

NATIONAL SECURITY SPACE INSTITUTE



LINEAGE

Constituted as United States Air Force Space Operations School on 15 Jun 2001

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STATIONS

Schriever AFB, CO, 28 Jun 2001

Colorado Springs, CO, 1 Nov 2004

ASSIGNMENTS

Space Warfare Center, 28 Jun 2001

595 Space Group, 23 Oct 2002

Air Force Space Command, 1 Oct 2004

COMMANDERS

HONORS

Service Streamers

None

Campaign Streamers

None

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

None

Decorations

Air Force Organizational Excellence Awards

1 Sep 2002-1 Sep 2003

1 Mar 2004-1 Mar 2006

2 Mar 2006-30 Sep 2007

EMBLEM

Sable, a globe throughout Azure gridlined Argent superimposed in dexter chief by a gauntlet bend wise of the third (Silver Gray) highlighted of the like and of the first four lightning flashes radiating from dexter base to sinister chief Or, a contrail emitting from dexter arcing to sinister ending in a flight symbol White; all within a diminished border of the fourth.

Attached below the shield, a White scroll edged with a narrow Yellow border and inscribed "NATIONAL SECURITY SPACE INSTITUTE" in Blue letters. Approved on 28 Mar 2005

EMBLEM 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 globe alludes to the mission of influencing space power from the heavens. The gauntlet and lightning flashes represent the four mission areas of space in the 21st Century. The flight symbol and contrail refer to the worldwide contributions of space control, force enhancement, application and space support.

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OPERATIONS

Air Force Order of Battle

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Sources

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