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Biography of Stéphanie Guénot Bresson

Commissioner of ASN, the French Nuclear Safety Authority

Mme Stéphanie Guénot Bresson is graduated from the Naval College and holds atomic engineering qualifications from the French National Institute of Nuclear Science and Technology.

Mme Stéphanie Guénot Bresson began her career when she joined the Naval College in 1993, before assuming duties as head of the electricity department and safety assistant on-board the frigate Duguay Trouin in Brest in 1996.

From July 1998 to September 1999, she was a student at the School for military applications of atomic energy, in Cherbourg.

From September 1999 to August 2002, she occupied the position of sector head for “ship control” and then “steam supply systems” on the Charles de Gaulle aircraft carrier in Toulon, before being appointed nuclear safety officer for the naval port of Toulon from August 2002 to September 2005.

She was then appointed as a member of the office in charge of oversight of defence infrastructure budget management, before becoming interim head of the same office, in Paris. During this period, she was appointed project manager for infrastructure programmes, including the refurbishment of the Île Longue nuclear base.

In August 2008, Mme Stéphanie Guénot Bresson became head of the nuclear infrastructures section at the “risk control” office of the Naval Staff in Paris, before joining the Ecole de Guerre (warfare college) in June 2010.

From July 2011 to September 2013, she held the position of department head at the Naval College (Lanvéoc-Poulmic, Finistère), in charge of managing all military training programmes.

In September 2013, as the next step in her career, she was appointed chief engineer of the Mistral amphibious helicopter carrier, as well as officer in charge of occupational risk prevention and director of emergency response in the event of an incident or accident, in Toulon.

From July 2015 to July 2017, Mme Stéphanie Guénot Bresson joined Naval Staff headquarters in Paris, where she in turn occupied the positions of naval manager for the refurbishment and safety review of the Charles de Gaulle aircraft carrier, then manager of the dashboard for the Chief of Staff of the Armed Forces and then production of capacity data for the Minister's dashboard, in the "strategic oversight" office. In July 2018, she was then appointed head of the “occupational and environmental risks prevention and management” office of armed forces command.



From August 2021 to July 2022, she was Chief of Staff and Vice-President of the standing committee for programmes and tests in charge of validating the military and maritime safety characteristics of all new French Navy ships, including those with nuclear propulsion systems.

Since July 2022, she has been head of the “Organisation, regulations and transformation” office of the Naval Staff in Paris.

Mme Stéphanie Guénot Bresson has been decorated with the *officier de la Légion d'honneur* and *officier de l'Ordre national du Mérite* and is the 2016 winner of the FEM'Energia award. She was also decorated with the active service Croix du Combattant, the national defence gold metal and the NATO commemorative medal for operations in Afghanistan.

By decree, on 10 December 2023, Mme Stéphanie Guénot Bresson was appointed as a member of the ASN commission for a period of six years.