

NATIONAL RANK Brigadier General NATO RANK OF-6

Zacharias KOUTRAKIS

NATION Greece

SERVICE Hellenic Air Force

CURRENT POST IAMD COE Director



SUMMARY	BGen Zacharias Koutrakis was commissioned in 1993 as a graduate of the Hellenic Air Force Academy. Since then he has served in various Flying and Staff posts including Flight Safety, SBAD, and Evaluation.
EDUCATION	He graduated from the Supreme Joint War College, and the National Defence College.
ASSIGNMENTS	From 1995 to 2006 served as a F-4 Phantom Pilot in the 337 Sqn and as Commander of the 22 nd Guided Missiles Sqn, from 2015 to 2017.
	Between 2019 and 2020 served as an Operational Director and then as a Deputy Commander in 135 Combat Group.
	In 2022 he was commissioned as a Director of the SBAMD Section in the Hellenic Tactical Air Force Command and in 2024 as a Commander of the 350 Guided Missiles Wing in SEDES AB in Thessaloniki.
	He has almost 2800 flying hours mainly in fast jets.
SKILLS	Extensive experience and expertise in IAMD
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EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION	Brigadier General Jan 2025 Colonel Feb 2018 Lieutenant Colonel Feb 2012 Major Jul 2007 Captain Aug 2000 First Lieutenant Jun 1996 Second Lieutenant Jun 1993
MARITIAL STATUS	He is married and has two children.
HOBBIES	Tennis – Music