

Sandro Heinrich

Position: Chairman International Committee

Institution: DEU SOF

Personal Statement:

I am an active member of the NATO SOF community and work with our coalition partners across Europe, especially the Baltics. The network I have established over the years has highlighted to me the challenges that our partners face. As members of the NATO Alliance we must stand together shoulder to shoulder. As such we all need to understand our coalition partners capabilities & capacities, and how to enhance these through education & training.

If a service member from a NATO nation sustains an injury on deployment, our partners must have the best education & training in order to save the individuals life. As members of SOMA we help to create networks and develop relationships across the SOF Medical community. One of my goals is to deepen these relationships and assist SOMA in bringing together the medics, doctors and planners on the tactical, operational and strategic level.

Length of membership: 16

Board positions held and year(s) served:

Committee position:

Chairman International Committee : 4 years

SOF Qualifications:

1. German SOF Operator KSK 1999 — current
2. Survival, Resistance, Escape (SERE) Level C - 1999
3. German SOF Mountain Team 1999- 2010
4. SOF Military Freefall 2005- 2018
5. German SOF Team Medic 2001- 2011
6. German SOF Paramedic 2011- Current

Professional Experience:

1. 2018 — Present: Senior Enlisted Medical Advisor, German Joint Command Special Operations Potsdam/DEU
2. Apr 2015 - Jan 2018: NATO SOF Senior Enlisted Medical Advisor, NSHQ, Belgium
3. Feb 2009 — Jan 2015 Senior Medic Ge SOF KSK
4. Dec 2005 - Feb 2009 Senior Medic of Sabre Squadron
5. 2001-2005: SOF Team Medic

Years experience in field: 26

Education:

1. ongoing Master's Education (finish 2021) Educational for Medical Personal,
2. Bachelor of Science Paramedic Studies 2019,

3. Paramedic 2011, EMT 2000,
4. SOF Operator 1999 (Assaulter)

Professional Activities:

1. CoTCCC member since 2017,
2. NAEMT TCCC Affiliate Faculty
3. Multiple Deployments