



# BIOGRAPHY

AIR FORCE OPERATIONAL TEST & EVALUATION CENTER

## LIEUTENANT COLONEL ADAM T. RECTOR

Lieutenant Colonel Adam T. Rector is the Commander, Detachment 3, Air Force Operational Test and Evaluation Center, Hill Air Force Base, Utah. Lieutenant Colonel Rector commands a group equivalent unit growing to more than 100 people, which will include two geographically separated Operating Locations at Offutt AFB, Neb., and Vandenberg Space Force Base, Calif. He is responsible for leading, planning, executing, and reporting operational tests and evaluations for three advanced intercontinental ballistic missile system programs worth over \$90 billion.

Lieutenant Colonel Rector Lt Col Rector earned his commission from the United States Air Force Academy in 2003. During his 20 years of service, he has served in a variety of positions at the squadron, wing and staff level leading ICBM, nuclear, aircraft and conventional munitions maintenance. In addition, he spent four years working for the ICBM System Program Office revamping the ICBM Supply Chain and managing acquisition sustainment programs. Prior to this assignment, he was the Deputy Commander of the 91<sup>st</sup> Maintenance Group at Minot AFB, N.D.



### EDUCATION:

- 2003 Bachelor of Science, Political Science, U.S. Air Force Academy, Colorado Springs, Colo.
- 2009 Masters of Business Administration, University of Phoenix, Phoenix, Ariz.
- 2010 Squadron Officer School, Maxwell AFB, Ala.
- 2013 Air Command and Staff College (correspondence)
- 2012 Air War College (correspondence)

### ASSIGNMENTS:

1. August 2003 – April 2005, ICBM maintenance officer, 341st Maintenance Operations Squadron, Malmstrom AFB, Mont.
2. April 2005 – August 2006, Munitions Accountable Systems Officer, 341st Missile Maintenance Squadron, Malmstrom AFB, Mont.
3. August 2006 – September 2007, Aerospace Ground Equipment Flight Commander, 36<sup>th</sup> Maintenance Squadron, Andersen AFB, Guam
4. September 2007 – August 2008, Production Flight Commander, 36th Munitions Squadron, Andersen AFB, Guam
5. August 2008 – June 2009, Air Force Smart Operations for the 21st Century (AFSO 21) Process Manager, 36th Wing, Andersen AFB, Guam
6. June 2009 – January 2012, ICBM Deployment Integration Manager, ICBM System Program Office, Hill AFB, Utah
7. June 2012 – May 2014, ICBM Missile Alert Facility Program Manager, ICBM System Program Office, Hill AFB, Utah (February 2013 – February 2014, NTM-A/CSTC-A Plans Officer, Camp Eggers, Afghanistan)
8. May 2014 – June 2016, Maintenance Operations Officer, 366 Equipment Maintenance Squadron, Mountain Home AFB, Idaho (July 2015 – January 2016, AFCENT/AFFOR A4M Division Chief, Al Udeid, Qatar)
9. June 2016 – June 2019, Commander, 3rd Munitions Squadron, Joint Base Elmendorf-Richardson, Alaska
10. July 2019 – January 2020, Commander, 39th Maintenance Squadron, Incirlik AB, Turkey
11. January 2020 – June 2023, Deputy Commander, 91<sup>st</sup> Maintenance Group, Minot AFB, N.D.
12. June 2023 – present, Commander, Detachment 3, Air Force Operational Test and Evaluation Center, Hill AFB, Utah

**MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS:**

Meritorious Service Medal with five oak leaf clusters  
Air Force Commendation Medal  
Air Force Achievement Medal with two oak leaf clusters  
Army Achievement Medal

**EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION:**

Second Lieutenant	May 28, 2003
First Lieutenant	May 28, 2005
Captain	May 28, 2007
Major	Aug. 1, 2013
Lieutenant Colonel	March 1, 2018