



BIOGRAPHY



UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

COLONEL RICHARD G. MOORE, JR.

Col. Richard G. Moore, Jr. is the Commander, 436th Airlift Wing, Dover Air Force Base, Del. He is responsible for the combined C-5 and C-17 wing providing worldwide movement of high-priority personnel and cargo. Dover AFB is the home to the Charles C. Carson Center for Mortuary Affairs, the DoD's largest aerial port, and the Air Mobility Command Museum.

Colonel Moore graduated from the U.S. Air Force Academy in 1992 with a degree in chemistry, and subsequently earned a Master of Engineering Management degree from Washington State University in 1997. His aviation career includes flying the KC-135R, C-12F, C-5A/B/M and C-17A aircraft.

Colonel Moore's leadership experience includes command of the 437th Operations Support Squadron, Charleston Air Force, S.C., and combat command of the 447th Expeditionary Operations Support Squadron, Sather Air Base, Baghdad, Iraq, and the 385th Air Expeditionary Group, Incirlik AB, Turkey.

His staff experience includes service at the Air Mobility Command Headquarters--first in the Tanker Airlift Control Center and then in the Tanker and Operational Support Airlift Requirements Branch. He also served at Headquarters, U.S. Air Force, in the Global Mobility CONOPS Division, Directorate of Operational Plans and Joint Matters, and on the Joint Staff in the Office of the Vice Chairman.

Colonel Moore is a command pilot with more than 3,200 hours of flight experience.

EDUCATION

1992 Bachelor of Science, chemistry, U.S. Air Force Academy, Colo.

1997 Master of Engineering Management, Washington State University, Wash.

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

2004 Master of Science in Military Operational Art and Science, Air Command and Staff College, Maxwell Air Force Base, Ala.

2010 Master of Science in International Security Studies, Air War College, Maxwell Air Force Base, Ala.

ASSIGNMENTS

1. August 1992 – December 1993, student, Euro-NATO Joint Jet Pilot Training, Sheppard Air Force Base, Texas

2. April 1994 – May 1997, KC-135 aircraft commander, Fairchild Air Force Base, Wash.



3. July 1997 – July 1998, MAJCOM Regional Operations Director, Tanker Airlift Control Center, Scott Air Force Base, Ill.
4. July 1998 – October 1999, Tanker Requirements Program Manager, Headquarters Air Mobility Command Directorate of Plans and Programs, Scott Air Force Base, Ill.
5. January 2000 – July 2003, C-5 Air Refueling Flight Examiner Aircraft Commander; Deputy Wing Executive Officer; Chief, Wing Exercise and Contingency Scheduling, 9th Airlift Squadron, Dover Air Force Base, Del.
6. July 2003 – June 2004, student, Air Command and Staff College, Maxwell Air Force Base, Ala.
7. June 2004 – September 2005, Chief, Air Refueling Capabilities Branch, Global Mobility CONOPS Division, Headquarters U.S. Air Force, Pentagon, Wash., District of Columbia
8. September 2005 – April 2007, Aide-de-Camp to the Vice Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, The Joint Staff, Pentagon, Wash., District of Columbia
9. August 2007 – July 2009, Operations Officer and Commander, 437th Operations Support Squadron, Charleston Air Force Base, S.C. (*January - May 2009, commander, 437th Expeditionary Operations Support Squadron, Sather Air Base, Baghdad, Iraq*)
10. July 2009 – June 2010, student, Air War College, Maxwell Air Force Base, Ala.
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11. July 2010 – August 2012, Vice Commander, 62nd Airlift Wing, Joint Base Lewis-McChord, Wash. (*December 2011 - March 2012, commander, 385th Airlift Expeditionary Group, Incirlik Air Base, Turkey*)
12. August 2012 – present, Commander, 436th Airlift Wing, Dover Air Force Base, Del.

FLIGHT INFORMATION

Rating: Command pilot

Flight hours: 3,200

Aircraft flown: KC-135R, C-12F, C-5A/B/M, C-17A

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Legion of Merit

Defense Meritorious Service Medal

Meritorious Service Medal with three oak leaf clusters

Air Medal with one oak leaf cluster

Aerial Achievement Medal with five oak leaf clusters

Air Force Commendation Medal

Air Force Achievement Medal

Iraq Campaign 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 December 1, 2006

Colonel October 1, 2010

Current as of: February 2013