



Andreas SCHICK

Brigadier General

German Air Force

Chief of Staff

European Air Transport Command

Brigadier General Andreas Schick was born in Bad Sobernheim, Rhineland-Palatinate, on June 3rd, 1961. After having passed the secondary school graduation ("Abitur") in Bad Sobernheim he joined the German Air Force as a conscript in 1980. In 1982 he started with his Officer training and was commissioned to Second Lieutenant in 1985. He was trained on aircraft types T-37 and T-38 as a pilot and subsequently underwent weapon system training on the F-4F Phantom II and in 2007 on the EUROFIGHTER. He has accumulated more than 2600 flying hours.

BG Schick is married to Anette. He currently holds the position as Chief of Staff of the European Air Transport Command at Eindhoven Airbase, NL.

EDUCATION:

- 1982 - 1983 Graduate German Air Force Academy
- 1984 - 1985 Graduate Euro NATO Joint Jet Pilot Training, Sheppard Air Force Base, Texas, USA
- 1989 Graduate Pilot Instructor Training, Fighter Wing 72, Rheine, North Rhine-Westphalia
- 1994 - 1996 Graduate General Staff Officer Course, Federal Armed Forces Command and General Staff College, Hamburg
- 2010 Graduate Senior Course 117, NATO Defence College, Rome

ASSIGNMENTS:

- 1980 - 1982 Dispatcher, Wing Operations Center, Fighter Bomber Wing 35, Bad Sobernheim, Rhineland-Palatinate
- 1985 - 1994 Pilot, Instructor Pilot, Squadron Operations Officer and Operations Officer Flying Group, Fighter Wing 71 "Richthofen", Wittmund, Lower Saxony
- 1996 - 1998 Squadron Commander, Fighter Squadron 712, FW 71 "Richthofen"
- 1998 - 1999 General Staff Officer for Air Operations Plans and Policy, German Air Force Command in Cologne, North Rhine-Westphalia
- 1999 - 2001 Deputy Branch Chief for Armed Forces Concepts, Joint Staff Federal Ministry of Defence, Bonn, North Rhine-Westphalia
- 2001 - 2004 Military Assistant to the Supreme Allied Commander Europe (SACEUR), SHAPE, Mons, Belgium
- 2004 - 2005 Section Chief for "Operation Fundamentals - Flying Weapon Systems", German Air Force Command, Cologne, North Rhine-Westphalia
- 2005 - 2007 Chief of Staff, Headquarter 1st German Air Division, Fürstenfeldbruck, Bavaria
- 2007 - 2010 Base Commander Fighter Wing 73 "Steinhoff", Laage, Mecklenburg-Western Pomerania
- 2011 Faculty Advisor, Senior Course 118., NATO Defence College, Rome
- 2011 - 2012 Section Chief Standby Forces, Bundeswehr Operations Command, Potsdam, Brandenburg
- 2012 - 2013 Deputy Assistant Chief of Staff, Air Force Command and Control / Operations, German Air Force Headquarters, Berlin.

2013-2014

Branch Head Military Policy and Strategy formulation / CHOD representation in International Organisations, Ministry of Defence, Berlin.

2014 - 2017

Director Flying Operations, Air Force Forces Command, Cologne North Rhine-Westphalia.

**OPERATIONS
ASSIGNMENTS:**

2008

CJ3 Air and Senior National Representative, ISAF HQ, Kabul, AFG

2015-2016

Commander DEU Contingent, Counter Daesh, Incirlik TUR

PROMOTIONS:

Second Lieutenant 07 / 1985

First Lieutenant 07 / 1987

Captain 07 / 1990

Major 10 / 1994

Lieutenant Colonel 01 / 1997

Colonel 02 / 2005

Brigadier General 12 / 2015

AWARDS

DECORATIONS:

Gold Cross of Honour of the Federal Armed Forces

US Meritorious Service Medal