



BIOGRAPHY



UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

Colonel Lynn I. Scheel

Colonel Lynn Scheel is the Senior Air Force Representative at the US Army War College at Carlisle Barracks, Pennsylvania. As the Senior Air Force Representative and Army War College faculty instructor in the Department of Military Strategy, Planning, and Operations, Col Scheel leads and mentors 41 Air Force students and faculty members and educates and develops selected military, civilian, and international leaders on the successful implementation of the National Military Strategy in a joint, interagency, intergovernmental, and multinational environment.

Colonel Scheel received his commission as a ROTC distinguished graduate from Purdue University, West Lafayette, Ind., in 1989. He was a distinguished graduate from undergraduate pilot training at Williams AFB, Ariz., in 1991 and graduated F-16 training at MacDill AFB, Florida in 1992.

During his career that includes four overseas assignments, he has served as an F-16 instructor pilot and flight examiner, flight commander, F-16 squadron and wing weapons officer, operations officer, fighter squadron commander, strategy division chief, and vice wing commander. Colonel Scheel is a graduate of the U.S. Air Force Weapons School and the School of Advanced Air and Space Studies. He is a command pilot with more than 2,800 flying hours, including more than 500 combat hours over Iraq, Bosnia, and Serbia.



EDUCATION

1989 Bachelor of Science degree, Purdue University, Ind.
1997 Distinguished Graduate, Squadron Officer School, Maxwell AFB, Ala.
1999 Distinguished Graduate, Weapons Instructor Course, Air Force Weapons School, Nellis AFB, Nev.
2002 Master of Military Operational Art and Science, Air Command and Staff College, Maxwell AFB, Ala.
2003 Master of Airpower Art and Science, School of Advanced Air and Space Studies, Maxwell AFB, Ala.
2009 Air Force Senior Fellow, George C. Marshall European Center for Security Studies, Garmisch-Partenkirchen, Germany.

ASSIGNMENTS

1. April 1990 – June 1991, student, undergraduate pilot training, Williams AFB, Ariz.
2. July 1991 – August 1991, student, AT-38 fighter lead-in training, Holloman AFB, N.M.

3. September 1991 – November 1992, F-16 student, 61st and 62nd Tactical Fighter Training Squadron, MacDill AFB, Florida.
4. December 1992 – Jun 1996, F-16 pilot/flight lead, 69th and 307th Fighter Squadrons, Moody AFB, Ga.
5. July 1996 – July 1997, F-16 instructor, flight examiner, chief of standardization and evaluation, 80th Fighter Squadron, Kunsan AB, Republic of Korea
6. August 1997 – September 1997, student, Squadron Officer School, Maxwell AFB, Ala.
7. October 1997 – June 1999, F-16 instructor, flight examiner, flight commander, 510th Fighter Squadron, Aviano AB, Italy
8. July 1999 – December 1999, student, U.S. Air Force Weapons School, Nellis AFB, Nev.
9. January 2000 – July 2001, weapons officer, 510th Fighter Squadron and 31st Operational Support Squadron, Aviano AB, Italy.
10. August 2001 – June 2002, student, Air Command and Staff College, Maxwell AFB, Ala.
11. July 2002 – July 2003, student, School of Advanced Air and Space Studies, Maxwell AFB, Ala.
12. August 2003 – Dec 2004, warfare division chief, Headquarters Air Force Doctrine Center, Maxwell AFB, Ala.
13. January 2005 – May 2005, student, F-16 transition and instructor course, 302nd and 309th Fighter Squadrons, Luke AFB, Ariz.
14. June 2005 – May 2006, operations officer, 310th Fighter Squadron, Luke AFB, Ariz.
15. June 2006 – Apr 2008, commander, 425th Fighter Squadron, Luke AFB, Ariz.
16. May 2008 – Jul 2008, deputy commander, 56th Operations Group, Luke AFB, Ariz.
17. Aug 2008 – Jul 2009, U.S. Air Force Senior Fellow, George C. Marshall European Center for Security Studies, Garmisch-Partenkirchen, Germany.
18. Aug 2009 – Jul 2010, strategy division chief, 609th Air and Space Operations Center, Southwest Asia.
19. Aug 2010 – Jun 2012, vice commander, 354th Fighter Wing, Eielson AFB, Alaska.
20. Jul 2012 – present, senior Air Force representative and faculty instructor, US Army War College, Carlisle Barracks, Penn.

SUMMARY OF JOINT ASSIGNMENTS

1. Aug 2009 – Aug 2010, chief, strategy division, 609th Air and Space Operations Center, Southwest Asia.
2. Jul 2012 – present, senior Air Force representative and faculty instructor, US Army War College, Carlisle Barracks, Penn.

FLIGHT INFORMATION

Rating: Command pilot

Flight hours: Over 2,800 hours, primarily in the F-16

Aircraft flown: F-16, AT-38, T-38, and T-37

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Legion of Merit Medal

Bronze Star Medal

Defense Meritorious Service Medal

Meritorious Service Medal with two oak leaf clusters

Air Medal with silver oak leaf cluster

Aerial Achievement Medal with three oak leaf clusters

EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION

Second Lieutenant October 27, 1989

First Lieutenant October 27, 1991

Captain October 27, 1993

Major February 1, 2001

Lieutenant Colonel April 1, 2004

Colonel September 1, 2009

(Current as of Aug 2014)