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MAJOR GENERAL PETER H. BOYSEN

Chief of the Danish Army Command

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Major General Peter H. Boysen (b. April 3, 1963) currently serves as the Chief of the Danish Army Command. He has devoted his career to the Danish Defence, where he has held numerous key leadership and staff positions at both national and international levels.

Appointed Chief of the Army Command in 2024, Major General Boysen previously served as Deputy Commander of the Multinational Corps Northeast (2023–2024) and Commander of the Special Operations Command, Denmark (2018–2023). Prior to that, he held senior positions in the Joint Defence Command, including Vice Chief of the Operations Staff (2016–2018) and Head of the Planning and Stabilisation Division (2014–2016). His experience also includes service as Chief of the Joint Operations Centre at UNTSO, Battalion Commander of the Guard Hussar Regiment, and various command and staff appointments in Denmark and abroad.



Major General Boysen has completed extensive military education, notably at the Advanced Command and Staff College in the United Kingdom, where he also earned a Master's degree in Defence Studies. His international deployments span Cyprus (UNFICYP), the Balkans (UNPROFOR and SFOR), Afghanistan (ISAF), and the Middle East (UNTSO).





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He has been recognized with numerous decorations, including the Grand Cross of the Order of the Dannebrog, the Defence Medal for International Service, the UN Peacekeeping Medal, the U.S. Army Commendation Medal, and several NATO campaign medals.

Major General Boysen's distinguished career reflects a deep dedication to leadership, international cooperation, and the operational development of the Danish Armed Forces.

