BIOGRAPHY

UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

MASTER SERGEANT DAVID K. WAGSTAFF

MSgt David K. Wagstaff is the First Sergeant, 554th RED HORSE Squadron, 36th Contingency Response Group, 36th Wing, Andersen Air Force Base, Guam. He is the principle advisor to the Commander on the health, welfare, and human resource issues of 206 military personnel across 27 Air Force Specialty Codes. MSgt Wagstaff assures the readiness of PACAF's sole combat engineer unit; a highly skilled and mobile squadron that provides engineer, logistics, vehicle maintenance, and services capabilities. In addition, he is the First Sergeant for Silver Flag, which provides contingency training to 1,400 PACAF Civil Engineer and Force Support Airmen annually.

MSgt Wagstaff hails from Pasadena, California and joined the Air Force in January 2004. He graduated from the Avionics Test Station Component course at Sheppard Air Force Base, Texas in October 2004. He later retrained into the Airborne Mission Systems Operator career field after graduating from the Career Enlisted Aviator Center of Excellence at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas in June 2008. His assignments include bases in New Mexico, Arizona, and Maryland. He has also deployed in support of Operations ENDURING FREEDOM, IRAQI FREEDOM, UNIFIED PROTECTOR, and INHERENT RESOLVE.

Prior to his current position, MSgt Wagstaff was the First Sergeant for the 36th Contingency Response Group, Andersen AFB, Guam.

EDUCATION

2007 Airman Leadership School, Holloman Air Force Base, N.M.
2007 Associate in Applied Science, Avionics System Technology, Community College of the Air Force, Maxwell-Gunter AFB, Ala.
2010 Associate in Applied Science, Information Systems Management, Community College of the Air Force, Maxwell-Gunter AFB, Ala.
2012 Associate in Applied Science, Instructor in Technology, Community College of the Air Force, Maxwell-Gunter AFB, Ala.
2012 Senior Enlisted Joint Professional Military Education, by correspondence
2013 Community College of the Air Force Instructor Certification Level 1, Community College of the Air Force, Maxwell-Gunter AFB, Ala.
2013 Noncommissioned Officer Academy, Lackland AFB, Texas
2013 Senior Noncommissioned Officer Academy, Maxwell-Gunter AFB, Ala., by correspondence
2015 Professional Manager Certification, Community College of the Air Force, Maxwell-Gunter AFB, Ala.
2017 Senior Noncommissioned Officer Academy, Maxwell-Gunter AFB, Ala.
2018 Aero Information Technology Certification, Computing Technology Industry Association, Downers Grove, Ill.
2019 First Sergeant Academy, Maxwell-Gunter AFB, Ala.

ASSIGNMENTS

1. January 2004-March 2004, Student, Basic Military Training, 321st Training Squadron, Lackland Air Force Base, Texas
2. March 2004-June 2004, Student, Electronic Principles, 332nd Training Squadron, Keesler AFB, Miss.
3. June 2004-October 2004, Student, Avionics Test Station and Component, 365th Training Squadron, Sheppard AFB, Texas
4. October 2004-August 2007, Team Member, Automated Test Station, 49th Maintenance Squadron, Holloman AFB, N.M.
5. September 2007-April 2008, Augmentee, Public Affairs, 49th Fighter Wing, Holloman AFB, N.M.

6. April 2008-June 2008, Student, Career Enlisted Aviator Center of Excellence, Lackland AFB, Texas
7. June 2008-August 2008, Student, Survival Evasion Resistance Escape, Fairchild AFB, Wash.
8. August 2008-November 2008, Augmentee, Public Affairs, 49th Fighter Wing, Holloman AFB, N.M.
9. November 2008-June 2009, Student, Airborne Maintenance Technician Course, 42nd Electronic Combat Squadron, Davis-Monthan AFB, Ariz.
10. June 2009-January 2012, Airborne Maintenance Technician, 43rd Electronic Combat Squadron, Davis-Monthan AFB, Ariz.
11. January 2012-November 2012, Instructor Airborne Maintenance Technician, 42nd Electronic Combat Squadron, Davis-Monthan AFB, Ariz.
12. November 2012-August 2013, Evaluator Airborne Maintenance Technician/Flying Training Unit Course Manager, 42nd Electronic Combat Squadron, Davis-Monthan AFB, Ariz.
13. August 2013-December 2014, Group Standards and Evaluations Flight Examiner, 55th Electronic Combat Group, Davis-Monthan AFB, Ariz.
14. December 2014-December 2015, Flight Chief, Current Operations, 41st Electronic Combat Squadron, Davis-Monthan AFB, Ariz.
15. January 2016-August 2016, Student, Special Missions Communications System Operator Course, 1st Airlift Squadron, Joint Base Andrews, Md.
16. September 2016-September 2017, Flight Chief, Squadron Training, 1st Airlift Squadron, JB Andrews, Md.
17. October 2017-March 2018, Flight Chief, Support Flight, 1st Airlift Squadron, JB Andrews, Md.
18. April 2018-August 2019, Superintendent, Operations Group Tactics, 89th Operations Group, JB Andrews, Md.
19. August 2019-August 2020, First Sergeant, 36th Contingency Response Group, Andersen AFB, Guam
20. August 2020-Present, First Sergeant, 554th RED HORSE Squadron, Andersen AFB, Guam

FLIGHT INFORMATION
Rating: senior aircrew member
Flight hours: more than 3,400
Aircraft flown: EC-130H, TC-130H, C-32A, C-40B, and C-17A

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS
Meritorious Service Medal with oak leaf cluster
Air Medal with tenth oak leaf cluster
Aerial Achievement Medal
Air Force Commendation Medal with oak leaf cluster
Air Force Achievement Medal with oak leaf cluster
Army Achievement Medal

EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION
Airman First Class March 12, 2004
Senior Airman Jan.12, 2006
Staff Sergeant Aug.1, 2007
Technical Sergeant May 1, 2012
Master Sergeant July 1, 2015

(Current as of August 2020)