

Curriculum Vitae

Colonel Gabriel TOMA

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COL Gabriel Toma was born on 14 November 1973 and is a 1996 graduate of the Romanian Army Transportation College, in Pitești. His training includes the Combined Logistics Captain Career Course at the United States Army Logistics Management College, Fort Lee, VA (2003), Staff Officer in Multinational Operations Course (Kilkis, Greece - 2005) and a United Nations Military Observer Course (Szolnok, Hungary - 2006). COL Toma holds a Masters degree in military science from the National Defence University in Bucharest (2011).

COL Toma's operational tours include deployments in Bosnia and Herzegovina (2001), Iraq (2004-2005), Liberia (2007), and the Democratic Republic of the Congo (2014).

COL Toma carried out assignments on various positions at the tactical and strategic levels, ranging from maintenance platoon leader to Branch Head within the Romanian Defence Staff.

Between 1996 and 2013 he held various position in logistics staff, ranging from maintenance platoon leader to battalion S4, and then, in 2013 was assigned to 1st Infantry Division G2-intelligence division, as IMINT and HUMINT section head. Following the establishment of Headquarters Multinational Division South-East (MND-SE) in 2015, he was appointed as ACOS G2.

Between 2017 and 2020 COL Toma was assigned to Allied Command Transformation, as a Staff Officer in COE Programme Development Branch.

Prior to his assignment as the National Liaison Representative at HQ SACT, COL Toma served as Branch Head Capabilities and Force Planning at the Strategic Planning Directorate (2020-2023). He and his team were responsible for planning and coordinating capability development in the Romanian Armed Forces, as well as Romanian Army's participation in NATO, EU, UN and coalition missions and operations outside the national territory of Romania.

COL Toma was awarded the United Nations Medal (2007, 2014), the Dutch Commemorative Medal for Participation in Military Operation (2001) and the Romanian Defence Staff's Emblem of Honour (2018 and 2022).

COL Toma is certified English SLP 3333.

COL Toma is married to Camelia and they have two daughters.