



Technical Sergeant Aaron Balzano

Noncommissioned Officer in Charge



Technical Sergeant Aaron Balzano is the noncommissioned officer in charge for the F-16 Viper Demonstration Team, based at Shaw Air Force Base, South Carolina.

He represents Air Combat Command, the United States Air Force, and the Department of Defense at more than 20 air shows annually. As the NCOIC, he helps lead the 8-member F-16 Viper Demonstration Team and helps oversee all maintenance actions performed on the Viper. By doing so, he ensures the demonstration pilot has a safe aircraft to perform an aerial demonstration for millions of spectators.

Technical Sergeant Balzano was born and raised in West Monroe, Louisiana.

He enlisted into the United States Air Force in January 2013. He has held various positions within the aircraft maintenance career field culminating with his most recent position as the F-16 Viper Demonstration Team NCOIC.

Assignments

- Jan 2011 May 2014: Assistant Dedicated Crew Chief, 46th Aircraft Maintenance Squadron, Eglin AFB, Fla.
- May 2014 May 2015: F-16 Dedicated Crew Chief, 36th Aircraft Maintenance Squadron, Osan AB, ROK
- June 2015 Oct 2018: F-16 Inspection Section Team Chief, 20th Equipment Maintenance Squadron, Shaw AFB, South Carolina
- Oct 2018 Present: F-16 Viper Demonstration Team NCOIC