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COLONEL ANTHONY J. "NEMO" PASQUALE

Colonel Anothony J. Pasquale is the Deputy Commander, Air National Guard Readiness Center, Joint Base Andrews, Maryland. He is responsible for assisting the Air National Guard Readiness Center Commander with resourcing, oversight, guidance and execution of a more than \$11 billion annual appropriation to enable mission readiness of 108,100 military and civilian personnel in 90 wings throughout the United States, District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, Guam and the Virgin Islands. Colonel Pasquale is dual-hatted as the Commander of the 201st Mission Support Squadron. In this role, he exercises command and control over Air National Guard assigned units and members. He is the Title 10 commander for the nearly 5,000 Air National Guard members serving on Title 10 orders worldwide.



Colonel Pasquale was commissioned in 2000 as a graduate of the Reserve Officer Training Corps program at Norwich University. Following Air Battle Management Initial Qualification Course, he flew as an Air Weapons and Sensor Management Officer on board the E-8C JSTARS where he deployed to support operations in CENTCOM as the E-8C Mission Planning Chief. In 2004, he became the first Air Battle Manger to serve as an Air Liaison Officer with the 4 Air Support Operations Group, Heidelberg, Germany during which he deployed as a Fighter Duty Officer in the Air Support Operations Center in OPERATION IRAQI FREEDOM. In 2007, he joined the New York Air National Guard serving at the Director of Operations 274th Air Support Operations Squadron, Hancock AF Syracuse, NY. During this time, he deployed to support contingency operation in Afghanistan, Iraqi and Africa. Col Pasquale served as the Commander of the 274th Air Support Operations Squadron prior to his assignment at the Air National Guard Readiness Center where he served as the Division Chief of Personnel Recovery and Special Operations Forces, National Guard Bureau. As Division Chief he oversaw a portfolio to include rescue and special operations forces supporting 6,528 military and civilian personnel assigned to 19 Wings. He was then selected as the 157th Mission Support Group Commander, where he oversaw operations for the Civil Engineer Squadron, Communications Flight, Contracting, Force Support Squadron, Logistics Readiness Squadron, and Security Forces Squadron. Immediately following his command tour Colonel Anthony J. Pasquale served as Chief, ANG Recruiting and Retention Division providing Recruiting and Retention strategic direction, training, policy, guidance and resources to the 90 Wings and 54 States/Territories to ensure recruiting production and end strength. Prior to his assignment as the Director of Human Resources, he attended the Eisenhower School at National Defense University.

Prior to this assignment, Colonel Pasquale was the Chief strategist for the Director, Air National Guard. He supported the Director's development and implementation of policy and programs for organizing, training, and equipping 108,400 members in 54 states, territories, and the District of Columbia with annual budget of \$13.5 billion. Developed and coordinated ANG leadership engagement strategy for Congress, DoD and Joint partners, advocacy organizations, media and public.

EDUCATION

2000 Bachelor of Arts Degree in Criminal Justice and Psychology, Norwich University, Northfield, Vt.
2005 Graduate, Marine Corps Weapons and Tactics Instructor Course, MCAS Yuma, Ariz.





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2006 Graduate, Squadron Officer School, Maxwell AFB, Ala.
2012 Graduate, Air Command and Staff College, Correspondence
2014 Master of Arts Degree in Military Science, Marine Corps University, MCB Quantico, Va.
2019 Air War College, Correspondence
2021 Joint Combined Warfare School, Norfolk, Va.
2022 Leadership in Homeland Security, Harvard Executive Education, Cambridge, Mass.
2024 National Defense University, Eisenhower School, Ft. McNair, Washington, DC.

ASSIGNMENTS OR CAREER CHRONOLOGY

1. July 2000 – July 2001, Student Air Battle Management, 325th Training Squadron, Tyndall AFB, Fla.
2. July 2001 – July 2004, Assistance Chief of Weapons and Tactics, 16th Airborne Command and Control Squadron, Warner Robins AFB, Ga.
3. July 2004 – July 2007, Chief of Stan/Eval, 4th Air Support Operations Group, Heidelberg, Germany
4. July 2007 – June 2008, Assistant Director of Operations, 274th Air Support Operations Squadron, Hancock ANGB, N.Y.
5. June 2008 – June 2013, Director of Operations, 274th Air Support Operations Squadron, Hancock ANGB, N.Y.
6. June 2013 – June 2014, Student Command and Staff College, Marine Corps University, Quantico MCB, Va.
7. June 2014 – June 2015, Director of Operations, 274th Air Support Operations Squadron, Hancock ANGB, N.Y.
8. June 2015 – June 2018, Commander, 274th Air Support Operations Squadron, Hancock AF, N.Y.
9. June 2018 – September 2020, Branch Chief Battlefield Airmen, ANG Readiness Center, Joint Base Andrews, Md.
10. September 2020 – August 2021, Division Chief Personnel Recovery and Special Operations Forces, ANG Readiness Center, Joint Base Andrews, Md.
11. August 2021 – November 2022, Commander, 157th Mission Support Group, Pease ANGB, N.H.
12. November 2022- August 2023, Division Chief Recruiting and Retention, ANG Readiness Center, Joint Base Andrews, Md.
13. August 2023 – June 2024, Student, National Defense University, Eisenhower School, Ft. McNair, Washington D.C.
14. June 2024 – February 2025, Director Human Resources, ANG Readiness Center, Joint Base Andrews, Md.
15. February 2025 – August 2025, Chief Directors Action Group, Office of the Director ANG, the Pentagon, Arlington, Va.
16. August 2025 – Present, Deputy Commander, Air National Guard Readiness Center and Commander, 201st Mission Support Squadron, National Guard Bureau, Joint Base Andrews, Md.

FLIGHT INFORMATION

Rating: Air Battle Manager
Flight hours: 688.2
Aircraft flown: E-8C

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Bronze Star
Defense Meritorious Service Medal
Meritorious Service Medal with oak leaf cluster
Aerial Achievement Medal
Air Force Commendation Medal with oak leaf cluster
Army Commendation Medal
Air Force Achievement Medal
Army Achievement Medal
Joint Meritorious Unit Award
Meritorious Unit Award with two oak leaf clusters
Afghanistan Campaign Medal with oak leaf cluster
Iraq Campaign Medal with oak leaf cluster





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Inherent Resolve Campaign Medal

EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION

Second Lieutenant June 04, 2000

First Lieutenant June 04, 2002

Captain June 04, 2004

Major July 10, 2009

Lieutenant Colonel December 11, 2014

Colonel November 21, 2019

(Current as of August 2025)

