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Executive Profile

International affairs and security professional with 30 years developing global partnerships and strategic initiatives, currently directing multi-million dollar programs across six continents. PhD in Political Science with deep regional expertise and proven track record in cross-cultural team leadership, strategic planning, and organizational development.



Key Achievements

- Successfully managed multi-million dollar international programs with measurable impact across multiple continents
- Built extensive professional networks spanning government, academic, and NGO sectors throughout Africa and Middle East
- Nominated for Senior Director, Africa Policy at US National Security Council, recognizing strategic policy expertise
- Led Air Force special operations intelligence support during 2011 Libya crisis, coordinating multinational information sharing and analytical support
- Enabled foundational relationships leading to development of major strategic facility in Djibouti



Core Competencies

- STRATEGIC LEADERSHIP & PLANNING, INTERNATIONAL PROGRAM MANAGEMENT, CROSS-CULTURAL OPERATIONS
- GOVERNMENT & NGO RELATIONS, PARTNERSHIP DEVELOPMENT, BUDGET & RESOURCE MANAGEMENT
- RISK ASSESSMENT & ANALYSIS, TRAINING & CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT, CHANGE MANAGEMENT
- REGIONAL EXPERTISE: AFRICA (SAHEL, HORN, NORTH, WEST & CENTRAL), MIDDLE EAST (UAE), EUROPE



Professional Experience

2020 – present
CO

Department Head, Languages and Cultures & International Programs

United States Air Force Academy

- Direct 50+ member organization developing international educational partnerships and cross-cultural programs
- Manage \$3+ million annual budget while designing scalable training solutions for hundreds of professionals
- Advise senior executives on strategic growth initiatives, governance frameworks, and resource optimization
- Implement global partnership strategies with foreign governments and international academic institutions

2018 – 2020
CO

Deputy for Research and Strategy, Foreign Languages and International Programs

United States Air Force Academy

- Provided strategic market analysis and risk assessments supporting international expansion decisions



Professional Experience

2016 – 2018
United Arab Emirates

- Coordinated multinational educational partnerships across Africa, Middle East, and Europe
- Developed actionable intelligence reports for senior leadership on regional opportunities and challenges

Advisor, National Defense College of the United Arab Emirates Abu Dhabi

1995 – 2016
Worldwide

- Mentored emerging government and military leaders in strategic planning and policy development
- Advised senior leadership on organizational management, curriculum design, and faculty development
- Delivered executive education on strategic frameworks and security studies to UAE officials
- Enhanced institutional effectiveness through policy recommendations and program optimization

Intelligence Officer United States Air Force

- Managed diplomatic initiatives and crisis response operations in Horn of Africa
- Designed and implemented specialized training programs for Morocco's Ministry of Interior
- Developed curriculum and instructed at Kofi Annan International Peacekeeping Training Center
- Led civil-military coordination programs in Democratic Republic of Congo
- Conducted extensive field research across Mali (Bamako, Mopti, Djenné, Timbuktu)



Education

Lansing, MI

Political Science | PhD Michigan State University

Monterey, CA

Regional Intelligence: sub-Saharan Africa | MA with distinction Naval Postgraduate School

Austin, TX

History | BA University of Texas