



BIOGRAPHY

UNITED STATES AIR FORCE

George K. Holbert, GS-12

Mr. Holbert is the Training Management Course Director, Faculty Development Flight, 81st Training Support Squadron. Mr. Holbert was born in Biloxi, Mississippi, growing up in Gulfport, Mississippi. He graduated from Gulfport High School in 1985 and later moved to Pass Christian, Mississippi. In 1986 he enrolled in the Hotel and Restaurant Management program at Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College. In 1988 he graduated from Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College with his Associates Degree. During 1988 he starting at Keesler Air Force Base, working for the Food Service contractor in the Dining Facilities as a second cook for the in-flight kitchen. In 1990, Mr. Holbert joined the Air Force as an Automatic Tracking Radar Systems Specialist in the 81st Maintenance Squadron and continued in those duties until 1995. In 1995, he was assigned as an Electronic Principles instructor in the 332d Training Squadron. In 1999 he separated from the Air Force as a Staff Sergeant to pursue a career in civil service.



Mr. Holbert joined civil service as a GS-09 instructor teaching Electronic Principles in 1999 where he transferred to the 81st Training Support Squadron, Faculty Development Flight as a Basic Instructor Course Instructor. He taught the Basic Instructor, Instructional Systems Development, CDC Writer and Technical Writer Principles Courses. In 2014 he was promoted as the Instructor Supervisor for the Basic Instructor Course. During 2018 he complete his Bachelors Degree in Special Education Interdisciplinary and was promoted into the Training Management Course Director. In 2020 he moved into the Training Manager/TDE Chief for Faculty Development. Since 2008, Mr. Holbert has been part of the Special Olympics Mississippi at Keesler AFB as a Committee Lead for the Nerve Center.

EDUCATION

1988 Associates, Hotel/Restaurant Management, Mississippi Gulf Coast Community College
1995 Associates, Electronic Systems Technology, Community College of the Air Force
1996 Associates, Instructor of Technology and Military Science, Community College of the Air Force
2018 Bachelors, Special Education Interdisciplinary, Liberty University

ASSIGNMENTS

1. Jan 2020 - Present, GS 12 Training Manager/TDE Chief, 81st Training Support Squadron, Keesler AFB, Miss.
2. Oct 2018 – Jan 2020, GS 12 Training Management Course Director, 81st Training Support Squadron, Keesler AFB, Miss.
3. Nov 2004 – Oct 2018, GS 11 Instructor Supervisor Faculty Development, 81st Training Support Squadron, Keesler AFB, Miss.
4. May 2000 – Nov 2004, GS 9 Instructor Faculty Development, 81st Training Support Squadron, Keesler AFB, Miss.
5. Apr 1999 – May 2000, GS 9 Instructor Electronic Principles, 332nd Training Squadron, Keesler AFB, Miss.
6. Nov 1995 – Apr 1999, SSgt Instructor Electronic Principles, 332nd Training Squadron, Keesler AFB, Miss.
7. April 1990 – Nov 1995, SrA Automatic Tracking Radar Specialist, 81st Maintenance Squadron, Keesler AFB, Miss.

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Performance Awards

Letter/Certificate of Commendation

2013 Air Force Civilian Achievement Award

2015 Air Force Exemplary Civilian Service Award

2015 Air Force Civilian Achievement Award

OTHER ACHIEVEMENTS

2020 Certificate of Service 30 Years

2010 Certificate of Service 20 Years

2000 Certificate of Service 10 Years

2000 Top Tech IX Winning Team Member

2002 81st Training Support Squadron Civilian Instructor of the Year

2010 81st Training Wing Category II Civilian Supervisor of the Quarter (Apr – Jun)

2011 81st Training Group Civilian Category II Supervisory of the Year

2016 81st Training Support Squadron Civilian Supervisory Cat II of the Quarter (Apr – Jun)

2016 81st Training Group Civilian Supervisory Cat II of the Year

2018 81st Training Support Squadron Civilian Supervisory Cat II of the Quarter (Apr – Jun)

2018 81st Training Support Squadron Civilian of the Year Supervisory

2019 81st Training Support Squadron Team of the Quarter (Jan - Mar)

EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION

GS-9 26 Apr 1999

GS-11 15 Nov 2004

GS-12 14 Oct 2018

(Current as of Aug 2021)