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Panel A4

**NATO/EU Initiatives to improve capabilities for
medical operations**

Tuesday, 26th November 2019, 14:30 – 16:00 h

Military career:

March 1979: entry into military service as a medical officer candidate
Medical degree at University of Köln and Gießen
Clinical Training and Education at Military Hospital in Gießen and Koblenz
Director of Medical Centre, Rennerod
Commander of Medical Squadron AFCENT Brunssum/NLD
Commander of Medical Battalion 11, Leer
Commander of Field Hospital Regiment 11, Fürstenau
Section chief at the Surgeon General of the Army, Mönchengladbach/Koblenz
Assistant chief of the “Bundeswehr Joint Medical Service“ activation staff, MoD Bonn
G3 Regional Medical Command I, Kiel
Deputy G3 Joint Medical Forces Command (Operations, Exercises, STRATAIRMEDEVAC)
Bonn/Koblenz
Medical Advisor to the JFC HQ, Brunssum/NLD
Chief Division X (Further Development, Capability Analysis and Research) of the
Bundeswehr Medical Office, Munich
Chief of Division I (Medical Service Planning, International Cooperation Concepts and
Development) of the German Joint Medical Service Headquarters, Koblenz
Director of the NATO Center of Excellence for Military Medicine, Budapest/HUN
Medical Advisor for the Supreme Headquarters Allied Powers Europe (SHAPE), Mons/BEL

Current assignment:

Since August 2019 Director of the Multinational Medical Coordination Center Advisor (MMCC) /
European Medical Command in Koblenz

Deployments abroad:

1995 Deputy Commander of German Field Hospital, TROGIR, HRV
2005 Medical Director and Advisor at HQ ISAF KABUL, AFG
2011 Commander of German Medical Task Force (26. DEU Contingent ISAF), AFG

Honors:

Federal Cross of Merit on Ribbon
Hungarian Service Medal of Merit in Gold Grade
NATO Medal ISAF
United Nations Medal