

BOGDAN DESPESCU

Police Chief-Quaestor

Date and place of birth

June 8th, 1972, Nehoiu, Buzău County

Marital status

Married, one child

Studies

2016

National Defense College: High-level post-graduate studies in Security;

2015

International Academy of Law Enforcement – United States of America: Post-graduate studies „Anti-corruption Policy Forum and Academic Seminar of Criminal Law”;

2007-2010

Police Academy “Alexandru Ioan Cuza” Bucharest: PhD. in Public Order and National Security;

2008-2010

“George Barițiu” University Braşov: Post-graduate studies in Psycho-pedagogy;

2006-2007

Police Academy “Alexandru Ioan Cuza” Bucharest: Post-graduate studies in Management;

1995-1996

University of Bucharest, Law School: Post-graduate studies in International Law;

1991-1995

Police Academy “Alexandru Ioan Cuza” Bucharest, Police Faculty.

Professional experience

November 2019 – present

Secretary of State for Public Order and Safety – Ministry of Internal Affairs

2018 – 2019

Commissioned officer in the General Inspector’s Office, advisor to the General Inspector of the Romanian Police; assigned commissioned officer in the Strategic Management and Informational Support Directorate, with responsibilities in ensuring decisional support regarding the analysis and strategic cooperation in the field of financial and economic crime.

2015-2018

General Inspector of the Romanian Police

2014 –2015

Chief Inspector – Constanța County Police Inspectorate

2013-2014

Deputy Chief Inspector - Buzău County Police Inspectorate

2012-2013

Head of Chief Inspector's Office - Buzău County Police Inspectorate

2011-2012

Chief Inspector - Prahova County Police Inspectorate

2006-2011

Deputy Chief Inspector - Buzău County Police Inspectorate

2005-2006

Head of Fraud Investigation Department - Buzău County Police Inspectorate

2002-2005

Deputy Head of Buzău Municipality Police - Buzău County Police Inspectorate

2001-2002

Head of Office – Berca Police Office - Buzău County Police Inspectorate

1996-2001

Commissioned officer with responsibilities in the field of investigating judicial and economic crime and criminal investigation - Nehoiu Town Police - Buzău County Police Inspectorate

1995-1996

Commissioned officer – Fraud Investigation Office - Buzău Municipality Police - Buzău County Police Inspectorate

Additional Information

„Valour and Faith” Order, Knight rank, awarded on December 18th, 2006, for distinguished services in fulfilling specific missions, loyalty to the rule of law institutions, achievements in fighting crime in the context of European integration and operational harmonization with similar euro-atlantic structures.

„Valour and Faith” Order, Officer rank, awarded on July 5th, 2012, in recognition of direct involvement in the relief efforts aimed at removing the effects of exceptional weather conditions in the winter of 2011 – 2012, by saving human lives, clearing the roads and helping disaster-stricken population and for the outstanding performance of missions assigned throughout his career.