



# BIOGRAPHY

UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

## LIEUTENANT GENERAL LOREN M. RENO

**Retiring effective Feb. 1, 2012.**

Lt. Gen. Loren M. Reno is Deputy Chief of Staff for Logistics, Installations and Mission Support, Headquarters U.S. Air Force, Washington, D.C. General Reno is responsible to the Chief of Staff for leadership, management and integration of Air Force logistics readiness, aircraft and missile maintenance, civil engineering and security forces, as well as setting policy and preparing budget estimates that reflect enhancements to productivity, combat readiness and quality of life for Air Force people.

General Reno received his commission in 1974 as a graduate of the Officer Training School. He graduated from undergraduate navigator training in 1974. He has had assignments in flying operations, training and logistics. His staff tours include duty at Headquarters Military Airlift and Air Mobility Commands, the Air Staff, the Secretary of the Air Force Office Legislative Liaison and the Defense Logistics Agency. General Reno has commanded two aircraft maintenance squadrons, a technical training group, and the Defense Fuel Supply and Defense Energy Support centers. He flew four missions into Saigon, South Vietnam, in 1975, and led air mobility logistics support for operations Noble Eagle, Enduring Freedom and Iraqi Freedom. He has served as Vice Director, Defense Logistics Agency, Fort Belvoir, Va. Prior to his current assignment, General Reno commanded the Oklahoma City Air Logistics Center at Tinker Air Force Base, Okla.



### EDUCATION

1970 Bachelor's degree in comprehensive science and education, Cedarville University, Ohio  
 1977 Squadron Officer School, Maxwell AFB, Ala.  
 1981 Master's degree in systems management, University of Southern California  
 1984 Air Command and Staff College, by correspondence  
 1985 Airlift Operations School, Scott AFB, Ill.  
 1990 Air War College, Maxwell AFB, Ala.  
 1997 National Security Studies, Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs, Syracuse University, N.Y.  
 1997 Leadership Development Program, Center for Creative Leadership, Greensboro, N.C.  
 2003 LogTech Executive Education Program, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill  
 2007 Program for Senior Managers in Government, John F. Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass.

### ASSIGNMENTS

1. February 1974 - November 1974, student, undergraduate navigator training, Mather AFB, Calif.
2. January 1975 - April 1975, student, C-130E upgrade training, Little Rock AFB, Ark.
3. April 1975 - July 1978, C-130 navigator, instructor navigator and wing assistant for Inspector General

matters, 21st Tactical Airlift Squadron, Clark Air Base, Philippines

4. August 1978 - July 1981, undergraduate navigator training instructor and executive officer to the air base group commander, 450th Flying Training Squadron and 323rd Air Base Group, Mather AFB, Calif.

5. July 1981 - July 1982, staff officer, Air Staff Training Program, Secretary of the Air Force Office of Legislative Liaison, Washington, D.C.

6. July 1982 - September 1985, Chief, Legislative Affairs and Deputy Chief, Government Affairs Division, Headquarters Military Airlift Command, Scott AFB, Ill.

7. October 1985 - April 1987, chief navigator, 773rd Tactical Airlift Squadron, Dyess AFB, Texas

8. May 1987 - May 1988, Commander, 463rd Avionics Maintenance Squadron, Dyess AFB, Texas

9. May 1988 - July 1989, Commander, 463rd Field Maintenance Squadron, later, Wing Assistant Deputy Commander for Maintenance, 463rd Tactical Airlift Wing, Dyess AFB, Texas

10. August 1989 - June 1990, student, Air War College, Maxwell AFB, Ala.

11. June 1990 - September 1992, Chief, Strategic Airlift Weapon Systems Program Logistics Section, later, Chief, Maintenance Policy Division, Directorate of Maintenance, Deputy Chief of Staff for Logistics, Headquarters U.S. Air Force, Washington, D.C.

12. September 1992 - June 1994, Commander, 396th Technical Training Group, later, Commander, 82nd Training Group, Sheppard AFB, Texas

13. July 1994 - May 1996, Chief, Joint Logistics and Contingency Operations Team, later, Deputy Executive Director, Strategic Programming and Contingency Operations, and Staff Director of Business Management, Corporate Administration, Defense Logistics Agency, Fort Belvoir, Va.

14. May 1996 - February 1998, Commander, Defense Fuel Supply Center and Defense Energy Support Center, Defense Logistics Agency, Fort Belvoir, Va.

15. February 1998 - September 2000, Director of Technology and Industrial Support, and Director of Propulsion Transition, later, Director of Propulsion, Oklahoma City ALC, Tinker AFB, Okla.

16. October 2000 - June 2002, Vice Commander, Oklahoma City ALC, Tinker AFB, Okla.

17. June 2002 - October 2005, Director of Logistics, Headquarters Air Mobility Command, Scott AFB, Ill.

18. October 2005 - May 2007, Vice Director, Defense Logistics Agency, Fort Belvoir, Va.

19. May 2007 - January 2009, Commander, Oklahoma City ALC, Tinker AFB, Okla.

20. January 2009 - present, Deputy Chief of Staff for Logistics, Installations and Mission Support, Headquarters U.S. Air Force, Washington, D.C.

#### **SUMMARY OF JOINT ASSIGNMENTS**

1. July 1994 - May 1996, Chief, Joint Logistics and Contingency Operations Team, later, Deputy Executive Director, Strategic Programming and Contingency Operations, and Staff Director of Business Management, Corporate Administration, Defense Logistics Agency, Fort Belvoir, Va., as a colonel

2. May 1996 - February 1998, Commander, Defense Fuel Supply Center and Defense Energy Support Center, Defense Logistics Agency, Fort Belvoir, Va., as a colonel

3. October 2005 - May 2007, Vice Director, Defense Logistics Agency, Fort Belvoir, Va., as a major general

#### **FLIGHT INFORMATION**

Rating: Senior navigator

Flight hours: More than 2,500

Aircraft flown: C-9, C-130, T-29 and T-43

#### **MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS**

Defense Superior Service Medal with oak leaf cluster

Legion of Merit with oak leaf cluster

Defense Meritorious Service Medal

Meritorious Service Medal with four oak leaf clusters

Air Force Commendation Medal with oak leaf cluster

Air Force Achievement Medal

Combat Readiness Medal

National Defense Service Medal with two bronze stars

Armed Forces Service Medal

Humanitarian Service Medal with bronze star

#### **OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS**

1974 Distinguished graduate, Officer Training School, Lackland AFB (Medina), Texas

1974 Distinguished graduate, Undergraduate Navigator Training, Mather AFB, Calif.

1978 Distinguished graduate, Instructor Training School, Mather AFB, Calif.

1979 Instructor Navigator of the Year, Air Training Command  
1995 Director's Award for Organizational Excellence, Defense Logistics Agency  
1998 Alumnus of the Year, Cedarville University  
2005 Honorary Doctorate of Science, Cedarville University

**EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION**

Second Lieutenant Feb. 14, 1974  
First Lieutenant Feb. 14, 1976  
Captain Feb. 14, 1978  
Major Oct. 1, 1983  
Lieutenant Colonel March 1, 1986  
Colonel Dec. 1, 1991  
Brigadier General Sept. 1, 2000  
Major General Dec. 1, 2004  
Lieutenant General Jan. 16, 2009

(Current as of July 2009)