



## Major General Alain VUITEL

Head of Armed Forces Command Support Organisation

Date of birth 1964  
Academic qualifications Lic. ec., University of Neuchâtel  
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### Current function

Major General Vuitel is responsible for the Command Support Organisation of the Swiss Armed Forces. He is responsible for the command and control capabilities of the armed forces and the national crisis management, Cyber Defence and electronic operations as well as the agencies that run the IT and communications technology in the administration of the DDPS and the armed forces. He answers directly to the Chief of the Armed Forces

The Head of Armed Forces Command Support Organisation is in charge of Command Support Brigade 41.

### Career

1995 Major GS, chief of operations in an armoured brigade  
1999 Lieutenant Colonel GS, commander of an armoured battalion  
2002 Assistant chief of staff operations in an armoured brigade  
2005 Colonel GS, chief of military doctrine armed forces staff section  
2009 Head of the National Emergency Operations Centre, Federal Office for Civil Protection  
2014 Brigadier General, Chief of Staff to the Chief of the Armed Forces / Chief of Military-Strategic Staff  
2016 Chief of Military Intelligence Service  
2020 Major General, Head of Armed Forces Command Support Organisation

### Functions

1993 Deputy head of the General Staff Services Command and Operations Section, Military Operations  
1996 Deputy head of the General Staff Services Operations Division and head of Command and Operations Section, Military Operations  
1999 Scientific consultant to the Chief of General Staff, Staff of the Chief of General Staff  
2002 Head of the Military Doctrine Division, Swiss Armed Forces Planning Staff  
2008 Deputy Chief of Staff Multinational Brigade South, Kosovo Force – KFOR  
2012 Chief of the Armed Forces' delegate for the Armed Forces Development Programme