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Panel B4

**Multinational Air Power – how to increase
operational readiness to counter international
threats?**

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In July 1984, MG Juanas obtained his commission as a lieutenant. Fighter pilot graduate, he has flown F-5s (as instructor pilot), F-18s (as operational pilot and SQN Commander) and EF-2000s (in two different tours as Flying Group Commander and 11th Wing Commander & Moron AB Commander).

Among various courses, he specialized in EW and obtained the Spanish Air Staff Diploma being the top of his class.

He participated in operations: UNPROFOR in Bosnia-Herzegovina, KFOR in Kosovo, ISAF in Afghanistan; and, performed two NATO tours at AIRSOUTH HQ (A5/7) and SHAPE (OPS/INT).

Other national assignments include: Spanish Air Operational Command (MACOM), Typhoon Program Office, and Air Staff Plans and Policy Division.

In Feb 2017 he was promoted to the rank of BG and assumed present responsibilities as Chief of the Air Staff Ops Division.

In Jul 2019 he was appointed as Advisor to the ESPAF COS with the rank of MG.