

# US National Security Policy Panel with World Leaders



**Tod D. Wolters** is a retired United States Air Force Four-star General who last served as the commander of U.S. European Command and concurrently as NATO's Supreme Allied Commander Europe (SACEUR).

He previously served as Commander, U.S. Air Forces in Europe; commander, U.S. Air Forces Africa; Commander, Allied Air Command, headquartered at Ramstein Air Base, and Director, Joint Air Power Competence Centre, Kalkar, Germany.

Gen. Wolters has been assigned to numerous operational command and staff positions, and has completed nine overseas tours, including two tours in Afghanistan. He fought in Desert Storm, Southern Watch, Iraqi Freedom and Enduring Freedom. A combat-experienced pilot, he has more than 5,000 flying hours in the F-15C, F-22, OV-10, T-38 and A-10 aircraft.

After a 40-year career on active duty, Gen. Wolters is now a Senior Advisor for JGI, a global strategic advisory firm focused on solving the world's most complex defense and security challenges. In this role, he leads efforts across the globe in a wide variety of issue areas, including defense transformation, national security, cybersecurity, energy security, human trafficking, and more.

Gen. Wolters earned a Bachelor of Science degree from the U.S. Air Force Academy, a master's degree in aeronautical science technology from Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University, and a master's degree in strategic studies from the Army War College. Additionally, he served as a senior executive fellow at Harvard University's John F. Kennedy School of Government in 2004 and a fellow with National Defense University's Pinnacle Course in 2014.

Gen. Wolters holds various decorations and awards, including the Distinguished Service Medal, the Defense Service Medal, the Defense Superior Service Medal, two awards of the Legion of Merit, the Bronze Star, Defense Meritorious Service Medal, Meritorious Service Medal, Air Medal, Aerial Achievement Medal with three oak leaf clusters, the Joint Service Commendation Medal, the Air Force Commendation Medal with two oak leaf clusters and the Air Force Combat Action Medal.

In June, Gen. Wolters was selected for induction into the Order of the Sword, the ultimate honor that recognizes an individual for their remarkable contributions to enlisted personnel.