

Captain Ethan D. Adams is the Officer in Charge of the Blue Aircraft Maintenance Unit, 22d Aircraft Maintenance Squadron, 22d Air Refueling Wing, McConnell AFB, Kansas. He leads an Aircraft Maintenance Unit of 210 technicians across 6 AFSCs. He supervises scheduled and unscheduled maintenance, as well as flying operations on 12 KC-46 aircraft, advises the Sq/CC on all issues regarding morale, welfare and professional development of the enlisted force, ensures airmen are trained, equipped and postured to execute wartime taskings, and allocates resources for home station, deployed, HHQ-tasked and contingency operations.

Captain Adams commissioned in 2021 from the United States Air Force Academy, where he majored in Military Strategic Studies. Since commissioning he has worked as a scheduler for the 4th Special Operations Squadron, student in the 71st Student Training Squadron, and an executive officer for the 22d Maintenance Group Commander.

Ethan grew up hunting pheasant, deer, and waterfowl in Wichita, Kansas, where he and his wife Evalyn met as children. They have been married since 2021 and currently live in Wichita, but have orders to Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio, where the Captain has been selected to serve as an Acquisitions Officer at the KC-46 System Program Office