



Major General Volker Thomas
 Commanding General of Bundeswehr Logistics
 Command

Panel A2
Military Mobility, Joint Support – cross border solutions for force projection
Tuesday, 27 th November 2018, 14:30 – 16:00h

Personal data:

Date of birth: 2 November 1958
 Place of birth: Südlohn, Borken
 Marital status: married, 2 children

Assignments:

- 1978 – 1979: Basic military training and assignment as trainee to Transport Battalion 170 in Rheine
- 1979 – 1982: Studies in Economics and Organizational Sciences at the Bundeswehr University in Hamburg
- 1983 – 1987: Supply Officer, Supply Battalion 5 in Wetzlar and Gießen
- 1987 – 1988: Supply Officer, Supply Battalion 11 in Delmenhorst
- 1988 – 1989: Chief Instructor, Army Supply School 2 in Bremen
- 1989 – 1990: Company Commander, Supply Battalion 110 in Rheine
- 1990 – 1992: General Staff Course, Bundeswehr Command and Staff College in Hamburg
- 1992 – 1993: G2 staff officer, 11. Mechanized Infantry Division, Oldenburg (Oldenburg)
- 1993 – 1995: Assistant Chief of Branch, Federal Ministry of Defense, Army Staff (Fü H) V in Bonn
- 1996 – 1998: Staff Officer Plans, SHAPE in Mons, Belgium
- 1998 – 2000: Battalion Commander, Transport Battalion 11 in Dörverden
- 2000 – 2003: Assistant Chief of Branch, Federal Ministry of Defense, Bundeswehr Operations Center (later Armed Forces Staff V) in Bonn
- 2003 – 2005: Staff Officer 1 with the Chief of Staff, Federal Ministry of Defense, Armed Forces Staff (Fü S) in Bonn
- 2005 – 2010: Chief of the Logistics Branch, Federal Ministry of Defense, Army Staff (Fü H) II 3 in Bonn
- 2010 – 2014: Brigade Commander, Logistics Brigade 1 in Delmenhorst
- 2014 – 2015: Commissioner of the Chief of the Joint Support Service for Field Accommodation and In-Country Maintenance Process, Joint Support Service Headquarters in Bonn
- 2015: Chief of Staff, Joint Support Service Headquarters in Bonn
- since 14 Jan 2016: Commander, Bundeswehr Logistics Command in Erfurt

Assignments abroad:

01/2011 - 08/2011: DCOS Support RC-North, Mazar-e-Sharif / AFG
09/2014 - 10/2014: Director Redeployment TAAC North, Mazar-e-Sharif / AFG

Decorations:

- Silver Cross of Honor of the Bundeswehr
- Gold Cross of Honor of the Bundeswehr
- Bundeswehr Bronze Foreign Duty Medal (ISAF)
- NATO Medal for ISAF