meritorious Service Medal, Navy Commendation Medal (4 gold stars), Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medal and other unit/operational awards.

Colonel Stewart is married to the former Anissa Beck of Lexington, NC and has a daughter and a son, Sydney (19) and Owen (14).



Brigadier General Swan was commissioned a Second Lieutenant in 1991 after graduation from the University of Wisconsin with a degree in Civil and Environmental Engineering. Upon completion of The Basic School, he attended flight training and was designated a Naval Aviator in April 1995. After receiving his wings, Brigadier General Swan reported to VFA-106 at NAS Cecil Field for training in the F/A-18.

In October 1996, Brigadier General Swan reported to MAG-31 and was assigned to VMFA-251. During this tour he made two Aircraft Carrier deployments (CVN-73 and CV-67) in support of Operation SOUTHERN WATCH while serving as the Squadron's Ground Safety, NATOPS, Powerline, Maintenance Quality Assurance, Schedules, and Pilot Training Officers.

In May 2000, Brigadier General Swan reported to VMFA-321, MAG-49, at Andrews Air Force Base. During this I&I tour he served as the Squadron's Pilot Training Officer, Operations Officer, and the MAG-49 (Det A) Executive Officer. While at VMFA-321, Brigadier General Swan participated in Operation BRIGHT STAR 2000 and NATO exercises in Leuchars, Scotland and Karup, Denmark. After the 9/11 terrorist's attack on the Pentagon, Brigadier General Swan flew Combat-Air-Patrol missions over Washington, DC as a part of Operation NOBLE EAGLE.

In July 2004, Brigadier General Swan attended the Marine Corps' Command and Staff College earning his Masters of Military Studies degree from the Marine Corps University. In July 2005, Brigadier General Swan was reassigned to the Fleet Marine Force and reported to VMFA(AW)-242, MAG-11, at MCAS Miramar. He served as the Aircraft Maintenance Officer during the Squadron's combat deployment to Al Asad, Iraq in support of Operation IRAQI FREEDOM and later as the Squadron's Executive Officer after the unit returned to CONUS in April 2007.

In June 2007, Brigadier General Swan was selected to serve as the I MEF Staff Secretary. Upon completion of his tour as the MEF SSEC in July 2008, he was selected to be the 11th MEU's Executive Officer. In February 2009, Brigadier General Swan left the 11th MEU and reported back to MAG-11 for F/A-18 refresher training prior to assuming command of VMFA-323. As 3D MAW's TAI Squadron, VMFA-

323 was assigned to Carrier Airwing Fourteen (CVW-14) and completed a seven-month WESTPAC deployment aboard the USS Ronald Reagan (CVN-76) as a part of Carrier Strike Group Seven (CSG-7). While deployed in the 7th Fleet AOR, the "Death Rattlers" supported Humanitarian Aid / Disaster Relief missions in support of Operation TOMADACHI. While in CENTCOM's AOR, the Squadron flew combat missions in support of Operation NEW DAWN, Operation ENDURING FREEDOM, and other National Level tasking in support of the fight against terrorism. In October 2011, Brigadier General Swan was re-assigned to 3D MAW to serve as the Wing's Future Operations Officer.

In June 2012, Brigadier General Swan transferred to the National War College where he earned a Master's Degree in National Security Strategy from the National Defense University. In June 2013, he was transferred to the Joint Staff's J-8 Directorate to serve as the Forces Division's Deputy Division Chief. Brigadier General Swan then assumed command of MAG-11 on 10 July 2015. Upon completion of command in July 2017, he was transferred to HQMC Aviation where he assumed the duties of APW-TacAir Branch Head. After being selected to Brigadier General, he was reassigned in June 2018 to his current position as the Director, Manpower Plans and Policy Division, M&RA, in Quantico VA.

Brigadier General Swan has flown over 4000 mishap-free flight hours, has made over 600 carrier-arrested landings, and has executed over 200 aerial combat missions. His personal decorations include a Legion of Merit, the Defense Meritorious Service Medal, the Meritorious Service Medal, the Air Medal with Strike/Flight numeral 10, the Navy and Marine Corps Commendation Medal with Gold Star, and the Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medal with two Gold Stars. He is married to his wife Tracy and they have three kids.



RADM Dana Thomas, MD, MPH, FACOEM
Director, Health, Safety and Work-Life, U.S. Coast Guard
U.S. Public Health Service Commissioned Corps



Dana L. Thomas was promoted to the rank of Rear Admiral (Upper Half) in March 2019. Rear Admiral Thomas is the Director of Health, Safety and Work-Life for the U.S. Coast Guard.

RADM Thomas is responsible for the Coast Guard's health care system of 41 clinics and 150 sick bays, as well as operational and off-duty mishap prevention, response and investigation. She oversees the Coast Guard's Child Development Services, Culinary Services ashore and afloat, Substance Abuse, Health Promotion and Sexual Assault Prevention, Response and Recovery programs.

Prior to her transfer to the Coast Guard in 2019, RADM Thomas served within the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), Division of State and Local Readiness, as a Career Epidemiology Field Officer in New Jersey and Puerto Rico. Concurrently, she was the CDC

Division of Tuberculosis Elimination's Field Medical Officer in Puerto Rico. Her fluency with federal, state and local infrastructure in New Jersey and Puerto Rico improved resilience and ensured appropriate medical response at the forefront of public health emergencies and disasters. Working for the National Center for Emerging and Zoonotic Infectious Diseases, she responded to the Ebola epidemic in Sierra Leone and dengue outbreaks in Tanzania and Texas.

From 2015-2017, RADM Thomas served on the leadership team of the Physicians' Professional Advisory Committee to the U.S. Surgeon General, representing the professional interests of more than 700 uniformed service physicians in the Public Health Service. She served as the Alternate Delegate for the USPHS to the American Medical Association during 2018.

RADM Thomas completed Command and General Staff College in 2005. She graduated from residency at the Naval Aerospace Medicine Institute in 2003. She completed a dual degree, receiving her Doctor of Medicine and Master of Public Health degrees from the George Washington University School of Medicine and Public Health in 1998. She completed an internship in General Surgery from Tripler Army Medical Center in 1999. She graduated with a Bachelor of Science in Honors Biology from the University of Maryland, College Park, in 1992. She is board certified in Aerospace and Occupational Medicine and deeply committed to operational medicine, prevention and public health.

Preceding her transfer to the Centers for Disease Control, she served seven years in the U.S. Coast Guard and seven years in the U.S. Army.



Rear Admiral Richard V. Timme

Assistant Commandant for Prevention Policy (CG-5P)
U.S. Coast Guard



Rear Admiral Richard Timme assumes the duties of Assistant Commandant for Prevention Policy in June of 2019. The office is responsible for the development of national policy, standards, and programs promoting Marine Safety, Security and Environmental Stewardship. Three Directorates carry out the mission: Inspections and Compliance, Marine Transportation Systems, and Commercial Regulations and Standards. Programs include waterways management, navigation and boating safety, ports and facilities, merchant mariner credentialing, vessel documentation, marine casualty investigation, commercial vessel inspections, and port state control.



He recently served as the Coast Guard's Budget Director where he was responsible for the formulation and justification of the Coast Guard's \$12 billion budget. Duties included advising senior leadership on all resource issues, and coordinating with DHS, OMB and Congress for budget and resource issues.

His operational experience includes serving as Commander of Coast Guard Sector Ohio Valley where he worked with federal, state and local government agencies to carry out Coast Guard missions. He was also the Captain of the Port and Commanding Officer of Marine Safety Unit Pittsburgh, and during the 2010 DEEPWATER HORIZON oil spill response, served as a Deputy Incident Commander and Federal On-Scene Coordinator Representative.

Additional assignments include program reviewer in the Office of Budget and Programs; Chief of Planning at Marine Safety Office Tampa; Chief of Port Operations at Marine Safety Office Portland, ME; Supervisor, Resident Inspection Office St. Croix, U.S. Virgin Islands; and Marine Inspector at Marine Safety Office New Orleans. He also served as a Deck Watch Officer on the Coast Guard Cutter MELLON, and at the Department of Justice's El Paso Intelligence Center.

Rear Admiral Timme served as a Secretary of Defense Executive Fellow, and holds master degrees from the National War College in National Security Strategy and from the George Washington University in Public Administration. He is a 1991 graduate of the United States Coast Guard Academy where he received a Bachelor of Science in Government. He is a Certified Government Financial Manager (CGFM), and a Coast Guard Type 1 Incident Commander.

A Connecticut native, his awards include the Legion of Merit, Meritorious Service Medal, Coast Guard Commendation Medal, Army Commendation Medal, Coast Guard Achievement Medal, Commandant's Letter of Commendation Ribbon, and various unit awards.



United States Navy Biography

REAR ADMIRAL GREGORY N. TODD **Chaplain of the Marine Corps/Deputy Chief of Chaplains/Deputy Director of Religious Ministries (N097B)**

Rear Adm. Gregory N. Todd, is a native of Seattle, Washington. He is a 1984 graduate of Concordia College in Portland, Oregon, and earned a Masters of Divinity from Concordia Seminary St. Louis, Missouri. He also holds a Doctor of Ministry from Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary, Charlotte, N.C.

Todd was commissioned in the U.S. Navy Reserve in 1986 and served Marine Corps Reserve units while he pastored congregations in Illinois. In 1994, he superseded to active duty and served as base chaplain Naval Amphibious Base Coronado and then reported to USS Chancellorsville (CG 62), deploying to the Caribbean and Eastern Pacific for counter-narcotics operations. In his first U.S. Coast Guard tour, he was assigned to U.S. Coast Guard Activities New York. While there, he was the first Navy chaplain to respond at “Ground Zero” following the attacks on the World Trade Center and hosted the Coast Guard Chaplain Emergency Response Team to provide ministry to emergency workers and civilians.

Todd reported next to 2D Force Service Support Group (FSSG), Camp Lejeune, N.C., and deployed with Forward Battalion, 2D FSSG to Kuwait in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom. He served as chaplain with 22nd Marine Expeditionary Unit and deployed to Afghanistan as part of Operation Enduring Freedom, establishing the religious program at Forward Operating Base Ripley in Oruzgan Province.

He reported to his next assignment as officer-in-charge of Marine Corps Chaplain and Religious Program Specialist Expeditionary Skills Training, Camp Johnson, before being detailed as command chaplain on USS Kearsarge (LHD 3). Following his sea tour, Todd assumed duties as command chaplain for the 2D Marine Logistics Group and then was detailed as force chaplain, II Marine Expeditionary Force.

Most recently, Todd was selected as the 10th Chaplain of the Coast Guard where he supervised religious ministry support for the more than 88,000 Coast Guard personnel and developed the Coast Guard Auxiliary Clergy Support Program, linking volunteer religious ministry professionals with Navy chaplains in support of Coast Guard members and their families.

Todd assumed his current duties as the 20th Chaplain of the United States Marine Corps and Deputy Chief of Navy Chaplains in June 2018.

His personal awards include the Legion of Merit (2 awards), Meritorious Service Medal (4 awards), Navy and Marine Corps Commendation Medal (3 awards), Coast Guard Commendation Medal, Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medal (3 awards), the Department of Transportation 9/11 Medal, and the Combat Action Ribbon.

He is qualified as a Navy Master Training Specialist and Fleet Marine Force Qualified Officer.



BRIGADIER GENERAL MARK A. TOWNE
Office of the Chief of Army Reserve
Deputy Chief of Staff, G-3



Brigadier General Mark Towne currently serves as the Deputy Chief of Staff, G3 for the Office of the Chief of Army Reserve.

Brigadier General Mark Towne first entered military service when he enlisted in the Minnesota National Guard in 1986. He received his commission through the Reserve Officers' Training Corps and graduated with a Bachelor of Science degree from St. John's University in 1988. After graduating from St. John's, he was employed by the State Farm Insurance Company in Northern Virginia and also served as a member of Army Reserve Troop Program units in Maryland and Virginia.

In 1991, then, 1st Lieutenant Towne left the insurance industry to enter active federal service as an Active Guard Reserve officer in the United States Army Reserve. Since 1991, he has served in a variety of positions to include command of the 454th RRD (7th Army Reserve Command), 3rd Battalion, 312th Regiment (First Army), and Deputy Commander, Joint Base McGuire-Dix-Lakehurst (New Jersey). As a staff officer, he served with the 81st Regional Support Command, Army Reserve Personnel Command, Headquarters Department of the Army, the Office of the Secretary of Defense, Multi National Force Iraq, the Joint Staff, and the Director of the Chief of Army Reserve and Commanding General, United States Army Reserve Command Action Group (CAG).

Brigadier General Towne is a graduate of the Adjutant General Corps Officer Basic and Advanced courses, the Marine Corps Command and Staff College, and the U.S. Army War College. He is a Certified Defense Financial Manager and holds Master's Degrees from Troy State University, Syracuse University, the Marine Corps University, and the U.S. Army War College. His military awards and decorations include the Legion of Merit (1 OLC), Defense Meritorious Service Medal, Meritorious Service Medal (4 OLCs), Joint Service Commendation Medal (1 OLC), Army Commendation Medal (4 OLCs), Army Achievement Medal, Army Reserve Components Achievement Medal, Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, National Defense Service Medal with Bronze Service Star, Armed Forces Reserve Medal, Army Service Ribbon, Overseas Service Ribbon, Parachutist Badge, Iraqi Campaign Medal with two Bronze Campaign Stars, Army Reserve Components Overseas Training Ribbon, and the Office of the Secretary of Defense, Joint Staff, and Army Staff Identification Badges. Brigadier General Towne and his wife Marianne have been married for 26 years and they have two children, Ashley and Jonathan. (Current as of October 2018)



National Guard

Major General Charles W. Whittington Jr.

Deputy Director, Army National Guard
Arlington, VA
Since: July 2018



SOURCE OF COMMISSIONED SERVICE ROTC

EDUCATIONAL DEGREES

University of Southern Mississippi - BS - Political Science

United States Army War College - MSS - Strategic Studies

MILITARY SCHOOLS ATTENDED

United States Army War College

Dual Status Commanders Course (NORTHCOM)

Army Strategic Education Program- Advanced (ASEP-A)

Joint & Combined Warfighting School (JCWS) JPME-II

FOREIGN LANGUAGE(S) None Recorded

<u>PROMOTIONS</u>	<u>DATE OF APPOINTMENT</u>
2LT	19 Dec 86
1LT	19 Dec 88
CPT	1 May 92
MAJ	26 Oct 93
LTC	5 Nov 03
COL	29 Mar 07
BG	1 Oct 10
MG	7 Oct 12

<u>FROM</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>ASSIGNMENT</u>
Jul 18	Present	Deputy Director, Army National Guard, Arlington, Virginia
Aug 15	Jul 18	Deputy Commanding General (RC), First United States Army, Rock Island, Illinois
Aug 12	Aug 15	Commander, 29th Infantry Division (Light), Fort Belvoir, Virginia
Sep 11	Jul 12	Director, International Joint Command Staff, Afghan National Security Forces Development / International Security Assistance Force, Kabul, Afghanistan
Jun 10	Aug 11	Assistant Division Commander- Support (ADC-S), 29th Infantry Division (Light), Fort Belvoir, Virginia
Jun 08	Jun 10	Commander, 58th Infantry Brigade Combat Team, Towson, Maryland
Mar 07	May 08	Deputy Commander, 58th Infantry Brigade Combat Team, Camp Victory, Iraq
Apr 06	Mar 07	Commander, 291st Army Liaison Team, Laurel, Maryland

Aug 03	Apr 06	Commander, 2-110th Field Artillery Battalion, Pikesville, Maryland
Jan 02	Aug 03	Executive Officer, 2-110th Field Artillery Battalion, Pikesville, Maryland
Jul 98	Jan 02	Operations Officer, 2-110th Field Artillery Battalion, Pikesville, Maryland
Nov 97	Jul 98	Plans Officer, 2-110th Field Artillery Battalion, Pikesville, Maryland
Jan 95	Nov 97	Commander, Battery B / 2-110th Field Artillery Battalion, Pikesville, Maryland
Oct 93	Jan 95	Brigade Targeting Officer, 2-110th Field Artillery Battalion, Pikesville, Maryland
Sep 92	Oct 93	United States Army Reserve Control Group
Jul 91	Sep 92	Instructor, Field Artillery School, Fort Sill, Oklahoma
Sep 90	Jul 91	Executive Officer, Battery A, 2-82nd Field Artillery, Basara, Iraq
Dec 89	Sep 90	Adjutant, 2-82nd Field Artillery Battalion, Ray Barracks, Friedburg, Germany
Dec 88	Dec 89	Executive Officer, Service Battery, 2-82nd Field Artillery A (155SP), Ray Barracks, Friedburg, Germany
Mar 88	Dec 88	Company Fire Support Officer, 4-67th Armor, Ray Barracks, Friedburg, Germany
Oct 87	Mar 88	Student, Field Artillery School, Fort Sill, Oklahoma

SUMMARY OF JOINT ASSIGNMENTSDATEGRADE

Director, International Joint Command Staff, Afghan National Security Forces Development / International Security Assistance Force, Kabul, Afghanistan	Sep 11 - Jul 12	Brigadier General
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Director, International Joint Command Staff, Afghan National Security Forces Development / International Security Assistance Force, Kabul, Afghanistan	Sep 11 - Jul 12	Brigadier General
Deputy Commander, 58th Infantry Brigade Combat Team, Camp Victory, Iraq	Mar 07 - May 08	Colonel
Executive Officer, Battery A, 2-82nd Field Artillery, Basara, Iraq	Sep 90 - Jul 91	First Lieutenant

US DECORATIONS AND BADGES

Army Distinguished Service Medal
 Legion of Merit (with 1 Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster)
 Bronze Star Medal (with 1 Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster)
 Meritorious Service Medal (with 2 Bronze Oak Leaf Clusters)
 Army Commendation Medal (with 2 Bronze Oak Leaf Clusters)
 Army Achievement Medal (with 3 Bronze Oak Leaf Clusters)
 Army Meritorious Unit Commendation (with 1 Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster)
 Army Superior Unit Award
 Army Reserve Components Achievement Medal (with 4 Bronze Oak Leaf Clusters)
 National Defense Service Medal (with 1 Bronze Service Star)
 Southwest Asia Service Medal (with 3 Bronze Service Stars)
 Afghanistan Campaign Medal (with 1 Bronze Service Star)
 Iraq Campaign Medal (with 1 Bronze Service Star)
 Global War on Terrorism Service Medal
 Humanitarian Service Medal
 Armed Forces Reserve Medal (with Bronze Hourglass and "M" Device)
 Army Service Ribbon
 Overseas Service Ribbon (with Numeral 3)
 North Atlantic Treaty Organization Medal
 Kuwait Liberation Medal (Saudi Arabia)
 Kuwait Liberation Medal (Government of Kuwait)
 State of Maryland Distinguished Service Cross

Maryland State Outstanding Unit Award
Maryland State Active Duty Medal
Maryland State Service Medal (with 2 Botany Crosses)
Parachutist Badge

CIVILIAN OCCUPATION

Vice President and Chief Information Officer, Pactiv Corporation, Lake Forest, Illinois

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

National Guard Association of Maryland
29th Division Association

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RDML Todd Wiemers

U.S. Coast Guard



Rear Admiral Todd Wiemers currently serves as the Assistant Commandant for Reserve at Coast Guard Headquarters, Washington D.C. where he provides operationally capable and ready personnel to support Coast Guard surge and mobilization requirements in the Homeland and abroad.

Prior to this assignment, he served as Commander Coast Guard Sector Jacksonville, where he managed over 600 active duty, reserve, and civilian men and women in conducting all Coast Guard missions from Kings Bay, GA to Port Malabar, FL including three strategic ports of St Mary's/Fernandina, Jacksonville, and Port Canaveral.

In 2016, he served as the Coast Guard's Presidential Transition Component Action Officer where he developed briefing materials and content to educate and inform the incoming administration about the Coast Guard's missions, programs and activities.

As the Deputy Assistant Commandant for Capability, he was responsible for identifying and sourcing new and extended capabilities, competencies, and capacity to meet U.S. Coast Guard mission requirements.

Other operational assignments include Command Officer of USCGC POINT HURON, Operations Officer on USCGC COWSLIP, Surface Operations Officer at Group Corpus Christi, Sector Response at Sector Honolulu, and Deputy Sector Commander at Sector Delaware Bay.

His staff assignments include serving in the Ninth Coast Guard District, and tours at Coast Guard Headquarters. In the Office of Budget and Programs, he developed and defended the Coast Guard's fiscal year 2005 budget at the Department of Homeland Security (DHS), Office of Management and Budget (OMB), and Congress. As Chief of the Office of Boat Forces, he was the program manager for all boat platforms throughout the Coast Guard.

A native of Naperville, Illinois, Rear Admiral Wiemers graduated with honors from the U.S. Coast Guard Academy in 1990 with a Bachelors of Science degree in Management, and earned a Masters of Business Administration from the College of William and Mary.

He is married to Mrs. Mayte Medina from Panama.



United States Navy **Biography**

Rear Admiral George M. Wikoff Assistant Director for Global Integration and Current Operations, J3, Joint Staff

Rear Admiral George M. Wikoff is a native of New Brunswick, New Jersey and graduated from the Catholic University of America in 1990, with a Bachelor of Arts in Financial Management. He received his commission through the George Washington University NROTC program, earned a Master of Science in Operational Management from the University of Arkansas, and is a Joint Specialty Officer.

Wikoff was designated a naval aviator at Naval Air Station Meridian in February 1993. He served operationally as an F-14 pilot in Fighter Squadron (VF) 102 on USS America (CV 66) and as department head with VF-154 in Atsugi, Japan on USS Kitty Hawk (CV 63). Command assignments include Strike Fighter Squadron (VFA) 211 "Checkmates", where he deployed on USS Enterprise (CVN 65) in support of Operations Iraqi Freedom and Enduring Freedom, the VFA-122 "Flying Eagles", the west coast Strike Fighter Fleet Replacement Squadron, and Carrier Air Wing (CVW) 3, deployed on USS Harry S. Truman (CVN 75) in support of Operation Enduring Freedom.



Wikoff's shore assignments include the Naval Strike and Air Warfare Center, as TOPGUN training officer; Naval Personnel Command, as placement officer for the Tomcat and Super Hornet communities; Joint Staff, as an action officer in the Operations Directorate, Deputy Directorate for Antiterrorism and Homeland Defense (J-34); chief of naval operations staff as air warfare special programs requirements officer (N88); as battle director at the Combined Air and Space Operations Center Al Udeid Air Base, Qatar; U.S. Naval Forces Central Command in Bahrain as chief of staff and maritime operations center director, and as executive assistant to the chief of naval operations.