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Current Positions

- Professor of the Practice of International Relations at Boston University's Pardee School of Global Studies, teaching courses in international relations, intelligence studies, and national security law (since 2015).
- Faculty-in Residence, Kilachand Honors College, Boston University, mentoring undergraduate students (since 2019).
- Director, Boston University's International History Institute, advancing research and promoting history (since 2023).
- Director, Boston University's Division of Military Education, overseeing Air Force, Army, and Navy/Marine Corps ROTC activities for Boston University as well as our fifteen partner universities (since 2024).
- Scholar whose work includes three books, (most recently *Spying: From the Fall of Jericho to the Fall of the Wall* (2023)), over sixty other publications, numerous briefings, and congressional testimony on four occasions.

Former Positions

- Operations Officer and Technical Intelligence Officer with over twenty-one years of experience in the Central Intelligence Agency, to include the Clandestine Service (1985-1997 and the Directorate of Science & Technology (2006-2015).
 - CIA field assignments included East Asia, Africa, the Near East, and South Asia.
 - CIA-certified Operations Officer, to include paramilitary and airborne qualifications.
 - CIA University-certified Intelligence Educator.
 - Special duty in East Africa (1994), South Asia (2009-2010), and the Middle East (2010).
 - Recipient of the CIA's Career Intelligence Medal and the War Zone Service Medallion.
- Adjunct professor at the Elliott School of International Affairs, George Washington University (2006-2015).
- Senior manager and research analyst at the RAND Corporation with expertise in technology policy, intelligence, and counterterrorism (1998-2003 and 2005-2006).
- Director of the U.S. Department of Defense Biometrics Management Office (2003-2005).
 - Led the organization responsible for planning, coordinating, and implementing the Department's global biometric activities, to include Iraq and Afghanistan.
 - Oversaw a headquarters staff of 40 and an operational center staff of 130, including a forward presence in Iraq.
 - Expanded the Biometrics Management Office's overall budget from \$25 million per annum in 2003 to \$65 million per annum in 2005.
 - Awarded the Department of the Army's third highest civilian award, the Meritorious Public Service Medal, for using biometric technologies to support U.S. efforts in counterterrorism.

Education

- Georgetown University Law Center, Washington, DC.
Juris Doctor, *magna cum laude*, February 1998. (Active member of the Virginia State Bar since 1998.)
- London School of Economics and Political Science, London, England.
Master of Science Degree in Economics, October 1983 (Thouron Scholar).
- Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA.
Bachelor of Science Honors Degree in Economics, August 1981.

Military

- U.S. Army officer with a reserve commission through ROTC; service in Engineer and Civil Affairs units (1981-1990).