



BIOGRAPHY



UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

COLONEL SCOTT M. FOX

Colonel Scott M. Fox is Vice Commander, 90th Missile Wing, Francis E. Warren Air Force Base, Wyo. He provides strategic nuclear deterrence through the operation, maintenance, security and support by military, civilian and contractor personnel operating 15 missile alert facilities and 150 Minuteman III Intercontinental Ballistic Missiles constantly ready to launch at the direction of the President of the United States.

Colonel Fox entered the Air Force after graduating from the Air Force Academy in 1987. His missile experience includes operational tours in Ground Launched Cruise Missiles as well as the Minuteman II and Minuteman III ICBMs. Additionally, he has experience in operational test and evaluation of C2, missile and space launch systems and campaign-level operational analysis. He served on the Headquarters US Air Force, Air Force Space Command and Twentieth Air Force staffs.



In 2005, Colonel Fox deployed in support of Operation ENDURING FREEDOM as the Deputy Director of the Defense Resources Sector and Senior Acquisition Mentor, Office of Military Cooperation-Afghanistan at Camp Eggers, Kabul, Afghanistan. Upon his return, he took command of the 12th Missile Squadron, Malmstrom AFB, Mont., where he had the honor of leading the "Red Dawgs" as they provided strategic deterrence and global strike capability in support of the Commander, United States Strategic Command.

EDUCATION

- 1987 Bachelor of Science degree in astronautical engineering, US Air Force Academy, Colorado Springs, Colo.
- 1993 Squadron Officer School, Maxwell Air Force Base, Ala.
- 1995 Master of Science degree in administrative management, University of Montana, Missoula, Mont.
- 1998 Master of Science degree in operations research, Air Force Institute of Technology, Wright Patterson AFB, Ohio.
- 2001 Air Command & Staff College, Maxwell Air Force Base, Ala.
- 2001 Master of Military Operational Art and Science degree, Air University, Maxwell AFB, Ala.
- 2006 Air War College, by correspondence
- 2008 US Army War College, Carlisle Barracks, Pa.
- 2008 Master of Strategic Studies degree, US Army War College, Carlisle Barracks, Pa.

ASSIGNMENTS

1. August 1987 - November 1987, student, 868th Tactical Missile Training Squadron, Davis-Monthan AFB, Ariz.
2. November 1987 - August 1990, Ground Launched Cruise Missile instructor/evaluator launch officer, 38th Tactical Missile Wing, Wueschheim AS, Germany.
3. August 1990 - August 1993, Minuteman II and Minuteman III combat crew member and training/evaluation flight commander, 10th Strategic Missile Squadron, Malmstrom AFB, Mont.

4. September 1993 - August 1996, operations evaluator and deputy test director, Air Force Operational Test and Evaluation Center Operating Location BC, Vandenberg AFB, Calif.
5. August 1996 - March 1998, graduate student (operations research), Air Force Institute of Technology, Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio.
6. March 1998 - August 2000, operations analyst and chief, Campaign Analysis Branch, Air Force Studies and Analyses Agency, Headquarters US Air Force, Washington, D.C.
7. August 2000 - June 2001, student, Air Command & Staff College, Maxwell AFB, Ala.
8. July 2001 - February 2004, chief, Operations Testing & Evaluation Branch and member, Commander's Action Group, Headquarters Air Force Space Command, Peterson AFB, Colo.
9. February 2004 - July 2005, chief of safety, 341st Space Wing, Malmstrom AFB, Mont.
10. July 2005 - July 2007, Commander, 12th Missile Squadron, Malmstrom AFB, Mont.
11. July 2007 - June 2008, student, US Army War College, Carlisle Barracks, Pa.
12. July 2008 - December 2009, director of safety & nuclear surety, Twentieth Air Force, F. E. Warren AFB, Wyo.
13. December 2009 - present, Vice Commander, 90th Missile Wing, F. E. Warren AFB, Wyo.

BADGES

Command Space Badge

Master Missile Badge with Operations Designator

Weapon Systems: Ground Launched Cruise Missile; Minuteman II; Minuteman III

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Defense Meritorious Service Medal

Meritorious Service Medal with three oak leaf clusters

Air Force Commendation Medal with oak leaf cluster

Air Force Achievement Medal

Combat Readiness Medal with oak leaf cluster

National Defense Service Medal with bronze star

Afghanistan Campaign Medal with campaign star

Global War on Terrorism Service Medal

EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTIONS

Second Lieutenant May 27, 1987

First Lieutenant May 27, 1989

Captain May 27, 1991

Major Nov. 1, 1998

Lieutenant Colonel July 1, 2003

Colonel Dec. 1, 2008

(Current as of December 2009)