



BIOGRAPHY

UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

LIEUTENANT COLONEL DAVID LEE WEIDE

Lieutenant Colonel Weide is the Commander of Air Force Reserve Officer Training Corps Detachment 450. He serves as the Department Head and Professor of Aerospace Studies at Montana State University in Bozeman, Montana. Lieutenant Colonel Weide is the senior Air Force officer at a geographically separated unit and is responsible for the administration of a college-level officer training program; ultimately determining who is commissioned in the US Air Force. He chairs the Aerospace Studies Department under the College of Engineering and instructs all-levels of Aerospace Studies courses including Air Force Fundamentals, Air Force History, Leadership and Management, senior-level courses on National Security Affairs, National Security Strategy and Preparation for Active Duty.



Lieutenant Colonel Weide entered the Air Force in 1990 as an intelligence analyst providing ground-based air defense and electronic intelligence support to combatant commanders and aircrews. In 1998, he was commissioned as a distinguished graduate through the Reserve Officer Training Corps at Angelo State University in San Angelo, Texas.

EDUCATION

- 1991 Intelligence Operations Training Course, Goodfellow Air Force Base, TX
- 1994 Associate of Science in Communications, Community College of the Air Force, Maxwell AFB, AL
- 1998 Bachelor of General Studies in Communications and Management, Angelo State University, TX
- 1999 Personnel Officer Training Course, Keesler Air Force Base, MS
- 2002 Communications-Computer Officer Training (BCOT) Course, Keesler Air Force Base, MS
- 2003 Squadron Officer School (Residence), Right-of-Line Graduate, Maxwell Air Force Base, AL
- 2006 Master of Science in Computer Science, with honors, Colorado Technical University, CO
- 2006 Advanced Communications Officer Training (ACOT) Course, Keesler Air Force Base, MS
- 2009 Air Command and Staff College (Correspondence), Maxwell Air Force Base, AL
- 2011 Undergraduate Cyber Operations Officer Training (Correspondence), Keesler Air Force Base, MS

ASSIGNMENTS

1. Apr 91-May 93 Intelligence Analyst, 7454th Tactical Intelligence Squadron (USAFE), Boerfink Mountain Kaserne, Germany
2. May 93-Dec 96 Intelligence Analyst, 17th Training Support Squadron (AETC), Goodfellow AFB, TX (Deployed: Jul-Nov 93, Ground-Based Air Defense and Electronic Intelligence Analyst, 4404th Composite Wing (CENTCOM), King Abdul-Aziz AB, Saudi Arabia)
3. Dec 96-Dec 98 Student, AFROTC Detachment 847 (AETC), Angelo State University, San Angelo, TX
4. Dec 98-Feb 01 Squadron Section Commander, 49th Maintenance Squadron (ACC), Holloman AFB, NM
5. Feb 01-Feb 02 Squadron Section Commander, 7th Mission Support Squadron (ACC), Dyess AFB, TX
6. Feb 02-May 02 Chief, Network Infrastructure, 7th Communication Squadron (ACC), Dyess AFB, TX

7. May 02-Nov 03 OIC, Network Control Center, 7th Communication Squadron (ACC), Dyess AFB, TX
8. Nov 03-Jul 04 Commander, Information Systems Flight, 7th Communication Squadron (ACC), Dyess AFB, TX
9. Jul 04-Oct 05 Chief, Command and Control Initiatives, Air Force Space Battlelab (USAF), Schriever AFB, CO
10. Oct 05-May 07 Executive Officer, 50th Mission Support Group (AFSPC), Schriever AFB, CO
(Deployed: Jan-Jun 06, Executive Officer, 380th Expeditionary Mission Support Group (CENTCOM), Al Dhafra AB, United Arab Emirates)
11. May 07-Apr 09 Chief, Global SATCOM Operations Section (USSTRATCOM), Peterson AFB, CO
12. Apr 09-Apr 10 Director of Operations, Global SATCOM Support Center (USSTRATCOM), Peterson AFB, CO
13. Apr 10-Aug 11 Chief, ANP Comms Division, A6 Directorate (AFSPC), Peterson AFB, CO
(Deployed: Jul 10-Jul 11, Chief ANP Comms Division CSTC-A CJ6 (CENTCOM), Camp Eggers, Kabul, Afghanistan)
14. Aug 11-Aug 13 Commander, 744th Communications Squadron OL-B (AFDW), Joint Base Anacostia-Bolling, Washington DC and Director of Operations, 744th Communications Squadron (AFDW), Joint Base Andrews, MD
15. Aug 13- Present Commander, AFROTC Detachment 450 (AETC), Montana State University, Bozeman, MT

BADGE INFORMATION

Cyber Operations Badge (Master)
 Communications Badge (Senior)
 Manpower/Personnel Badge
 Intelligence Badge
 Space Badge

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Defense Meritorious Service Medal with one oak leaf cluster
 Meritorious Service Medal with two oak leaf clusters
 Air Force Commendation Medal with two oak leaf clusters
 Air Force Achievement Medal with one oak leaf cluster
 Air Force Good Conduct Medal with one oak leaf cluster
 National Defense Service Medal with one oak leaf cluster
 Southwest Asia Service Medal with one bronze star
 Afghanistan Campaign Medal
 Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal
 Global War on Terrorism Service Medal
 Air & Space Campaign Medal
 NATO Medal

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS

1998 Distinguished Graduate, Reserve Officer Training Corps
 2003 Right-of-Line Graduate, Squadron Officer School
 2011 Gen John P. Jumper Warfighter Integration Officer of the Year (USAF-level)

EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION

Second Lieutenant December 24, 1998
 First Lieutenant December 24, 2000
 Captain December 24, 2002
 Major July 1, 2008
 Lieutenant Colonel November 1, 2013

(Current as of 1Jan 17)