



**Curriculum Vita
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EDUCATION

Doctor of Philosophy in American Government

Georgetown University, Washington, DC, 2014

Master of Arts in National Security Studies

National War College, Washington, DC, 2021

Master of Arts in Behavioral Science

Wright State University, Dayton, OH, 2008

Bachelor of Science in Business Management

Miami University, Oxford, OH, 2002

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

August 2011 – May 2014: Instructor, Georgetown University, Department of Government

January 2012 – May 2014: Instructor, Johns Hopkins University, School of Advanced International Studies

July 2010 – July 2011: Instructor, United States Air Force Academy, Department of Behavioral Science

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Accomplished scholar-practitioner with deep expertise in American government, public policy, and criminal justice. Over two decades of senior Air Force leadership advising four-star commanders, Cabinet officials, and members of Congress, with a demonstrated ability to translate complex governmental processes into clear, accessible instruction. Served on Capitol Hill in the U.S. Congress for two years and spent a third year in the Executive Office of the President in Washington, DC.

Combines academic excellence with advanced proficiency in online learning management systems and extensive experience supporting working adults balancing careers. Offers a career-long commitment to education and development, having trained and mentored thousands of students and servicemembers nationwide, and brings an inclusive approach to teaching and engagement.

PUBLICATIONS

Publication: *“Comparative GPA and Online College Gambling”*, The Sociological Focus – 2009

Dissertation: *“Veterans in Congress: The Policy Impact of Veterans in the U.S. House of Representatives”*

- Harold N. Glassman Award for top dissertation at Georgetown University – 2014