



# BIOGRAPHY

## UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

### LIEUTENANT COLONEL ALAN VAUGHN

Lieutenant Colonel Alan Vaughn is the Commander of the 765th Air Base Squadron, Lajes Field, Portugal. He is responsible for 290 people and oversees the installation engineering, contracting, and force support functions supporting \$1.7 billion in infrastructure. His squadron sustains air and space power in support of the US and its NATO allies at a strategically located remote air base.

Lieutenant Colonel Vaughn commissioned in 2009 after graduating from Clemson University. As an explosive ordnance disposal qualified career civil engineer, he has served in a variety of positions at a base level and at major command. Lt Col Vaughn has multiple deployments in support of Operation ENDURING FREEDOM and EUCOM.

#### EDUCATION

2006 Bachelor of Science, Physics, North Georgia College, Dahlonega, GA  
2009 Bachelor of Science, Civil Engineering, Clemson University, Clemson, SC  
2010 Air and Space Basic Course, Maxwell AFB, AL  
2012 Master of Business Administration, Trident University, Cypress, CA  
2013 Joint Naval Explosive Ordnance Disposal School (EOD), Eglin AFB, FL  
2014 Squadron Officer's School, Maxwell AFB, AL  
2023 Master of Military Operational Art and Science, Air Command and Staff College, Maxwell AFB, AL



#### ASSIGNMENTS

1. August 2009-February 2011, Chief, Operations Support, 87<sup>th</sup> Civil Engineer Squadron, McGuire AFB, NJ
2. February 2011-May 2011, Lead Engineer RC-Capital, Combined Security Transition Command, Kabul, Afghanistan
3. May 2011-August 2011, Lead Engineer RC-West, National Training Mission, Shindand, Afghanistan
4. August 2011-June 2012, Chief, Fort Dix Operation Support, 87<sup>th</sup> Civil Engineer Squadron, Joint Base MDL, NJ
5. June 2012-June 2013, Student, Joint Naval Explosive Ordnance Disposal School, Eglin AFB, FL
6. June 2013-February 2014, EOD Flight Commander, 1<sup>st</sup> Special Operation Civil Engineer Squadron, Hurlburt Field, FL
7. February 2014-July 2014, EOD Flight Commander, 380<sup>th</sup> Civil Engineer Squadron, Al Dhafra, United Arab of Emirates
8. July 2014-August 2017, EOD Flight Commander, 1<sup>st</sup> Special Operation Civil Engineer Squadron, Hurlburt Field, FL
9. August 2017-July 2019, Base Civil Engineer, 496<sup>th</sup> Air Base Squadron, Moron AB, Spain
10. July 2019-May 2020, Chief, Current Operations, USAFE A4, Ramstein AB, Germany
11. May 2020-June 2022, Installation Strategist, USAFE A589, Ramstein AB, Germany
12. June 2022-May 2023, Student, Air Command and Staff College, Maxwell AFB, Alabama
13. May 2023-June 2024, Instructor of International Securities, Air Command and Staff College, Maxwell, AFB, AL
14. June 2024-Present, Commander, 765<sup>th</sup> ABS, Lajes Field, Portugal

#### MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Meritorious Service Medal with one oak leaf cluster  
Joint Service Commendation Medal

Air and Space Commendation Medal with two oak leaf clusters  
Joint Service Achievement Medal  
Air and Space Achievement Medal with two oak leaf clusters

**EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION**

Second Lieutenant July 08, 2009  
First Lieutenant July 08, 2011  
Captain July 08, 2013  
Major May 01, 2019  
Lieutenant Colonel February 01,2024

*(Current as of June 2024)*