

2035 COMMUNICATIONS SQUADRON



MISSION

LINEAGE

2035 Airways and Air Communications Service Squadron designated and organized, 1 Nov 1954

Redesignated 2035 Communications Squadron, 1 Jul 1961

Redesignated 2035 Information Systems Squadron, 1 Jul 1984

Redesignated 2035 Communications Squadron, 1 Nov 1986

STATIONS

Castle AFB, CA

ASSIGNMENTS

1801 Airways and Air Communications Service Group (later Western AACS Region; Western Communications Region) Southern Communications Area, 1 May 1970

Strategic Communications Area (later Strategic Communications Division; Strategic Information Systems Division; Strategic Communications Division), 1 Jul 1976

COMMANDERS

Capt Thomas M. Johnson, Jan 1955

Maj Leo J. Whited, Jan 1957-?

Lt Col Gifford M. Briggs, 1 Jun 1962

Maj Robert O. Lorenzi, 2 Jun 1964-?

Lt Col Truman Theobald,

Maj James M. Slattery, 1 Feb 1967

Lt Col John C. Nichols, 28 Aug 1967

Maj J. Cervantes, 1968

Lt Col R. J. Gannon, 18 Nov 1969
Lt Col Edward E. Morrow, 15 Sep 1973
Maj Michael K. Utley, 28 Apr 1978
Lt Col James H. Dargue, 4 Aug 1978
Lt Col Robert J. Scott, 22 May 1981
Maj Marsha L. Lutz, 23 Jun 1983
Maj Robert J. Conley, 29 Jan 1985
Lt Col James J. Kelly, 28 Feb 1985
Maj Thomas J. Verbeck, 13 Aug 1987
Maj John G. Skafidas, 13 Aug 1990

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

Air Force Outstanding Unit Award

1 Jan 1963-1 Mar 1964

1 Jan 1975-31 Dec 1976

EMBLEM

Colored in brown and aquamarine on a field of ultramarine blue, the earth represents the worldwide scope of our mission within the Strategic Communications Area in support of the Strategic Air Command and the Air Force Communications Command. Drawn in black, the tower is the squadron itself, with its feet planted firmly in the earth while reaching for the heavens and sending forth its lightning, the "Reins of Command." In Air Force golden yellow, the four bolts stand not only for the "Reins of Command," but also for the four main sections of the squadron: operations, maintenance, flight facilities, and staff.

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OPERATIONS

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Force Communications Command History. Scott AFB, IL. 1 Oct 1990.