



BIOGRAPHY

UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

TECHNICAL SERGEANT GILBERT S. DENFELD

Technical Sergeant Denfeld is the Aerospace Science Instructor at Madison Southern High School, Berea, Ky. He is responsible for teaching the Leadership Education portion of JROTC. This includes drill and ceremonies, principles of leadership and management, and communication skills to all grade levels.

TSgt Denfeld was born in Bend, Ore. and graduated from Mountain View High School in 1994. He entered the U.S. Air Force in August 2003 and after completion of Basic Military Training, attended the Aircrew Egress Systems Technical Training Course at Sheppard AFB, TX. He served 20 years on Active Duty, and has been stationed at locations in North Carolina, Texas, Idaho, the Republic of Korea, Italy, California, and Arizona as well as being deployed to various location around the globe. Prior to his current position, TSgt Denfeld was the Egress Support Section NCOIC, 56 CMS, Luke AFB, AZ

EDUCATION

2006 Associate in Applied Science, Aviation Maintenance Technology, CCAF, Maxwell Air Force Base, Ala.

2007 Airman Leadership School, Sheppard AFB, TX

2008 Associate in Applied Science, Instructor of Technology and Military Science, CCAF, Maxwell Air Force Base, Ala.

2011 Noncommissioned Officers Academy, Lackland AFB, TX

2020 Bachelor of Applied Science, Education and Training Management, Wayland Baptist University, Plainview, TX

ASSIGNMENTS

1. August 2003 - October 2003, Student, Basic Military Training, 323rd Training Squadron, Lackland Air Force Base, Texas
2. October 2003 - December 2003, Student, Technical Training School, 361st Training Squadron, Sheppard AFB, Texas
3. January 2004 - May 2007, Aircrew Egress Systems Journeyman, 23rd Maintenance Squadron, Pope AFB, N.C.
4. May 2007 - May 2011, Aircrew Egress Systems Instructor. 361st Training Squadron, Sheppard AFB, Texas
5. June 2011 - May 2014, Aircrew Egress Systems Craftsman, 366th Component Maintenance Squadron, Mountain Home AFB, Idaho
6. June 2014 - June 2015, Aircrew Egress Systems Craftsman, 8th Maintenance Squadron, Kunsan Air Base, Republic of Korea
7. July 2015 - August 2018, NCOIC, Egress Systems, 31st Maintenance Squadron, Aviano AB, Italy
8. September 2018 - January 2020, NCOIC Egress Systems, 31st Test and Evaluation Squadron, Edwards AFB, Calif.
9. January 2020 - September 2023, NCOIC, Egress Support Section, 56th Maintenance Squadron, Luke AFB, Ariz.

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Air Force Commendation Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster

Air Force Achievement Medal with two Oak Leaf Clusters



EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION

Airman First Class 23 August, 2003

Senior Airman 1 December, 2005

Staff Sergeant 1 August, 2007

Technical Sergeant 1 May 2010

(CURRENT AS OF JUNE 2023)