



BIOGRAPHY



UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

COLONEL LANCE TURNER

Colonel Lance Turner currently serves as Commander of the 932 Mission Support Group, 932 Airlift Wing, Scott AFB, IL. In this role, he leads more than 350 Civil Engineer, Force Support, Logistics Readiness and Security Forces Airmen. His team provides support services to 1,100 organic personnel and is available to support an additional 13,000 personnel in mission partner organizations around Scott AFB. The 932 Mission Support Group enables airpower by supporting AFRC's only C-40 wing and it satisfies world-wide Combatant Commander needs with mission-ready Airmen.

Colonel Turner entered the Air Force in 1995 after obtaining his commission at U.S. Air Force Academy and earning a Bachelor of Science in Engineering Mechanics with a minor in French. He has served in a variety of assignments at the wing, numbered air force and major command levels. He has been assigned to USSOUTHCOM, USAFCENT (ACC), AFMC, AETC and AFRC. He has actively supported multiple operational and training operations including Operations ENDURING FREEDOM and DESERT STORM. His duty statuses have included Active Duty, Traditional Reserve (TR), Individual Mobilization Augmentee (IMA), and Active Guard and Reserve (AGR). Prior to assuming his current position, he served as the Deputy Chief, Civil Engineer Division, Directorate of Logistics, Engineering and Force Protection, Air Force Reserve Command, Robins AFB GA.



EDUCATION

1995 Bachelor of Science degree in Engineering Mechanics, United States Air Force Academy, CO
1999 Squadron Officer School, Maxwell AFB, AL
2005 Contingency Engineer Command, Civil Engineer and Service School, Wright Patterson AFB, OH
2007 Air Force Incident Management Course, Randolph AFB, TX
2010 Master of Science degree in Military Operational Art and Science, Air University, Maxwell AFB, AL
2012 Advanced Joint Professional Military Education (JPME-II), Joint Forces Staff College, Norfolk VA
2012 Leadership Today and Tomorrow, AFRC Professional Development Center, Washington DC
2012 Reserve Component National Security Course, National Defense University, Washington DC
2014 Air War College (correspondence), Air University, Maxwell AFB, AL
2015 Naval Strategy and Warfare Course, Newport, R.I.

ASSIGNMENTS

1. Jul 1995–Jun 1998, Project Engineer, Civil Engineer Program Manager, AEDC/SDE, Arnold AFB, TN
2. Jun 1998–Oct 2001 Chief, Maintenance Engineering, Mechanical Design Engineer, 14 CES, Columbus AFB, MS
3. Oct 2001–Nov 2002 Chief of Operations, 612th Air Base Sq, Soto Cano AB, Honduras
4. Nov 2002–Jan 2006, Executive Officer to Civil Engineer, Chief Engineering Management Practices HQ AETC/CE, Randolph AFB, TX
5. Jan 2006–Dec 2007, IMA to the Chief, Environmental Integration & Analysis Branch, HQ AETC/A7C, Randolph AFB, TX
6. Dec 2007–Aug 2009, IMA to Deputy Director of Installations, USAFCENT, Shaw AFB, SC
7. Aug 2009–Jun 2010, Student, Air Command and Staff College, Maxwell AFB, AL
8. Jul 2010–May 2013, Chief, Operations and Plans Branch, HQ AFRC/A7, Robins AFB, GA
9. May 2013–May 2015, Assistant Executive Officer to the Commander, Air Force Reserve Command, Robins AFB, GA
10. May 2015–May 2018, Deputy Chief, Civil Engineer Division, HQ AFRC/A4C, Robins AFB, GA
11. Jun 2018–Present, Commander, 932 Mission Support Group, Scott AFB, IL

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Meritorious Service Medal with four oak leaf clusters
Air Force Commendation Medal with two oak leaf clusters
Air Force Achievement Medal with one oak leaf cluster AF
Outstanding Unit Award
Air Force Organizational Excellence Award with five oak leaf clusters
Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal
Global War on Terrorism Service Medal

EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION

Second Lieutenant May 31, 1995
First Lieutenant June 27, 1997
Captain June 27, 1999
Major Aug 1, 2005
Lieutenant Colonel Aug 20, 2010
Colonel May 1, 2015

(Current as of Jun 2018)