37 TRAINING GROUP



MISSION

LINEAGE

3250 Technical Training Wing activated, 1 Nov 1979
Redesignated 3250 Technical Training Group, 1 Feb 1992
Redesignated 394 Technical Training Group, 15 Sep 1992
Redesignated 37 Technical Training Group, 1 Jul 1993
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STATIONS

Lackland AFB, TX, 1 Nov 1979

ASSIGNMENTS

Air Force Military Training Center, 1 Nov 1979 37 Training Wing 1 Jul 1993

COMMANDERS

Col Edward D. Young, 1 Nov 79 Col William K. Rector 27 Jan 84 Col Frank Capone 1 Oct 84 Col Peter P. Cerrow 16 Jul 87 Col Frank Capone 21 Jul 87 Col James H. Lund, (8 Sep 87 Col Gregory Reese Col Jeanne I. Hardrath, #2013

HONORS Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

Air Force Outstanding Unit Award 1 Jan 1990-31 Dec 1991 1 Jul 1992-30 Jun 1994 1 Apr 1994-30 Jun 1994 1 Jul 1996-30 Jun 1998

1 Jul 2000-30 Jun 2002

1 Jul 2002-30 Jun 2003

EMBLEM



3250th Technical Training Wing emblem

Azure, two olive branches conjoined in base vert superimposed by a torch or enflamed gules overall a quill and sword saltirewise argent; all within a diminished bordure or.

MOTTO

OPERATIONS

The 37 Training Group provides professional, military and technical training in the knowledge and

skills needed for graduates to perform their jobs worldwide. Joint service training for Air Force, Army, Navy and Marine personnel is provided in numerous courses, such as the military working dog program and security and law enforcement. There are currently six squadrons within the 37th TRG. Most students enter technical training immediately after completion of basic military training upon selection for their first assignment. Lackland's technical training is accredited by the Commission on Occupational Education, Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, the Defense Acquisition University, and the Community College of the Air Force.

The 37th Training Group, with its approximately 1,600 personnel from all four military services, provides professional and technical training to more than 36,000 military members and civilians from the armed forces, federal agencies, and the international community.

Col. James H. Lund continued to command the 3250th Technical Training Wing in 1988. The 1987 reorganization of the unit brought about numerous changes, but the effects of the reorganization were not clear. The planned training of nearly 3,500 navy personnel each year moved closer to final implementation. General Tibbetts anticipated no problems in supporting the Navy's request until FY 1991 when a lack of adequate facilities would limit the base's ability to support additional students. Course for USMC and USAF personnel in basic law enforcement were combined in 1988. Other changes occurred in advanced law enforcement courses.

The USMC enrolled more students at the 3250th than either the Air Force Reserve or the Air National Guard.

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