

K2

SPECIAL OPERATIONS CAPABILITIES

OVERVIEW

K2 Solutions, Inc. was founded upon the capabilities of its Special Operations Business Unit in September 2003 to assist Department of Defense combat developers with the emerging Joint Special Operations Command (JSOC) requirements and to train and equip US military personnel in support of Overseas Contingency Operations (OCO). With backgrounds in Special Operations Forces (SOF) and/or Special Mission Units (SMU), K2 personnel have operated in, and provided specialized training for, environments that demand situational awareness, responsiveness to evolving conditions and threats, the ability to evaluate and synthesize data from a variety of sources, and rapid development of effective courses of action.

Our first contracts included support requirements of Research and Development (R&D) efforts for the US Army Armament Research, Development, and Engineering Center (ARDEC) and Counter-Improvised Explosive Device (IED) efforts for the Joint IED Defeat Organization (JIEDDO). K2 Subject Matter Experts (SMEs), including founder Lane Kjellsen, provided intelligence, training and essential skills to prepare our Warfighters to face emerging Tactics, Techniques, and Procedures (TTPs) and provided them the equipment and intelligence necessary to combat those enemy TTPs in real-time. Additional SMEs increased our capabilities, which have continued to focus on bridging the gaps between our Warfighters and developers. To that end, K2's Special Operations Business Unit divisions act as a conduit between these two entities providing tactical training, R&D, tactical communications, protective and security services, risk analysis and management, vulnerability assessments, special projects, and intelligence services.

K2's clients include United States Special Operations Command (USSOCOM), United States Army Special Operations Command (USASOC), Naval Special Warfare Development Group (NSWDG), United States Marine Corps Forces Special Operations Command (MARSOC), Defense Threat Reduction Agency (DTRA), Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency (DARPA), and JIEDDO. Additionally, we have worked with the Drug Enforcement Agency (DEA), the Department of State, the Central Intelligence Agency (CIA), United States Secret Service, the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), and the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) performing security-related functions.

First and foremost, it is the goal of everyone who works within the K2 Special Operations Business Unit to provide superior service, cutting edge technology, and training and instruction to facilitate learning necessary to overcome increasing challenges. We are proud to have continued with these objectives as our guide for the past nine years and look forward to further success against our enemies.

SUPPORTED PROJECTS

- Stand-off Breaching Device
- Shaped Charges
- Experimental Explosives
- Structural Energetic Material
- Modular Breaching Kit
- Lightweight 240B Buttstock
- Flash Adaptor Extension (FAE)
- ARDEC Directed Energy Efforts
- IFF Thermal
- Subsonic Ammunition
- Lightweight Small Arms Technology (LSAT)
- Belt Fed Upper
- M240 Short Barrel Rifle Modification
- M3 Carl Gustav Training
- Broco Sales

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CAPABILITIES

SPECIAL OPERATIONS

RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT

- Technology Evaluation
- Advanced energy armament system development
- Identification of emerging needs
- Design and planning of new weapons systems
- New program requirements and formulation

TRAINING

- Assessment & Selection (A&S)
- Weapons
- Extrication and Breaching
- New Equipment Training
- Special Tactics

INTELLIGENCE

- Database Development
- Human Intelligence (HUMINT)

SPECIAL PROJECTS

- Chemical, Biological, Radiological, Nuclear, and Explosives (CBRNE)
- Joint Improvised Explosive Device Defeat Organization (JIEDDO)
 - Train, observe, analyze, collect, and disseminate TTPs for materiel and non-materiel solutions
 - Intelligence and analytical support to Counter-IED Operations Intelligence Center (COIC) in conjunction with Special Operations Forces Support Team (SOFST)
- Asymmetric Warfare Group (AWG)
 - Provide personnel to Operations and Concepts and Integration programs

CONSULTING

- Equipment
- Weapons
- Energetics
- Vulnerability Assessments
- Emergency Operations Center Planning and Operations

