



BIOGRAPHY



UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

COLONEL CHIP FULGHUM

Colonel Chip Fulghum is the Director, Financial Management and Comptroller, Headquarters Air Education and Training Command, Randolph Air Force Base, Texas. He is responsible for providing the financial resources and services required to recruit and assess Air Force personnel and provide them military, technical and flying training to replenish Air Force combat capability. As such, he has oversight of a budget of over \$8 billion, pay services for over 100,000 personnel at 12 major bases. Colonel Fulghum received his commission from The Citadel. His comptroller assignments include three years in non-appropriated funds, three years in cost, ten years in budget, two years as commander and four years as a comptroller. Colonel Fulghum is also an active member of the American Society of Military Comptrollers.



EDUCATION

- 1984 Bachelor Degree, The Citadel, Charleston, South Carolina
- 1985 Non-Appropriated Financial Management Officer Course, Keesler Air Force Base, Mississippi
- 1987 Cost Analysis Officer Course, Sheppard Air Force Base, Texas
- 1988 Squadron Officer School, Maxwell Air Force Base, Alabama
- 1990 Comptroller Staff Officer Course, Sheppard Air Force Base, Texas
- 1992 MBA, Golden Gate University, San Francisco, California
- 1994 Professional Military Comptroller School, Maxwell Air Force Base, Alabama
- 1999 Air Command and Staff College, Maxwell Air Force Base, Alabama
- 2006 Air War College, Maxwell Air Force Base, Alabama

ASSIGNMENTS

1. July 1984 - June 1986, Chief Non-Appropriated Funds Financial Management Branch, 4392 Aerospace Support Group (Strategic Air Command), Vandenberg AFB, California
2. June 1986 - June 1987, Chief of the Non-Appropriated Funds Financial Management Branch, 51st Tactical Fighter Wing (Pacific Air Forces), Osan AB, Korea
3. June 1987 - September 1990, Chief Cost Analysis Branch, 63rd Military Airlift Wing (Military Airlift Command), Norton AFB, California
4. September 1990 - January 1992, Comptroller, 834th Airlift Division (Military Airlift Command), Hickam AFB, Hawaii
5. January 1992 - September 1992, Chief Job Order Cost Accounting Section and Deputy Budget Officer, 30th Space Wing (Air Force Space Command), Vandenberg AFB, California
6. September 1992 - August 1995, Wing Budget Officer, 30th Space Wing (Air Force Space Command), Vandenberg AFB, California
7. August 1995 - July 1997, Assistant Chief Outyear Programs, Budget Operations Directorate, Assistant Secretary for Financial Management (Headquarters United States Air Force), Pentagon, Washington, D.C.
8. July 1997 - July 1998, Chief Outyear Programs, Budget Operations Directorate, Assistant Secretary for Financial Management (Headquarters United States Air Force), Pentagon, Washington, D.C.
9. August 1998 - June 1999, Student, Air Command and Staff College, Maxwell AFB, Alabama
10. June 1999 - July 2001, Commander, 36th Comptroller (Pacific Air Forces), Andersen Air Force Base, Guam
11. July 2001 - August 2003, Chief, AETC Budget Operations and Integration, Randolph AFB, Texas
12. August 2003 - June 2005, Chief, Financial Analysis Division, HQ Air Education and Training Command, Randolph AFB, Texas
13. July 2005 - July 2006, Student, Air War College, Maxwell AFB, Alabama
14. July 2006 - June 2008, Chief, Budget Operations Integration Division, Budget Operations and Personnel Directorate, Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Air Force (Budget), Office of the Assistant Secretary of the Air Force, Financial Management and Comptroller, the Pentagon, Washington, District of Columbia
15. June 2008 - Present, Comptroller, Headquarters Air Education and Training Command Randolph AFB TX

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

- Best Budget Officer in AFSC, 1993
- Best Budget Officer in the Air Force, 1993
- Outstanding Contribution to Financial Management and Comptroller, AETC, 2001
- Outstanding Contribution to Financial Management and Comptroller Runner-Up, AF, 2001
- Robert D. Stuart Award for Excellence in Financial Management, 2007
- Legion of Merit
- Meritorious Service Medal with 5 oak leaf clusters
- AF Commendation Medal with 1 oak leaf cluster

AF Achievement Medal

EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION

Second Lieutenant	14 Jul 1984
First Lieutenant	14 Jul 1986
Captain	14 Jul 1988
Major	1 May 1996
Lieutenant Colonel	1 Nov 2000
Colonel	1 July 2006

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS AND AFFILIATIONS

American Society of Military Comptrollers

(Current as of November 2008)