

## 363 TRAINING SQUADRON



### MISSION

363 Training Mission is training the world's best armament, munitions, and nuclear weapons military professionals that are capable of fulfilling the goals and objectives of the Air Force.

The Aircraft and Munitions Maintenance Officer Courses are designed to provide initial (AFSC awarding) and follow-on training for officers in the 21A and 21M career fields. AMMOC is comprised of eight different courses.

### LINEAGE

3770th Technical Training Group established and activated, 30 Apr 1976

Redesignated 3770th Technical Training Squadron, 1 Feb 1992

Redesignated 363 Technical Training Squadron, 15 Sep 1992

Redesignated 363 Training Squadron, 23 Mar 1994

### STATIONS

Sheppard AFB, TX, 30 Apr 1976

### ASSIGNMENTS

United States Air Force School of Applied Aerospace Sciences, Sheppard, 30 Apr 1976

3700 Technical Training Wing, 1 Apr 1977

Sheppard Technical Training Center, 1 Jan 1978

3700 Technical Training Wing (later 3700 Technical Training Group; 396 Technical Training Group; 82d Training Group), 01 Nov 1979

### COMMANDERS

### HONORS

## Service Streamers

## Campaign Streamers

## Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

## Decorations

### Air Force Outstanding Unit Awards

1 Jan 1980 – 30 Apr 1981

1 May 1982 – 30 Apr 1984

1 Mar 1987 – 28 Feb 1989

1 Jul 1989 – 31 May 1991

1 Jul 1991 - 30 Jun 1993

1 Jul 1993 - 30 Jun 1994

1 Jul 1994 – 30 Jun 1995

1 Jul 1995 – 30 Jun 1997

1 Jul 2005 - 30 Jun 2006

1 Jul 2006 - 30 Jun 2008

1 Jul 2008 - 30 Jun 2010

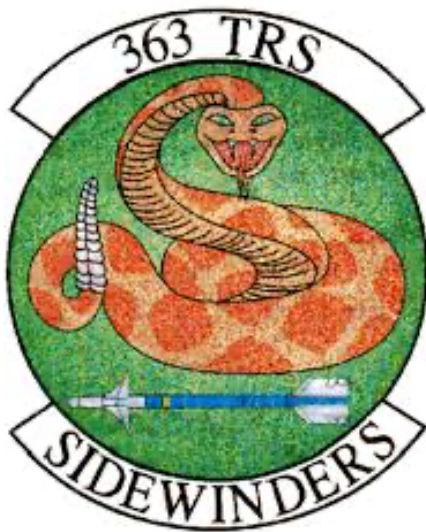
1 Jul 2010 - 30 Jun 2012

1 Jul 2012 - 30 Jun 2014

1 Jul 2014 – 30 Jun 2016

1 Jul 2017 – 30 Jun 2019

## EMBLEM



## MOTTO

## NICKNAME

## **OPERATIONS**

First Graduating Class from New NCO Training Course: The 363rd Training Squadron at Sheppard AFB, Tex., graduated the first class of senior noncommissioned officers from its new nine-level aircraft armament systems course. Fifteen master sergeants successfully completed the two-week course on Sept. 23. The Air Force established the course to give career maintainers the opportunity to become managers. Traditionally, such maintainers obtained nine-level certification through on-the-job training. The new course is designed to make the process of creating effective nine-level aircraft armament NCOs more efficient. While initial armament systems training is platform-specific, the nine-level course combines airmen from all airframes in the same classroom. Sheppard is scheduled to hold four of these courses a year, perhaps five at some point. Aircraft armament now is the third Air Force career field to require a course to complete nine-level certification. 2011

The 363rd Training Squadron at Sheppard AFB, Tex., graduated its first class of airmen from the Air Force's new remotely piloted aircraft armament apprentice course. The five airmen graduated from the 20-day course on April 8, according to Sheppard's April 10 release. Prior to this course, airmen headed to an RPA armament assignment received one block of RPA familiarization training in the special missions armament course, but then conducted the rest of their training in the field at the gaining unit. However, with the ever-growing multirole use of RPAs, it became apparent that the Air Force needed a more formalized training method. During the course, the airmen receive instruction on aerospace ground equipment and MQ-1 Predator and MQ-9 familiarization. "The students go through armament fundamentals with everyone else first," said SSgt. Ronel Rivera-Santiago, 363rd TRS aircraft armament instructor. "Then they come to us for four weeks of nothing but RPA training." 2013

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### Sources

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