

# 137 COMMUNICATIONS FLIGHT



## MISSION

## LINEAGE

137 Communications Squadron  
137 Communications Flight  
137 Information System Flight  
137 Communications Flight

## STATIONS

Chaumont AB, France  
Will Rogers ANGB, Oklahoma City, OK

## ASSIGNMENTS

137 Mission Support Group

## COMMANDERS

Maj Robert Pelley

## HONORS

**Service Streamers**

**Campaign Streamers**

**Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers**

**Decorations**

## EMBLEM

On a disc Sable, within a border divided per border Argent and Gules, an eagle's claw couped at the wrist Proper, grasping a globe Azure, edged and gridlined of the field, both in bend sinister and both entwined by two orbits in saltire bendwise White, each orbit tracking two orbs of the third, all within a narrow border Black. Attached above the disc, a White scroll edged with a narrow Black border and inscribed "COMMUNICATING WITH THE WORLD" in Black letters. Attached below the disc, a White scroll edged with a narrow Black border and inscribed "137TH COMMUNICATIONS FLIGHT" in Black letters. **SIGNIFICANCE:** Ultramarine blue and Air Force yellow are the Air Force colors. Blue alludes to the sky, the primary theater of Air Force operations. Yellow refers to the sun and the excellence required of Air Force personnel. The red ring symbolizes the entire military communications community, the lifeblood of vigilance and protection. The white ring expresses the purity of the unit personnel's dedication to state and country. The globe with the satellite rings depicts the unit's worldwide communication capabilities. The eagle's claw grasping the globe signifies the unit's ability to provide secure communications anywhere, anytime.

## **MOTTO**

## **NICKNAME**

## **OPERATIONS**

To provide our customers reliable communication and information tools, enhancing their ability to accomplish our mission. To ensure our members are highly capable and motivated professionals dedicated to our families, country, state, and unit.

At home station the big news was the July merger of the 137th Communications Flight with Data Automation to become the 137th Information System Flight

During Jun 1995 the Communications Flight deployed to Nellis AFB, NV for their two weeks of annual training. They installed permanent telephone cables to the base Exercise Area and over 70 Local Area Network connections in the Communications building. They repaired and bench checked all of the airfield's ground radio's, produced a "Welcome To Nellis" video, performed a Computer risk analysis and assisted in developing the unit's training program.

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