

MAJOR GENERAL ret. Ovidiu-Liviu UIFĂLEANU

Major General Ovidiu-Liviu Uifăleanu is a 1990 graduate of the Romanian Armoured Officers Military School. From 1990 to 1999 he served as platoon leader, company commander, Staff Officer/6 Tank Regiment and 52 Tank Battalion. During this period, he completed the Armored Company Commanders Course in 1993 and the Preparation Course on conscript's domain in 1997. Between 1999 and 2001 MG Uifăleanu attended the Military Academy for Commanding Officers in Romania. After graduation, he reported to the 6 Tank Brigade Headquarters and served as a staff officer for three years, afterwards promoted to the Romanian General Staff. In 2005 he completed the Post Academic Course for Peace Keeping Operations, CIMIC, PSYOPS, INFOOPS, Humanitarian Assistance and Relief. Assigned as the 812 Infantry Battalion Commander in 2006, MG Uifăleanu deployed with his unit to Afghanistan between 05.01 - 19.07.2007. Following command, MG Uifăleanu was appointed Section Chief with the 4 Infantry Division Headquarters.

In 2010, MG Uifaleanu graduated the Master of Strategic Studies from US Army War College in Carlisle Barracks Pennsylvania, US followed by a posting to the Chief of Operations and Training with the 282 Mechanized Brigade. During this assignment, MG Uifaleanu deployed as the Deputy Chief Operations with Combined Team Zabul (CTZ) Afghanistan.

For outstanding results achieved in his professional duties, was exceptionally promoted to the rank of colonel in 2012. In June 2013 he was appointed Deputy Commander of the 282 Mechanized Brigade. On 1st of February 2014, MG Uifăleanu was assigned as the 81 Mechanized Brigade Commander. In December 2014 was promoted to Brigadier General.

On 1st of September 2015, BG Uifăleanu was assigned as **Commander of Multinational Division South-East Headquarters.** Following his appointment as **Chief of the Romanian Land Forces Staff, on**29th of November 2017 he was promoted to **Major General.** Last position in the active duty was counselor of the Ministry of National Defense.

On 30 of June 2020 he is applying for early retirement, receiving the national Order "Loyal Service" for Knights Degree.

MG Uifăleanu's awards and decorations include "Non Article 5" Badge, Land Forces Honour Emblem, Honorary Title "Veteran Soldier" for militaries, Romanian Armed Forces Honor Emblem, "Military Virtue" Decree for Knights Degree, Romanian General Staff Honor Emblem.

MG Uifăleanu is married to Adriana and they have a daughter Adina.