



BIOGRAPHY

BRAZILIAN AIR FORCE



COLONEL ROBERTO MARTIRE PIRES

Colonel Roberto Martire Pires is the Assistant Defense and Air Attaché and Commanding Officer of the Brazilian Aeronautical Commission, an advanced logistics outpost and major acquisition center of the Brazilian Air Force Command in Washington, DC.

He is responsible to the Director of the Air Force Logistics Center in São Paulo, Brazil, for all commercial purchases of aeronautical material worldwide. In this role, BACW supports all major commands and Air Force bases.

Col Martire oversees a broad range of varied activities such as bidding, contracting, general agreements, leases, Military logistics, logistics readiness activities, providing operational support, infrastructure and a myriad of services to Material Depots, Medical Centers, Aerospace Centers and Research Laboratories in Brazil. He watches over and he is the administrative support element for the Foreign Military Sales (FMS) purchases and consequent operational process.



The Colonel provides day-to-day assistance to Brazilian Defense and Air Attaché offices around the world and he is also responsible for accountable and expense reimbursements to all overseas assignments and missions.

Prior to being assigned to his current position, Col Martire was a College intern at the Air War College where he participated in an extensive program of research projects in the field of security and national defense with emphasis in consolidating enough knowledge and expertise in the advisory and planning of national security within the Ministry of Defense.

EDUCATION

Academics

- 1988 - 1990** Brazilian Air Force Academy Prep School (EPCAR – MG)
- 1991 - 1994** Aviation Officer Training Course (AFA – SP)
- 1995** - Airlift Tactics Training Course (GITE – RN)
- 1999** - Social Media Communication Course (CLEAR – RJ)
- 2000** - English Language Advanced Course (CLEAR – RJ)
- 2000** - Air Force Mission Commander Course (1/16 Gav – RJ)
- 2001** - Aviation Flight Safety Course and Prevention & Recovery Training (CENIPA – DF)
- 2001** - Air Force Planning and Weapons System Sustainment Training (GITE – RN)
- 2002** - Air Force Component Course (GITE – RN)
- 2003** - Flight Instructor Prep Course (GITE – RN)
- 2005** - Air Force Academy Officer Betterment School (EAOAR – RJ)
- 2008** - International Air Traffic Control Course (BABR – DF)
- 2008** - Post-Graduation in Social Media Communication at the Center for Studies of Personnel (Brazilian Army – RJ)

2008 - Post Graduation in Social Media Institutional (University Castelo Branco – RJ)
2009 – Civilian-Military Cooperation Training Course (Institute of Military Studies (Lisboa, Portugal)
2013 - Brazilian Air Force Air Command and Staff College (ECEMAR – RJ)
2014 - Basic Interagency Logistics (ILA – SP)
2018 - Course on Basics of International Trade (SEFA – DF)
2019 - Air Force Politics and Strategy Training Course (ECEMAR – RJ)
2019 - Defense and Security Course (MD); High level Executive Management Extension course, (Lins University) and Political Strategy Course) (ESG – RJ)

Operational

1993 – 2016 Qualification courses for the following aircraft: T-25, T-27, AT26, A-1 A/B/M, A-29 A/B and VC-99 A/B/C
1995 – 1996 Fighter Pilot Operational Wing Course
1997 Advanced Air Traffic Control Course
1997 Air Defense Aviation – Special Operations Pilot Course
1998 Fighter Squadron Wing Commander Course
2002 – 2004 Air Force Pilot Instructor Training – AT-26, A-1 and A-29
2003 Fighter Squadron Commander Course
2007 Selected for a one-year exchange assignment with the Chilean Air Force
2016 Fighter Aviation Leadership Group Program

MAJOR ASSIGNMENTS

1996 Chief, Wing Weapons Section – 1st/4th Aviation Group (Gav) (BAFZ-CE)
1997 Chief of the Investigation and Justice Section (BAFZ – CE)
1998 Chief of Staff Squadron Secretary (BAFZ – CE)
1999 – 2000 Chief of the Social Media Section - 1/16 Aviation Group (BASC – RJ)
2001 Chief, Wing Weapons Section – 1/16 Aviation Group (BASC – RJ)
2002 Chief of Programming and Control – 1/16 Aviation Group (BASC – RJ)
2002 – 2003 Flight Commander fo 1/16 Aviation Group (BASC – RJ)
2004 Assistant to Operations Officer of Aircraft A-29 Deployment Group (BANT – RN)
2005 Chief of Flight Safety Section of 2/5 Aviation Group (BANT – RN)
2006 Chief of Programming and Control of 2/5 Aviation Group (BANT – RN)
2007 Chief, Personnel Section – 2/5 Aviation Group (Gav) (BANT – RN)
2008 Chief, Section of Operations and Doctrine (CECOMSAER) - DF
2010 Logistics Section Chief (CECOMSAER) – DF
2011 Operations Section Chief – 1/16 Aviation Group (Gav) (BASC-RJ)
2014 Technical Division Chief (PAMB – RJ)
2015 – 2016 Commander, 1st /16th Aviation Group (BASC – RJ)
2016 Air Force Logistics Readness Director – RJ

FLIGHT INFORMATION

The Colonel is a command pilot with 3.000 flying hours, 2.300 hs of which on fighter jets

Aircraft flown: T-25 / T-27 / AT-26 / AT-27 / A-36 / A-1 A/B/M / A-29 A/B / VC-99/A/B/C

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Military Medal –Gold – Brazilian Air Force
Santos Dumont Medal of Merit
Major General Nero Moura Medal of Merit
Order of Merit Aeronautical Medal
General Comand of Air Operations Gold Operational Award
Honoris Causa Logistics Medal Award
Marquês de Tamandaré Medal of Merit - Brazilian Army