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## **Brigadier General Romeo FRITZ**

Commander Mechanised Brigade 4

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## **Current function**

Brigadier General Fritz commands Mechanised Brigade 4. He is responsible for basic readiness of his staffs and forces and is accountable to the Commander Land Forces.

The Commander Mechanised Brigade 4 is responsible for training his brigade to plan and conduct operations for warding off military attacks and for civil affairs support operations in Switzerland.

## Career

1996	Captain, Commander of an infantry company
2002	Major GS, General Staff Officer in the staff of an infantry brigade
2004	Lieutenant Colonel GS, General Staff Officer in the staff of an infantry brigade
2006	Commander of an infantry battalion
2009	Deputy Chief of Staff Intelligence Service in the staff of an infantry brigade
2013	Colonel GS, Deputy Chief of Staff Intelligence Service in the staff of a territorial division
2019	Chief of Staff in the staff of a territorial division
2023	Brigadier General, Commander Mechanised Brigade 4

## **Functions**

2000	Swiss Military College, Military Academy at ETH Zurich
2001	Unit Career Officer at an infantry basic training school
2004	US Army Armor Captains Career Course, Fort Knox, USA
2005	Class teacher at the Land Forces Training Centre
2008	Commander of the infantry battalion for single-term conscripts
2010	Group leader at the Military Academy
2013	Commander of an infantry recruit school and a military training area
2018	Commander of the Bachelor's programme at the Military Academy
2022	Chief of Staff and Deputy Commander of the Land Forces