



BIOGRAPHY



UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

COLONEL WILLIAM S. ROGERS

Colonel William S. Rogers is the Senior Materiel Leader for the Survivable Airborne Operations Division, Digital Directorate, Air Force Life Cycle Management Center, Hanscom AFB, MA. He is responsible for planning the life cycle acquisition of the Survivable Airborne Operations Center program, leading a team of acquisition professionals to plan development, test, and fielding of the replacement for the legacy E-4B National Airborne Operations Center fleet. In addition, his division leads a radar ground moving target indicator project for the Advanced Battle Management System.



Colonel Rogers graduated with a Bachelor of Science (Management) degree and received his commission in 1997 from the United States Air Force Academy. He is an acquisition program manager who has served in the Global Positioning System, Upgraded Early Warning Radar, Air and Space Operations Center Weapon System, F-35 Lightning II, and JSTARS Recapitalization Program Offices. In addition, he was stationed at the Pentagon where he served as the KC-X/KC-46 Program Element Monitor and as Chief, Acquisition Policy in the Secretary and Chief of Staff of the Air Force Executive Action Group. He has served in a variety of line and staff positions in operational test, planning, and program management, across a spectrum of weapon systems in aircraft, command and control, and space at the Directorate, Detachment, Center, Intelligence Community, and Air Staff levels.

Prior to this assignment, Colonel Rogers served as the Senior Materiel Leader and Chief, Joint Surveillance Target Attack Radar System Recapitalization (JSTARS) Division, Battle Management Directorate, Hanscom Air Force Base, MA. He was responsible for the life cycle acquisition of the JSTARS Recapitalization program,

EDUCATION

- 1997 Bachelor of Science, Management, U.S. Air Force Academy, Colorado Springs, CO.
- 2004 Squadron Officer School (distinguished graduate), Maxwell AFB, AL.
- 2004 Master of Business Administration, Babson College, Babson Park, MA.
- 2009 College of Naval Command and Staff (distinguished graduate), Newport, RI.
- 2011 The Program Manager's Course, Fort Belvoir, VA
- 2015 Air War College (Correspondence), Maxwell AFB, AL

2015 Graduate Certificate, System Design and Management, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, MA.

ASSIGNMENTS

1. August 1997 – January 1999, Strategic Planning Project Officer, Developmental Planning Program Office, Los Angeles AFB CA.
2. January 1999 – August 1999, Commander's Action Officer, Space and Missile Systems Center Commander's Action Group, Los Angeles AFB CA.
3. August 1999 – August 2000, User Equipment Integration Project Officer, Global Positioning System Joint Program Office, Los Angeles AFB CA.
4. August 2000 – May 2002, Chief, Upgraded Early Warning Radar Deployment and Sustainment, Strategic Nuclear Detection Command and Control Program Office, Hanscom AFB MA.
5. May 2002 – August 2003, Commander's Action Officer and Speechwriter, Electronic Systems Center Commander's Action Group, Hanscom AFB MA.
6. August 2003 – June 2004, United States Air Forces Europe Air and Space Operations Center Program Manager, Battle Management Command, Control and Communications Program Office, Hanscom AFB MA.
7. June 2004 – August 2005, Air and Space Operations Center Test Director, Detachment 3, Air Force Operational Test and Evaluation Center, Kirtland AFB NM.
8. August 2005 – June 2006, Detachment 3 Mission Support Officer, Air Force Operational Test and Evaluation Center, Kirtland AFB NM.
9. June 2006 – September 2007, Deputy Chief for Current Operations for C4ISR and Deputy Branch Chief, Operations Directorate, Air Force Operational Test and Evaluation Center, Kirtland AFB, NM.
10. September 2007 – July 2008, Executive Officer to the Commander, Air Force Operational Test and Evaluation Center, Kirtland AFB, NM.
11. July 2008 – June 2009, Student, College of Naval Command and Staff, Naval War College, Newport RI.
12. June 2009 – March 2010, Chief, Trainer Branch, Global Reach Programs Directorate, Office of the Assistant Secretary of the Air Force for Acquisition, Headquarters U.S. Air Force, Washington D.C.
13. March 2010 – August 2011, KC-X Program Element Monitor, Global Reach Programs Directorate, Office of the Assistant Secretary of the Air Force for Acquisition, Headquarters U.S. Air Force, Washington D.C.
14. August 2011 – July 2012, Chief, Acquisition Policy, Secretary of the Air Force and Chief of Staff Executive Action Group, Headquarters U.S. Air Force, Washington D.C.
15. July 2012 – July 2014, Materiel Leader, Mideast and Central Asia Branch, Air Force Security Assistance and Cooperation Directorate, Air Force Life Cycle Management Center, Wright-Patterson AFB OH.
16. July 2014 – August 2015, Air Force Fellow-System Design and Management, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge MA.
17. August 2015 – June 2016, Australia Country Manager, F-35 Lightning II Joint Program Office, Arlington, VA.

18. June 2016 – July 2017, Executive Assistant to PEO, F-35 Lightning II Joint Program Office, Arlington, VA.
19. August 2017 – May 2018, Director, Acquisition and Industry Relations, Contracting Operations Division, Office of the Chief Financial Officer, Defense Intelligence Agency, Joint Base Anacostia-Bolling, Washington DC.
20. June 2018 – March 2019, Senior Materiel Leader & Chief, JSTARS Recapitalization Division, Program Executive Office for Battle Management, Air Force Life Cycle Management Center, Hanscom Air Force Base, MA.
21. March 2019 – Present, Senior Materiel Leader & Chief, Survivable Airborne Operations Division, Digital Directorate, Air Force Life Cycle Management Center, Hanscom Air Force Base, MA.

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Defense Meritorious Service Medal with one oak leaf cluster

Meritorious Service Medal with four oak leaf clusters

Air Force Commendation Medal

Air Force Achievement Medal

ACHIEVEMENTS / DATES OF PROMOTIONS

Second Lieutenant	May 28, 1997
First Lieutenant	May 28, 1999
Captain	May 28, 2001
Major	December 1, 2006
Lieutenant Colonel	December 1, 2011
Colonel	March 1, 2018

(Current as of Aug 2019)