



BIOGRAPHY



UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

COLONEL DOUGLAS A. STOUFFER

Colonel Douglas A. Stouffer is Commander of the 927th Air Refueling Wing, MacDill Air Force Base, Fla. He is responsible for the organization, training, equipping, and worldwide readiness of a Reserve wing of approximately 950 Citizen Airmen and Civilians. The 927th Air Refueling Wing supports contingencies and humanitarian operations around the world with in-flight air refueling, cargo airlift and passenger movement in the KC-135R Stratotanker. The wing provides additional combat-ready forces from Aeromedical, Logistics Readiness, Security Forces, Force Support, Operations Support, and Aeromedical Evacuation squadrons

A graduate of the Pennsylvania State University, Colonel Stouffer received his commission through the United States Air Force Reserve Officer Training Corps in 1991. He is a command pilot with more than 6,000 hours in the KC-135, C-12, and T-1. He has served as Wing Safety Officer, Flight Commander, Flight Examiner, Assistant Director of Operations, Director of Operations, and Squadron

Commander. Colonel Stouffer has flown combat support sorties in Operations SOUTHERN WATCH, NORTHERN WATCH, and VIGILANT WARRIOR and provided non-flying support in Operation NOBLE EAGLE. Prior to his current assignment he served as Commander, 916th Operations Group, Seymour Johnson Air Force Base, North Carolina.



EDUCATION

1991 Bachelor of Science degree in Aerospace Engineering, Pennsylvania State University, State College, PA

1997 Squadron Officer School, Maxwell AFB, AL

2007 Air Command and Staff College, in correspondence

2013 Air War College, in correspondence

2013 Master of Arts degree in Christian Studies, Luther Rice Seminary, Lithonia, GA

ASSIGNMENTS

1. February 1992 – March 1993, Student, Undergraduate Pilot Training, Vance AFB, OK
2. March 1993 – September 1993, KC-135 Initial Qualification Training, Castle AFB, CA
3. September 1993 – June 1994, KC-135 Pilot, 28th Air Refueling Squadron, Ellsworth AFB, SD
4. June 1994 – September 1996, KC-135 Pilot, 96th Air Refueling Squadron, Fairchild AFB, WA
5. September 1996 – April 1998, KC-135 Aircraft Commander, Chief of Scheduling, 96th Air Refueling Squadron, Fairchild AFB, WA

6. April 1998 – September 1998, KC-135 Instructor Pilot, Chief of Scheduling, 96th Air Refueling Squadron, Fairchild AFB, WA
7. September 1998 – February 1999, T-1 Pilot Instructor Training, Randolph AFB, TX
8. February 1999 – February 2001, T-1 Instructor Pilot, 32nd Flying Training Squadron, Vance AFB, OK
9. February 2001 – December 2002, T-1 Instructor Pilot, Wing Flight Safety Officer, 71st Flying Training Wing, Vance AFB, OK
10. January 2003 – September 2008, T-1 Instructor Pilot, 5th Flying Training Squadron, Vance AFB, OK (May 2005 – September 2005, Operation NOBLE EAGLE, Homeland Defense Tanker Planner, Tanker Airlift Control Center, Scott AFB, IL)
11. October 2008 – April 2012, T-1 Instructor Pilot, Flight Examiner, Flight Commander, 5th Flying Training Squadron, Vance AFB, OK
12. May 2012 – June 2014, T-1 Instructor Pilot, Assistant Director of Operations, Director of Operations, 5th Flying Training Squadron, Vance AFB, OK
13. June 2014 – March 2016, T-1 Instructor Pilot, Commander, 5th Flying Training Squadron, Vance AFB, OK
14. March 2016 – February 2018, Commander, 916th Operations Group, Seymour Johnson AFB, NC
15. February 2018 – Present, Commander, 927th Air Refueling Wing, MacDill AFB, FL

FLIGHT INFORMATION

Rating: Command pilot

Flight hours: over 6,000

Aircraft flown: KC-135, C-12, and T-1

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Meritorious Service Medal with five oak leaf clusters

Aerial Achievement Medal with two oak leaf clusters

Air Force Commendation Medal

Joint Meritorious Unit Award

Air Force Outstanding Unit Award with "V" device and two silver oak leaf clusters

Combat Readiness Medal with one oak leaf cluster

National Defense Service Medal with one bronze star

Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal with two bronze stars

Southwest Asia Service Medal with one bronze star

Global War on Terrorism Service Medal

Nuclear Deterrence Operations Service Medal

Armed Forces Reserve Medal with "M" device

EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION

Second Lieutenant October 8, 1991

First Lieutenant October 8, 1993

Captain October 8, 1995

Major August 1, 2002

Lieutenant Colonel February 1, 2010

Colonel January 28, 2016

(Current as of Mar 2016)