

50th MISSION SUPPORT GROUP



MISSION

LINEAGE

50th Air Base Group
Activated, 1 Jun 1949
Redesignated 50th Combat Support Group
Inactivated, 30 Sep 1991
Redesignated 50th Support Group, 30 Jan 1992
Redesignated 50th Mission Support Group, 1 Oct 2002

STATIONS

Otis AFB, MA
Clovis AFB, NM, 1 Jan 1953-23 Jul 1953
Hahn AB, Germany, 9 Aug 1953-10 Jul 1956
Toul-Rosieres AB, France
Hahn AB, Germany, 1 Sep 1959
Schriever AFB, CO

ASSIGNMENTS

COMMANDERS

Col Merrily D. Madero
Col Ottis L. Hutchinson, 16 Mar 2007
Col Edward C. Baron
Col Jonathan Webb, 7 Jul 2011

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

EMBLEM

Azure, an opineus passant Argent, all within a diminished bordure Or. Attached below the shield, a White scroll edged with a narrow Yellow border and inscribed "50TH MISSION SUPPORT GROUP" in Blue 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 opineus with the strength of a lion and the bold flight of an eagle symbolizes the functions of the wing.

MOTTO

NICKNAME

OPERATIONS

The group is comprised of four squadrons, one division and one flight: 50th Civil Engineer Squadron, 50th Security Forces Squadron, 50th Mission Support Squadron, 50th Contracting Squadron, Services Division and 50th Logistics Readiness Flight.

Air Force Order of Battle

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Sources

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