

Biography of Mr. Jonathan C. Ostil, PE, PMP

Deputy Director, 36th Civil Engineer Squadron



Jonathan “Jon” Ostil is the Deputy Director, 36th Civil Engineer Squadron, Andersen Air Force Base, Guam. The 36 CES consists of approximately 450 military and civilian personnel responsible for facility maintenance, repair, design, construction, fire protection, explosive ordnance disposal, housing, environmental, real property accounting/management, and installation emergency management. The squadron manages 20,780 acres and 2,600 facilities, over 1,200 housing units with an overall plant replacement value of \$7.1 billion.

Mr. Ostil earned his Bachelor of Science (BS) degree in Civil Engineering from the University of Saint Thomas and a BS in Environmental Studies from the University of Southern California. He holds a Master of Science in Civil Engineering (MSCE) from the University of Texas at San Antonio, and a Master of Business Administration (MBA) degree from the University of Hawaii.

Mr. Ostil enlisted in the US Air Force (USAF) in 1991 as a Pararescue Journeyman assigned at Hurlburt Field (FL). In 1994, he received his officer commission in the US Air Force. He worked in various position within a civil engineer squadron and major command as a civil engineer officer. His duty stations includes Travis AFB (CA), Osan AB (Korea), and Peterson AFB (CO) with deployments to Saudi Arabia, Pakistan, Bosnia-Herzegovina, and Federated States of Micronesia.

After 11 years of active duty military service, Mr. Ostil returned to the commercial workforce as a management consultant for Booz Allen Hamilton and then as a senior construction manager for Lend Lease Corporation both located in Honolulu, HI.

In 2009, Mr. Ostil re-entered government service as a USAF civilian engineer in the Installation and Mission Support Directorate (A7) at HQ Pacific Air Force, HI. As a basing program manager, he provided facility development and capital improvement master plans in support of new weapon system beddown initiatives in Alaska, Korea, Japan, Guam, Palau, Micronesia, and Australia.

From 2015 to 2018, Mr. Ostil was the Military Construction (MILCON) Program Manager at Command Navy Region Europe Africa Southwest Asia (CNRE) located at Naples, Italy. He was responsible for MILCON, Unspecified MILCON, Overseas Contingency Operation (OCO), and European Reassurance Initiative (ERI) program development and management within CNRE.

Mr. Ostil is a licensed Professional Civil Engineer in the State of Hawaii, holds a Facilities Engineering Certification Level III from Defense Acquisition Improvement Act (DAWIA), and a certified Project Management Professional (PMP).

His professional military education includes graduation from Air War College (AWC), Air Command and Staff College (ACSC), and Squadron Officer School (SOS).

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Mr. Ostil served in the Air Force Reserve and Colorado Air National Guard as a Civil Engineer and Readiness Plans officer from 2002 to 2018. He retired from the AF Reserve with a rank of Lt Col (O-5) with his last duty station at USPACOM (HI). Mr. Ostil grew-up in Los Angeles (CA), but considers Kakaako, Honolulu (HI) as his hometown.