



BIOGRAPHY

UNITED STATES AIR FORCE



COLONEL CHARLES “Andy” ST.SAUVER

Colonel Charles “Andy” St.Sauver is the Commander for Air Force Reserve Officer Training Corps, Detachment 720, at The Pennsylvania State University in State College Pennsylvania. He is responsible for the recruitment and development of United States Air Force and Space Force officer candidates, serves as the Professor of Aerospace Studies, and represents the joint services as a member of the University Senate.

The Colonel was commissioned in 1999 following graduation from the University of Minnesota. He has served in a variety of personnel, manpower, services, and special duty assignments. He has a myriad of experience in the international environment having teamed with allied partners, led local nationals, and earned advanced degrees in Taiwan & Australia. Prior to his current position, he was the commander of the 82d Mission Support Group at Sheppard Air Force Base, Texas where he was responsible for providing all civil engineer, personnel, services, supply, fuels, communications, law enforcement, transportation, contracting, and logistics readiness support for the Air Force’s largest technical training installation and the Euro-NATO Joint Jet Pilot Training Program. Col St.Sauver has also commanded the 51st Force Support Squadron, Osan AB, where he led the Korean Peninsula’s largest squadron, providing “Fight Tonight” readiness. He has deployed for Operation IRAQI FREEDOM, directly supported Operation UNIFIED PROTECTOR, and served as a Team Chief for the Air Force’s COVID-19 Crisis Action Team. He is supported by his wife, Lieutenant Colonel Christily St.Sauver, and their three resilient, world-traveling children.



EDUCATION

1999 Bachelor of Arts Degree in Psychology, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minnesota
2000 Aerospace Basic Course, Maxwell AFB, Alabama
2004 Squadron Officer School, Maxwell AFB, Alabama
2008 Studied Mandarin Chinese, Defense Language Institute, Monterey, California
2010 Master of Arts in Taiwan Studies, Asia-Pacific Studies, National Chengchi University, Taipei, Taiwan
2010 Air Command and Staff College by correspondence
2014 Certificate in Advanced Business Management, Georgetown University, Washington, D.C.
2019 Centre for Defence & Strategic Studies, Australian Defence College, Canberra, Australia
2020 Master of Business Administration, Deakin University, Victoria, Australia
2021 Capital Hill Enterprise Perspective Seminar, Washington, D.C.

ASSIGNMENTS

1. September 1999 – November 2000, Executive Officer, 377th Civil Engineer Group, Kirtland Air Force Base, New Mexico
2. November 2000 – April 2002, Inspector General Staff Officer, 377 Air Base Wing, Kirtland AFB, New Mexico
3. April 2002 – August 2003, Squadron Section Commander, 52d Equipment Maintenance Squadron, Spangdahlem AB, Germany
4. September 2003 – May 2005, Chief Personnel Relocations & Employments and later Chief Customer Support, Military Personnel Flight, 52nd Mission Support Squadron, Spangdahlem AB, Germany
5. May 2005 – April 2007, Manpower Resources Manager and later Chief, Manpower Resources Section, Directorate of Plans and Programs, Headquarters Air Combat Command, Langley AFB, Virginia
6. April 2007 – July 2010, IDE Student, Olmsted Scholar Program, Defense Language Institute, Monterey, California and later National Chengchi University, Taipei, Taiwan
7. July 2010 – August 2012, Operations Officer, 31st Force Support Squadron, Aviano AB, Italy
8. August 2012 – May 2013, Manpower Programmer, Budget Development, Directorate of Manpower, Organization & Resources, Deputy Chief of Staff, Manpower, Personnel & Services, Headquarters U.S. Air Force, Washington, D.C.

9. May 2013 – June 2014, Executive Officer, Deputy Chief of Staff, Manpower, Personnel & Services, Headquarters U.S. Air Force, Washington, D.C.
 10. July 2014 – July 2016, Commander, 51st Force Support Squadron, Osan AB, Republic of Korea
 11. July 2016 – December 2018, Deputy Chief, Personnel Division, Directorate of Manpower, Personnel & Services, Headquarters Pacific Air Forces, Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam, Hawaii
 12. January 2019 – December 2019, SDE Exchange Student, Centre for Defence & Strategic Studies, Australian Defence College, Canberra, Australia
 13. January 2020 – July 2020, Airpower Strategist, Strategic Competition Cell, Directorate of Strategy, Concepts, & Assessments, Deputy Chief of Staff, Strategy, Integration, & Requirements, Headquarters U.S. Air Force, Washington, D.C.
 14. July 2020 – June 2021, Chief, Program Development Division, Directorate of Manpower, Organization & Resources, Deputy Chief of Staff, Manpower Personnel, & Services, and concurrently Manpower Panel Chair, Directorate of Programs, Deputy Chief of Staff for Plans and Programs, Headquarters U.S. Air Force, Washington, D.C.
 15. July 2021 – July 2023, Commander, 82d Mission Support Group, Sheppard AFB, Texas
 16. July 2023 – Present, Commander, Air Force Reserve Officer Training Corps Detachment 710, Pennsylvania State University, State College, Pennsylvania

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Legion of Merit
 Meritorious Service Medal with five oak leaf clusters
 Air Force Commendation Medal with three oak leaf clusters
 Air Force Achievement Medal with two oak leaf clusters
 Meritorious Unit Award
 Air Force Outstanding Unit Award with two oak leaf clusters
 Air Force Organizational Excellence Award with two oak leaf clusters
 Iraq Campaign Medal with bronze star
 Korean Defense Service Medal
 Armed Forces Service Medal
 Air & Space Campaign Medal

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS

2005 – Best Large Mission Support Squadron, United States Air Forces in Europe
 2008 – Olmsted Scholar Class of 2008
 2011 – Best Large Force Support Squadron, United States Air Force
 2011 – Force Support Field Grade Officer of the Year, United States Air Forces in Europe
 2015 – Best Large Force Support Squadron, Pacific Air Forces
 2016 – Staff Level Personnel Field Grade Officer of the Year, United States Air Force
 2017 – Fellow, Daniel K. Inouye Asia-Pacific Center for Security Studies, Honolulu, Hawaii
 2019 – Fellow, Centre of Defence & Strategic Studies, Canberra, Australia

EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION

Second Lieutenant	July 15, 1999
First Lieutenant	July 15, 2001
Captain	July 15, 2003
Major	June 01, 2009
Lieutenant Colonel	November 01, 2014
Colonel	October 01, 2020

(Current as of September 2023)