

2147 COMMUNICATIONS SQUADRON

MISSION

LINEAGE

2147 Communications Squadron designated and organized, 1 Aug 1962
Redesignated HQ 2147 Communications Group, 1 Jan 1980
Redesignated 2147 Information Systems Group, 1 Oct 1984
Redesignated 2147 Information Systems Wing, 4 Jan 1985
Redesignated HQ 2147 Communications Wing, 1 Nov 1986

STATIONS

RAF Mildenhall, England

ASSIGNMENTS

United Kingdom Communications Region
European Communications Area (later, European Communications Division; European Information Systems Division; European Communications Division), 30 Jun 1972

COMMANDERS

Capt Thomas E. Kaiser, 1964
Maj Donald N. Nystrom, 21 Jun 1966
Maj Norman E. Mortimer, 26 Mar 1969
Maj William C. Byrd, 1970
Maj Ronald D. Thornberry, 1971
Lt Col Jerome F. Prochaska, Jul 1974
Lt Col Richard W. Christensen, Jul 1976
Col Pierre A. Dillman 13 Jun 1986
Col Jerome J. Reinholt, 17 Jun 1988

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

Air Force Outstanding Unit Award

1 Jul 1966-30 Jun 1967

1 Jan 1979-31 Dec 1979

EMBLEM

The power antenna disc, and radiation patterns signify the communications and air traffic control provided and supported throughout the United Kingdom by the wing. The clasped hands signify the close working relationship that has developed between the 2147th Communications Wing, the Ministry of Defense, Royal Air Force, and British Telecommunications in our joint effort to provide strength for peace through partnership and unity.

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OPERATIONS

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