



# BIOGRAPHY

## UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

### CHIEF MASTER SERGEANT DAYNE E. PETERSON

Chief Master Sergeant Dayne E. Peterson is the Command Chief Master Sergeant for the 169th Fighter Wing, McEntire Joint National Guard Base, South Carolina. As command chief, he serves as the principal advisor to the wing commander on matters of health, welfare and morale, professional development, and the effective utilization of more than 1,100 enlisted personnel assigned to the South Carolina Air National Guard.

Chief Peterson enlisted in the Ohio Air National Guard's 178<sup>th</sup> Fighter Wing in August of 1986. He began his career as an Electronic Countermeasures Mechanic on A-7 aircraft. As the 178<sup>th</sup> transitioned to F-16 aircraft, Chief Peterson transitioned to the ECM POD Shop and then later to the Avionics Intermediate Shop. After 18 years with the 178FW, Chief Peterson retrained to the Manpower career field and a position at the National Guard Bureau, Joint Base Andrews, Maryland. He had multiple assignments within NGB/A1M to include Special Missions, Combat Air Forces and Manpower Resources. He also served as the ANG subject matter expert for all ACC gained Total Force Initiative missions. In 2014, Chief Peterson transitioned from Manpower to Mobilizations as the Personnel and Mobilization Analyst for the Air National Guard Advisor to the Commander, Air Mobility Command. He served as the personal adviser to the ANG Advisor and the ANG Assistant to the AMC Commander, on all issues regarding the welfare, readiness, morale and proper utilization of the Air Reserve component forces gained to AMC. He was responsible for mobilization oversight for more than 100,000 AMC gained ARC personnel, to include 47,000 Air National Guard personnel and 54,000 Air Force Reserve Command personnel. In 2016, Chief Peterson returned to NGB/A1M to be the Air National Guard Career Field Manager for Manpower. He was responsible for all enlisted and civilian manpower training and career enhancement for Air National Guard Manpower professionals. In June 2018, he became the 169<sup>th</sup> Force Support Squadron Superintendent.



In addition to his USAF responsibilities, Chief Peterson serves as an Adjunct Professor for Regent University, Virginia Beach, Virginia, teaching in the Organizational Leadership and Management Program. He began his current assignment on 1 July 2019.

#### EDUCATION

- 1990 Noncommissioned Officer Preparatory Course, by correspondence
- 1997 Noncommissioned Officer Academy, by correspondence
- 2002 Bachelor of Science Degree, Technical Administration, Franklin University, online
- 2004 Master of Business Administration Leadership Focus, Franklin University, online
- 2005 Senior Noncommissioned Officer Academy, by correspondence
- 2011 Senior Noncommissioned Officer Academy, Maxwell-Gunter AFB, Ala.
- 2011 Senior Enlisted Joint Professional Military Education Course, by correspondence
- 2012 Associate of Applied Science Degree, Avionic Systems Technology, Community College of the Air Force, Maxwell-Gunter AFB, Ala.

## **EDUCATION CON'T.**

2012 Associate of Applied Science Degree, Human Resources and Personnel Administration, Community College of the Air Force, Maxwell-Gunter AFB, Ala.  
2014 USAF Enterprise Leadership Seminar, Kenan-Flagler Business School, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, N.C.  
2014 Air National Guard Chief Executive Course, Joint Base Andrews, Md.  
2015 AFSO21 Executive Leaders Course, Haslam College of Business, UT Knoxville, Tenn.  
2016 Defense Support of Civil Authorities (DSCA) Phase I Course, by correspondence  
2016 Reserve Component National Security Course, National Defense University, Washington D.C.  
2017 USAF Black Belt Course, Ira C. Eaker Center Continuous Process Improvement School, Maxwell-Gunter AFB, Ala.  
2017 Regional Seminar - Latin America, Alan L. Freed and Associates, Washington, D.C.  
2018 Senior Enlisted Joint Professional Military Education II, by correspondence

## **ASSIGNMENTS**

1. January 1987 – February 1987, Student, Basic Military Training, Lackland AFB, Texas
2. February 1987 – November 1987, Student, Technical Training School, Keesler AFB, Miss.
3. November 1987 – June 2004, Electronics Mechanic 178<sup>th</sup> Fighter Wing, Springfield Beckley MAP, Ohio
4. June 2004 – January 2014, Manpower Analyst National Guard Bureau A1M, Joint Base Andrews, Md.
5. February 2014 – October 2016, (ANG) Personnel and Mobilization Requirements Analyst, Scott AFB, Ill.
6. October 2016 – May 2018, Manpower Superintendent/CFFM National Guard Bureau A1M, Andrews AFB, Md.
7. June 2018 – June 2019, 169<sup>th</sup> Force Support Squadron Superintendent, 169<sup>th</sup> Fighter Wing, McEntire JNGB, S.C.
8. July 2019 – Present, 169<sup>th</sup> Fighter Wing Command Chief, 169<sup>th</sup> Fighter Wing, McEntire JNGB, S.C.

## **MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS**

Meritorious Service Medal  
Air Force Commendation Medal  
Air Force Achievement Medal  
AF Organizational Excellence Award with two oak leaf clusters  
AF Good Conduct Medal with four oak leaf clusters  
Air Reserve Forces Meritorious Service Medal with four oak leaf clusters  
National Defense Service Medal with bronze service star  
Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal  
Global War on Terrorism Medal  
AF Longevity Service with seven oak leaf clusters  
Armed Forces Reserve Medal with silver hourglass and 1 'M' Device  
USAF NCO PME Graduate Ribbon  
Air Force Training Ribbon

## **STATE AWARDS AND DECORATIONS**

Ohio Faithful Service Ribbon with two oak leaf clusters  
Ohio Award of Merit with three oak leaf clusters  
Ohio National Guard Basic Training Ribbon

## **MEMBERSHIPS**

Enlisted Association of the National Guard of the United States – Life Member  
National Guard Association of South Carolina - Life Member

## **EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION**

Airman First Class Feb. 27, 1987  
Senior Airman Feb. 17, 1989  
Staff Sergeant Jan. 17, 1992  
Technical Sergeant Oct. 9, 1998  
Master Sergeant Oct. 14, 2004  
Senior Master Sergeant Dec. 21, 2006  
Chief Master Sergeant Feb. 3, 2014

(Current as of July 2019)