

BIOGRAPHY



UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

THOMAS A. LOCKHART, Jr.

Thomas A. Lockhart is a member of the Senior Executive Service and the Director of the Capability and Resource Integration Directorate (J8), United States Space Command, Peterson Space Force Base, Colorado. He is responsible for establishing the command's requirements and advocating for the assigned missions of deterring aggression and conflict, protecting and defending U.S. interests in the space domain, delivering space combat power for joint and combined forces, and developing ready and lethal joint warfighters.

Prior to his current assignment, Mr. Lockhart was the Director of Engineering and Technical Management, Air Force Nuclear Weapons Center, Hill AFB, Utah. Mr. Lockhart has also worked at the Air Force Research Laboratory as the Director for both its Plans and Programs Directorate and its Strategic Development Planning and Experimentation Directorate.

Mr. Lockhart has had two tours in Iraq and Afghanistan. In his last tour as the NATO Resolute Support Essential Function for Sustainment, Kabul, Afghanistan, he exercised oversight of Afghanistan National Defense and Security Forces sustainment for 385,000 Ministry of Defense and Interior military and police forces yearly budgets of over \$3.2 billion.

Mr. Lockhart began his career in 1987 working as a journeyman engineer in training and simulation at Hill Air Force Base, Utah. He has served as an engineer, chief engineer, acquisition program manager, group director, combatant command financial manager, Deputy Program Executive Officer (PEO) and Security Cooperation Director.



FDUCATION

1987 Bachelor of Science in electrical engineering, University of Wyoming, Laramie

1992 Air Command and Staff College, Seminar, Air University, Montgomery, Ala.

1997 Air War College, Seminar, Air University, Montgomery, Ala.

2004 Master of Business Aviation Administration, Embry Riddle Aeronautical University

2005 Graduate Certification for System Engineers, Air Force Institute of Technology, Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio

2009 Graduate Certification for Homeland Defense, University of Colorado, Colorado Springs, Colo.

CAREER CHRONOLOGY

- 1. 1987 1995, Design Engineer, Hill AFB, Utah
- 2. 1995 1998, System Engineer, Training and Simulation Product Group, Hill AFB, Utah
- 3. 1998 1999, Acquisition Support Specialist, Training and Simulation Product Group, Hill AFB, Utah
- 4. 1999 2000, Chief Engineer, Training and Simulation Product Group, Hill AFB, Utah
- 5. 2000 2001, Chief Engineer, Telecommunications Product Group Manager, Hill AFB, Utah
- 6. 2001 2003, Chief Engineer, Space, Command, Control and Communication Directorate, Hill AFB, Utah
- 7. 2003 2004, System Engineer Practitioner, Air Force Institute of Technology, Center for System Engineering, WPAFB, Ohio
- 8. 2004 2005, Deputy Director, Advanced Computational Analysis Directorate, Wright- Patterson AFB, Ohio
- 9. 2005 2005, Transformation Advisory Group, Air Force Material Command, Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio
- 10. 2005 2008, Director and Deputy Director, 526th Intercontinental Ballistic Missile System Group, Hill AFB, Utah
- 11. 2008 2010, Assistant Director, Programs and Evaluation, NORAD-NORTHCOM, Peterson AFB, Colo.
- 12. 2010 2011, Deputy Director, USF-I, Iraq Security Assistance Mission, Baghdad, Iraq
- 13. 2011 2011, Deputy Director, USF-I, Office of Security Cooperation Iraq Transition Team, Baghdad, Iraq
- 14. 2011 2014, Deputy PEO for Tankers, Air Force Life Cycle Management Center, Air Force Materiel Command, WPAFB, Ohio
- 15. 2014 2017, Director, Materials and Manufacturing Directorate, Air Force Research Laboratory, Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio
- 16. 2017 2019, Director of the Plans and Programs Directorate and Director of the Strategic Development Planning and
- Experimentation Directorate, Air Force Research Laboratory, Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio
- 17. 2019 2022, Director of Engineering and Technical Management, Air Force Nuclear Weapons Center, Hill AFB, Utah
- 18. 2022 Present, Director, Capabilities and Resource Integration Directorate, United States Space Command, Colorado Springs, CO

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

2003 Exemplary Civilian Service Award 2010, 2011 Joint Civilian Service Commendation Award 2011 Meritorious Civilian Service Award 2011 Iraq Campaign Medals 2017 Afghanistan/NATO Campaign Medals 2018 Meritorious Civilian Service Award

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS

Cybersecurity: The Intersection of Policy and Technology, Harvard Kennedy School
Defense Institute of Security Assistance Management Certification, Baghdad, Iraq
Center for Creative Leadership, Colorado Springs, Colo.
Senior Manager Course in National Security, George Washington University, Washington, D.C.
Strategic Persuasion, Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia
Air Force Enterprise Leadership Seminar, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill
Program for Executives in Logistics and Technology, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill
Acquisition Certification Level III, Program Management, System Engineering, Defense Acquisition University
Acquisition Certification Level I, Logistic Management, Test and Evaluation, Defense Acquisition University

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