



BIOGRAPHY

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MAJOR ERIC D. TRIAS



Major Eric D. Trias is currently the Commander, 690th Network Support Squadron Detachment 2, Maxwell AFB – Gunter Annex, Alabama. He leads one of four Air Force's Enterprise IT Service Desk (ESD) consisting of 300+ personnel in support of AF network operations (AFNETOPS), maintenance and AFNET migration. Detachment 2 is one of only four locations worldwide responsible resolving over 100K incidents per month.

Before assuming his current assignment, Maj Trias was the Deputy Commander, 379th Expeditionary Communications Squadron (ECS) in Southwest Asia. He led the largest ECS in AFCENT consisting of 213 personnel in support of more than 11,000 personnel. He also served as the Director, Commandant's Action Group at the Air Force Institute of Technology (AFIT) and as an Assistant Professor of Computer Science, where he conducted research in information security. As an active member of the AF Cyberspace Technical Center of Excellence, he managed and instructed courses in Information Warfare and Cyberspace Operations and developed several Cyber 200/300 courses in direct support of CSAF Cyberspace Force development initiative.

Major Trias enlisted in March 1988 as a Precision Measurement Equipment Laboratory technician. In 1994, he was a finalist to the Air Force Twelve Outstanding Airman of the Year award. The following year, he was selected to attend college full-time as an active duty student under the Airman's Education and Commissioning Program, which led to his commission through Officer Training School. As a Cyberspace Operations Officer, he has served in various leadership positions within the base communications squadron, combat communications squadron, and exercise control squadron.

EDUCATION:

1998 BS: Bachelors of Science in Computer Science, University of California, Davis, CA
2002 MS: Masters of Science in Computer Engineering, AF Institute of Technology, Wright-Patterson AFB, OH
2008 PhD: Doctorate of Philosophy in Computer Science, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM

PROFESSIONAL MILITARY EDUCATION:

1990 Noncommissioned Officer Preparatory School (DG), Clark AB, Republic of the Philippines
1999 Basic Communications/Computer Officer Training School, Air University, Keesler AFB, MS
2004 Squadron Officer School, Air University, Maxwell AFB, AL (correspondence)
2008 Advanced Communications Officer Training School, Air University, Keesler AFB, MS
2009 Air Command and Staff College, Air University, Maxwell AFB, AL (correspondence)
2009 Intermediate Developmental Education – Equivalent Program (in-residence)
2010 Cyberspace Operations Officers 300 Course, AFIT, WPAFB, OH

ASSIGNMENTS:

1. Mar 1988 – Enlisted Trainee, Basic Military Training School, Lackland AFB, TX
2. Apr 1988 – Dec 1988, Student, Precision Measurement Equipment Laboratory (PMEL) School, Lowry AFB, CO
3. Jan 1989 – Feb 1990, Apprentice, PMEL, 451st Maintenance Sq, Altus AFB, OK
4. Mar 1990 – Jun 1991, Apprentice, PMEL, 3rd Component Repair Sq, Clark AB, Republic of the Philippines
5. Jul 1991 – Aug 1995, Section Chief, PMEL, 60th Component Repair Sq, Travis AFB, CA
6. Aug 1995 – Jul 1998, Student, AECP, BS in Computer Science, University of California, Davis, CA
7. Aug 1998 – Nov 1998, Officer Trainee, Officer Training School, Maxwell AFB, AL
8. Dec 1998 – Mar 1999, Student, Basic Communications Officer Training, Keesler AFB, MS

9. Mar 1999 — Jan 2000, Chief, Network Control Center/Help Desk, 51st Communications Sq, Osan AB, ROK
10. Feb 2000 — Jul 2000, Commander, C2 Systems Flight, 607th Combat Comm Sq, Camp Humphreys, ROK
11. Aug 2000 — Mar 2002, Student, MS in Computer Engineering/Software Engineering, AFIT, WPAFB, OH
12. Apr 2002 — Aug 2004, Commander, Mission Support Flight, 705th Exercise Control Sq, Kirtland AFB, NM
13. Aug 2004 — Dec 2007, Student, PhD in Computer Science (AFIT sponsored), University of New Mexico, NM
14. Jan 2008 — May 2010, Assistant Professor of Computer Science, AFIT, Wright Patterson AFB, OH
15. Jun 2010 — Jun 2011, Director, Commandant's Action Group, AFIT, Wright Patterson AFB, OH
16. Jul 2011 — Jun 2012, Deputy Commander, 379th Expeditionary Communications Squadron, Al Udeid AB
17. Jun 2012 — Present, Commander, 690th Network Support Squadron Det 2, Maxwell AFB - Gunter Annex, AL

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS:

Meritorious Service Medal with two oak leaf cluster
AF Commendation Medal
AF Achievement Medal with three oak leaf clusters
Outstanding Airman of the Year Ribbon
National Defense Medal with bronze service star
Global War on Terrorism Expeditionary Medal
Korean Defense Service Medal
AF Expeditionary Service Ribbon with gold border
Small Arms Expert Marksmanship with bronze service star

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS AND AFFILIATIONS:

Certified Information Systems Security Professional (CISSP)
Global Information Assurance Certifications (GSEC, GCIH)
Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE)
Association of Computing Machinery (ACM)
Tau Beta Pi, National Engineering Honor Society
Eta Kappa Nu, Electrical and Computer Engineering Honor Society

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS:

Air Force Twelve Outstanding Airman of the Year Finalist (1994)
Airman's Education and Commissioning Program (AECPP) Recipient (1995)
Distinguished Graduate, M.S. of Computer Engineer program, Air Force Institute of Technology (2002)
CGO of the Year, 705th Exercise Control Squadron, Kirtland AFB, NM (2003)
Intermediate Development Education (IDE) Select, Major's Promotion Board (2006)
Outstanding Graduate School Faculty of the Year, AFIT, (2010)
AFCENT Information Dominance FGO of the Year (2011)

EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION:

Second Lieutenant	13 Nov 1998
First Lieutenant	13 Nov 2000
Captain	13 Nov 2002
Major	1 July 2008
Lt Col (select)	