

695 ELECTRONIC SECURITY WING



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LINEAGE

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STATIONS

Langley AFB, VA

ASSIGNMENTS

COMMANDERS

Col Ronald P. Duncan

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

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OPERATIONS

The 695th Electronic Security Wing is located at Langley AFB, near Hampton, Va. It is subordinate to Headquarters, Continental Electronic Security Division and Headquarters, Electronic Security Command. The 695th ESW has squadrons at Brooks and Lackland AFBs, Texas, and Fort George G. Meade, Md. They also have detachments at Eglin AFB, Fla., Davis-Monthan AFB, Ariz., and Nellis AFB, Nev., with operating locations at Bergstrom AFB, Texas, Shaw AFB, S.C., and Tinker AFB, Okla. Approximately 40 officers and 600 airmen are assigned to the wing to carry out theater-unique operations and training.

695th ESW Headquarters, 695th Electronic Security Wing, is collocated with Headquarters, Tactical Air Command. The wing staff at Langley and other CONUS locations, provides direct services, products and resources to support TAC in planning, training and executing tactical operations.

Units within the wing provide mobile command, control and communications support to deployed tactical commanders; airborne intelligence support to on-scene component commanders; adversary communications, identification, friend or foe and radar jamming in support of tactical aircrew/controller training and equipment tests and evaluations; and communication security radio and telephone surveillance and analysis.

Additionally, the wing supplies instructors for the Air Ground Operations School at Hurlburt Field, Fla., the Electronic Combat Crew Training Course at Nellis AFB, Nev., and the Compass Call Training Laboratory at Davis-Monthan AFB, Ariz.

The commander of the 695th is triple-hatted, also serving as the director, Electronic Security, to HQ TAC director of Operations, and as the chief, Cryptologic Support Group, TAC.

On 8 December 1987, Gen. Martin approved a reorganization that postured the Command consistent with USAF guidelines. Consolidating into four electronic security divisions: CESD-Continental, EESD-Europe, PESD-Pacific and SESD-Space in 1986, Electronic Security Command created operational wings under the divisions. The reorganization that created the 690th, 693rd, 694th and 695th Electronic Security Wings became effective 1 June 1988. Two centers and six operational Air Force-controlled wings refocused on planning and programming for mission needs of ESC's four divisions. The basic idea was for HQ ESC to function as a headquarters.

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