



Estonian Navy

***Commander of Estonian Navy
Captain (Navy) Sten Sepper***



Captain (N) Sten Sepper was born on 17th February 1971 in Tallinn, Estonia.

After graduating the Basic Naval Officer's Course in Finland, Captain Sepper served as a Navigation Officer onboard ENS "Sulev" and Executive Officer onboard minesweeper ENS "Olev" from 1996 to 1997. In 1998 he was appointed as Commanding officer of ENS "Olev" and also promoted new military rank Lieutenant. From 1999 to 2001 his new appointment was as Commanding Officer onboard Lindau class Minehunter ENS "Wambola". From 2002 to 2004 he was a student in Finnish Military Post Graduate School and graduated from Staff Officer and General Staff Officer Course (MA in military Science). From 2004 to 2005 he was serving as the Commander of The Baltic Naval Squadron (BALTRON) consisting of Estonian, Latvian and Lithuanian NMCM ships (3B NMCM Squadron). From 2005 to 2007 he served as N3 branch head in EST Naval Staff. In 2007 he was appointed to Squadron Commander Post in EST Navy MCM Squadron. After active service in MCM Squadron he was appointed to Baltic Defence College (BALTDEFCOL) in the beginning of 2010 as an instructor of NATO naval/ Joint ops. On 23th of July 2012 Captain Sten Sepper was appointed to the post of the Commander of Estonian Navy.

In addition, his military career includes several useful courses in NMCM field and different other update courses in homeland and abroad.

Captain Sepper has been awarded with "10 Years of The Re-Established Defence Forces Medal", "Estonian Navy Decoration of Merit Fight and Will Medal" (3rd class) and "Baltic Defence College Cross and Medal (3rd class).

Besides Estonian, Captain Sepper speaks Finnish, English, Russian and some German.

He is engaged with Mrs. Merike and in family grows 4 boys.

His hobbies are family, downhill and cross country skiing, rollerblading and motocross trainings.