

	Object:	Gedenkmedaille, Customer College Ramstein Air Base
	Museum:	"dc-r" docu center ramstein VG Ramstein-Miesenbach Am Neuen Markt 6 66877 Ramstein-Miesenbach 06371-838005 claudia.gross@dc-ramstein.de
	Collection:	Dreidimensionale Objekte
	Inventory number:	DCR2011_0017_14

Description

Die Vorderseite der Gedenkmedaille zeigt die Umrisse Deutschlands eingebettet in die US-amerikanische und die deutsche Flagge. Auf der Rückseite ist das Wappen von USAFE abgebildet.

r: KAISERSLAUTERN MILITARY COMMUNITY

v: CUSTOMER COLLEGE RAMSTEIN AIR BASE CREATING A CUSTOM TO SERVE.

History of Challenge Coins:

Challenge Coins surfaced during the World War II era. The practice of carrying a coin designed specifically for a unit was popular with the Army Special Forces. Carrying the coin at all times and presenting it when 'challenged' to prove affiliation with that unit resulted in a number of consequences for those who could not produce a coin - the most popular required the coinless soldier to buy a round of drinks. That practice continues to be popular today." (Quelle: Symbol Arts; www.symbolarts.com)

Basic data

Material/Technique:

Metall, Email.

Measurements:

D (max.) 3,9 cm

Events

Created	When	2000
	Who	
	Where	