



BIOGRAPHY

UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

COLONEL LORI M. GILL

Colonel Lori M. Gill is the Staff Judge Advocate for Headquarters, Pacific Air Forces, Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam, Hawaii. In this position, she advises the Commander, Pacific Air Forces on all U.S. Air Force matters arising in the Pacific Theater. In addition, she provides counsels on joint-matters arising from her Commander's role as the Theater Air Component Commander for U.S. Indo-Pacific Command. Additionally, she supervises the activities of more than 260 legal personnel in 15 legal offices supporting PACAF commanders and more than 100,000 PACAF Airmen and dependents.

Col Gill received a direct commission as an Air Force judge advocate and entered active duty in March 2001. She has performed a myriad of duties at various echelons, including Wing, NAF, and Major Commands. Prior to her current position, Col Gill was the Staff Judge Advocate at United States Forces Japan and Headquarters 5AF, Yokota Air Base, Japan.



EDUCATION

- 1995 Bachelor of Science in Criminal Justice, Washburn University, Topeka, Kansas
- 1998 Juris Doctor, Washburn School of Law, Topeka, Kansas
- 2005 Squadron Officer School in residence
- 2009 Air Command and Staff College (correspondence)
- 2010 Masters of Law Degree. Military Law w/ specialty in International Law, The Judge Advocate General's Legal Center and School, Charlottesville, Virginia
- 2013 Air War College (correspondence)

ASSIGNMENTS OR CAREER CHRONOLOGY

1. April 2001 – March 2003, Assistant Staff Judge Advocate (Chief of Claims and Military Justice), 92 ARW, Fairchild AFB, Washington
2. March 2003 – March 2005, Area Defense Counsel, Fairchild AFB, Washington
3. March 2005 – July 2007, Assistant Staff Judge Advocate (Chief of Litigation and Military Justice), United States Air Force Warfare Center, Nellis AFB, Nevada
(October 2006 – April 2007, Assistant Command Judge Advocate, JCCI/A, Baghdad, Iraq)
4. July 2007 – July 2009, Deputy Staff Judge Advocate, 52 FW, Spangdahlem AB, Germany
5. August 2009 – July 2010, LLM Student, TJAGLCS, Charlottesville, Virginia
6. July 2010 – July 2012, Chief, Military Justice, 7 AF, Osan AB, Republic of Korea
7. July 2012 – June 2015, Assistant Staff Judge Advocate, (Chief, Investigations & Inspections and Chief, Aviation law), Headquarters, Air Combat Command, Joint Base Langley-Eustis, Virginia

8. July 2015 – July 2017, Staff Judge Advocate, 55 WG, Offutt AFB, Nebraska
9. July 2017 – July 2018, Deputy Staff Judge Advocate, 12 AF, Davis-Monthan AFB, Arizona
10. July 2018 – July 2020, Staff Judge Advocate, 502d Installation Support Group, Joint Base San Antonio – Lackland, Texas
11. July 2020 – July 2023, Staff Judge Advocate, United States Forces Japan and HQ 5AF, Yokota Air Base, Japan
12. July 2023 – present, Staff Judge Advocate, Headquarters Pacific Air Forces, Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam, Hawaii.

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Defense Superior Service Medal

Meritorious Service Medal with five oak leaf clusters

Joint Commendation Medal

Air Force Commendation Medal with one oak leaf cluster

Joint Meritorious Unit Award

EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION

Captain September 13, 2001

Major May 1, 2008

Lieutenant Colonel August 1, 2013

Colonel September 1, 2018

(CURRENT AS OF JULY 2023)