



COLONEL (GS) THOMAS SPANGENBERG

Colonel (GS) Thomas Spangenberg was born in Frankfurt/M on 2nd November 1965. He is married and has one child.



Military Career

1985	Entry into the German Air Force / Luftwaffe
1986 – 1990	Studies in aeronautical and space engineering at the University of the Bundeswehr, Munich, Master Degree as certified engineer (Dipl.-Ing.)
1990 – 1993	Platoon Leader and Tactical Control Officer (TCO) PATRIOT with 6th Sqn / 22nd SAMGrp, Kaufbeuren
1994 – 1995	Operations Officer and Deputy Sqn Commander 3rd Sqn / 22nd SAMGrp (PATRIOT), Lechfeld
1995 – 1997	S-3 Operations Officer with 22nd SAMGrp (PATRIOT), Penzing
1997 – 1999	42nd German Air Force Command and General Staff Officer Course at the Bundeswehr Command and Staff College, Hamburg
1999 – 2001	Assistant Section Chief German Air Force Command A3Ia (National and NATO Ground Based Air Defence), Cologne
2001 - 2003	Deputy Branch Chief German FMoD Air Staff III 2, (NATO, EU, NADC), Bonn
2003 – 2006	Capability Manager for „Air and Missile Defence” at the Air Force Office, Directorate of Air Armament, Cologne
2006 – 2009	Deputy Branch Chief German FMoD Air Staff II 3, Secretary to the DEU/USA Joint Steering Committee on Extended Air Defence, Bonn



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2009 – 2011	Deputy Branch Chief German FMoD Armed Forces Staff VI 2, Concept of the Bundeswehr, Transformation, Network Enabled Capabilities, Bonn
2012	Assistant Branch Chief Deployable Forces Evaluation Branch, NATO, SHAPE FOR OPD, Lisbon
2013	Senior Military Analyst, NATO Joint Analysis and Lessons Learned Centre (JALLC), Lisbon, Portugal
2014	Assistant Branch Chief German FMoD Planning Division II 4, Bonn
2014 - 2018	Director German Space Situational Awareness Center (GSSAC) / Division Head A 3 IV German Air Operations Command, Udem
2018 – 2019	Head Space Operations FMoD FueSK I 5, Bonn
2019 - 2023	Branch Head Space Operations / Space Security FMoD FueSK I 4, Bonn
Since October 2023	Deputy Commander / Chief of Staff German Space Command, Udem

Medals and Decorations

Silver Cross of Honor of the Bundeswehr

Golden Cross of Honor of the Bundeswehr