



BIOGRAPHY

CHIEF MASTER SERGEANT OF THE SPACE FORCE JOHN F. BENTIVEGNA

Chief Master Sergeant of the Space Force John F. Bentivegna serves at the highest enlisted level of leadership and provides direction for the enlisted force representing their interests to the American public and to those in all levels of government. He acts as the personal advisor to the Chief of Space Operations and the Secretary of the Air Force on all issues regarding the welfare, readiness, morale, proper utilization, and development of the U.S. Space Force.

Chief Bentivegna entered the United States Air Force in 1994 and has served in both Maintenance and Space Operations career fields. He has held positions at the squadron, division, group, wing, Numbered Air Force, Field Command and Headquarters Air and Space Force levels and served as the Senior Enlisted Advisor to the Chief Operations Officer and is the Enlisted Space Systems Operations Career Field Manager, Headquarters Space Force, Washington D.C.

Chief Bentivegna entered the United States Space Force on September 1, 2020.



ASSIGNMENTS

1. August 1994–October 1994, Basic Military Training, Lackland Air Force Base, Texas
2. November 1994–June 1995, Precision Measurement Equipment Laboratory Technical Training School, Keesler AFB, Miss.
3. July 1995–May 1998, Precision Measurement Equipment Lab Technician, McGuire AFB, N.J.
4. June 1998–October 2002, Ground Systems Operator, Defense Support Program, Buckley AFB, Colo.
5. November 2002–November 2003, Noncommissioned Officer in Charge, Operations Training, Clear Air Force Station, Alaska
6. December 2003–November 2007, Superintendent, 527th Space Aggressor Squadron, Schriever AFB, Colo.
7. December 2007–September 2010, Superintendent, Mission Management Division, Aerospace Data Facility, Buckley AFB, Colo.
8. October 2010–June 2013, Superintendent, 76th Space Control Squadron, Peterson AFB, Colo.
9. July 2013–April 2015, Superintendent, 460th Operations Group, Buckley AFB, Colo.
10. April 2015–January 2017, Command Chief, 50th Space Wing, Schriever AFB, Colo.
11. February 2017–November 2017, Chief, Air Force Enlisted Force Development, Headquarters Air Force, Pentagon, Washington, D.C.
12. December 2017–January 2019, Command Senior Enlisted Leader, Air Force Element, National Reconnaissance Office, Chantilly, Va.
13. February 2019–December 2019, Command Chief, 14th Air Force & Combined Force Space Component Command, Vandenberg AFB, Calif.
14. December 2019–September 2020, Command Chief, Space Operations Command & Combined Force Space Component Command, Vandenberg AFB, Calif.
15. October 2020–January 2021, Command Chief, Space Operations Command, Peterson AFB, Colo.
16. February 2021–May 2022, Senior Enlisted Leader, Space Operations Command, Peterson Space Force Base, Colo.
17. June 2022–August 2023, Senior Enlisted Advisor to Chief Operations Officer and Enlisted Space Operations Career Field Manager, Headquarters Space Force, Washington, D.C.
18. September 2023–Present, Chief Master Sergeant of the Space Force, United States Space Force, Pentagon, Washington, D.C.

EFFECTIVE DATES OF PROMOTION

Chief Master Sergeant of the Space Force September 2023