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KEYNOTE AND GUEST SPEAKERS

GENERAL JACQUELINE D. VAN OVOST

Gen. Jacqueline D. Van Ovost is the 14th Commander of U.S. Transportation Command, one of 11 combatant commands in the Department of Defense. USTRANSCOM's mission is to project and sustain military power globally in order to assure our friends and allies, deter potential adversaries, and if necessary, respond to win decisively.

Gen. Van Ovost has a diverse operational and training background, which includes command of an air refueling squadron, a flying training wing and the Presidential Airlift Wing. She is a graduate of the U.S. Air Force Test Pilot School and a command pilot with more than 4,200 hours in more than 30 aircraft, including the C-32A, C-17A, C-141B, KC-135R and KC-46A.

She has held several staff and joint assignments, serving as the Director of Staff for Headquarters Air Force, the Vice Director of the Joint Staff, the Deputy Director for Politico-Military Affairs (Europe, NATO, Russia), Strategic Plans and Policy Directorate (J5), Joint Staff, the Director of Mobility Forces for U.S. Central Command, the Vice Commander of the U.S. Air Force Expeditionary Center, and the Joint Operations Division Chief, Operations and Plans Directorate (J3), USTRANSCOM.

Gen. Van Ovost graduated from the U.S. Air Force Academy in 1988 with a degree in Aeronautical Engineering. She also holds master's degrees in Mechanical Engineering from California State University, and Military Arts and Sciences, and Strategic Studies from the Air War College, Maxwell Air Force Base, Alabama.

Her decorations and awards include the Defense Distinguished Service Medal with oak leaf cluster, the Defense Superior Service Medal with oak leaf cluster, the Legion of Merit with oak leaf cluster, and the Bronze Star Medal with oak leaf cluster.

Prior to her current position, Gen. Van Ovost served as the Commander, Air Mobility Command.



LIEUTENANT GENERAL RICHARD G. MOORE JR.



Lt. Gen. Richard G. Moore, Jr. is the Deputy Chief of Staff for Plans and Programs, Headquarters U.S. Air Force, the Pentagon, Arlington, Va. As the Air Force's senior Planner/Programmer, he directs and coordinates activities ensuring the Air Force plans for, builds, and employs effective air and cyber forces to achieve national defense objectives. To accomplish these tasks, he leads the development, integration, evaluation, and analysis of the Air Force's program objective memorandum and resource allocation plan.

Lt. Gen. Moore graduated from the U.S. Air Force Academy in 1992 with a Bachelor of Science in Chemistry, and subsequently earned a Master of Engineering Management from Washington State University in 1997. During his Air Force career, Lt. Gen. Moore has commanded at the squadron, group, and wing levels. He is a command pilot with more than 4,000 hours in the KC-135R/T Stratotanker, C-12F Huron, C-5A/B/M Galaxy, C-17A Globemaster III and C-130J Super Hercules.

Prior to his current position, Lt. Gen. Moore was the Director of Programs, Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff for Plans and Programs, HAF, the Pentagon, Arlington, Virginia.

KEVIN D. STAMEY

Mr. Kevin D. Stamey, a member of the Senior Executive Service, is the Program Executive Officer and Director for the Mobility and Training Aircraft Directorate at the Air Force Life Cycle Management Center, Wright-Patterson AFB, OH. He leads more than 2,100 military, civilian and contractor personnel and is responsible for program execution and executive management for all ACAT I, II, III, and sustainment programs in the Air Force's ~\$39 billion airlift, tanker, and training aircraft portfolio to include C-5, C-17, C-130, C-208, E-9, KC-46, KC-10, KC-135, T-1, T-6, T-38, and T-7 aircraft. In addition, Mr. Stamey is the acquisition lead for the SecAF's Operational Imperative for Resilient Basing.

In his previous assignment he was the Director for Information Dominance Programs, Office of the Assistant Secretary of the Air Force for Acquisition, Technology and Logistics, Washington, D.C. He is responsible for synchronizing 75 programs spanning command and control; airborne intelligence, surveillance and reconnaissance; business systems; and offensive and defensive cyber with Air Force planning and programming. He guides acquisition planning and directs the preparation and presentation of budget materials. He develops program positions on behalf of the Secretary of the Air Force, builds alignment across the Air Staff and Program Executive Officers, and directs external engagement strategies with the Office of the Secretary of Defense, Joint Staff, Combatant Commands and congressional staff. He also advocates for the U.S. and USAF with NATO's Air Force and C4ISR community, and serves as the chair of the NATO Air Force Armaments Group.



MAJOR GENERAL FRANCK MOLLARD



Major General Franck Mollard, French Air Force is Commander, European Air Transport Command.

Major General Franck MOLLARD was born in Le Mans (FRANCE) on 7 March 1970. He Graduated from Sup'Aéro in 1992 and was a member of the 1991 "Captain Koëning" class of the French Air Force Academy. After being licensed as a fighter pilot in 1995, he achieved 2,600 flight hours (including more than 2,000 on Mirage 2000), taking part in 30 war missions.

From 2005 to 2006 he attended the France Airforce War School where he obtained a Master's degree in "Defence policy, strategy and industrial dynamics". His first assignment in 1995 was to the Fighter Squadron 01.005 "Vendée", where he was patrol leader and commanded the SPA 124 "Jeanne d'Arc" squadron, becoming then deputy chief of operations still on Mirage 2000C in Orange. After being appointed in 2003 as program Officer on Mirage 2000-5 at the Weapon System Office of the Air Force HQ in Paris, in the period from 2006 to 2009 he was appointed Second-incommand of the EC 02.002 "Côte d'Or" till to be commander of the 01.002 "Cigognes" fighter group in Dijon.

From 2009 to 2011 he was Head of the combat engagement section at the Air Force headquarters in Paris and after three years deployed in Kuwait as Air advisor to the Chief of Staff of the Kuwait Air Force, he went back to Paris in 2014 as Chief of the analysis cell of the Air Force Major General. From 2015 to 2017 he was Commander

of the Air Force Base 118 "Colonel Rozanoff" and Commander of the Defense Base of Mont-deMarsan Departmental Military Delegate of Landes.

From 2018 to 2021 he was appointed as Chief of Staff of the Secretary General for Administration and since being promoted Air Brigadier General in 2021 he took the position of Director of the Accident investigation Office for State Aviation Safety.

On August 2023 he was appointed Air Major General to become EATC Commander in September 2023. Major General Mollard took part in Operation Alysse and Operation Salamander-Trident and is awarded, above all, as Knight of the Legion of Honor, Officer of the National Order of Merit, Aeronautics Medal and Combatant's Cross.