



Philippe Rosius, *Head of GSMC, GSA*

Philippe Rosius is a former captain in the French Navy in which he spent 28 years. He has been assigned on surface warships as communication and information systems officer, operations officer, executive officer and commanding officer. He was deployed in several areas of operations such as Ex-Yugoslavia in the 90's, Indian Ocean in the 2000's or in the Caribbean for counter-narco operations. After the war college in Paris in 2007, he has been assigned to the Joint staff as navigation programme officer responsible for national navigation programmes and equipment and for following GNSS (GPS and GALILEO) for the joint staff in coordination with the other concerned ministries and CNES. He then moved to the new French Joint Space Command in 2010 with responsibilities in space policy (national and international) and cooperation with allies, NATO and EU institutions. After 15 years of military and naval operations, and a 10 years period in military space programmes, policy and cooperation, Philippe Rosius joined GSA on November 1st, 2017 as head of GSMC in Saint-Germain-en-Laye (France).

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