

# **400<sup>th</sup> AERO SQUADRON**

## **AFOSI Office of Special Projects**

Azure, a globe issuant from base Sable gridlined and bordered Argent with a flight symbol surmounting the globe at the North Pole, Gris, emitting a vapor trail from behind the globe in base and arching to sinister Silver Gray, all beneath two swords crossed at the tips of the third, detailed of the fifth, gripped Or; all within a narrow Black border.

Attached above the disc, a White scroll edged with a Black border and inscribed “SECRETUM CONSERVO POPULI” in Black letters.

Attached below the disc, a White scroll edged with a Black border and inscribed “OFFICE OF SPECIAL PROJECTS” in Black letters.

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 by the Air Force personnel. The globe describes the dark world in which this unit operates. The flight symbol signifies the technological advances which are monitored by the Office. Crossed swords overall demonstrate the protective mission of this special projects unit. The Latin motto, “SECRETUM CONSERVO POPULI,” translates to “PRESERVING THE NATION’S SECRETS,” in English.

## **LINEAGE**

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Air Force Order of Battle

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