

Col. (ret. USAF) David Kovach '71 Inducted May 2018

David is a U.S. Air Force Academy graduate. Col Kovach has worked in the communications-computer systems field his entire career serving in positions at every level of operations affecting Airmen around the world. As the Commander, Air Force Communications Agency, he laid bedrock for what would become the Air Force Network (AFNET) consolidation--one Task Force-Southwest Asia and post 9/11 Operation Enduring Freedom combat operations. Col Kovach's wartime leadership and unprecedented contributions set the stage for over ten years of successful combat operations in Southwest Asia including Afghanistan, Iraq and the Horn of Africa. A consummate professional, Col Kovach's leadership and mentorship have left a living legacy in the Air Force cyberspace force's DNA. After retiring from the Air Force, David Joined TELOS Corporation and currently is the corporation's VP \_ Strategic BD & Capture. Air Force, one network. A true warfighter and integrator, Col Kovach developed and executed the C4ISR strategic plan in direct support of the Joint TELOS empowers and protects the world's most security-conscious organizations with solutions and services for continuous security assurance of individuals, systems and information.