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Director, School of Advanced Warfighting
Colonel, USMC

Civilian Education

- B.A. History, University of Iowa

Military Education

- Joint Forces Staff College (Designated Joint Specialty Officer)
- M.A. Operational Studies, School of Advanced Warfighting
- USMC Command and Staff College (Non-Resident)
- Weapons and Tactics Instructor Course
- USA Armor Captains Career Course
- USMC Amphibious Warfare School (Non-Resident)
- Fire Support Coordination Course
- USA Armor Officer Basic Course
- The Basic School
- Officer Candidates School

Major Assignments

- Platoon Commander / Co Executive Officer, 1st Tank Battalion (1996-1998)
- Inspector-Instructor, Co C, 8th Tank Battalion, Tallahassee, FL (1998-2001)
- Battle Captain, CFLCC (2001-2002) - Camp Doha, Kuwait - Operation Enduring Freedom
- Company Commander, Co D, 1st Tank Battalion (2002-2003) - Operation Iraqi Freedom I
- Ground Combat Instructor, MAWTS-1 (2003-2006) - Deployment to Al Asad Air Base, Iraq
- Military Transition Team Advisor, 7th Iraqi Army Division (2006-2007) - Ramadi, Iraq
- Operations Officer, 2d Tank Battalion (2007-2008)
- Executive Officer, 2d Tank Battalion (2008)
- Current Operations Officer, U.S. Forces Afghanistan (2008-2009) - Kabul, Afghanistan
- Chief of Plans, Marine Forces Central Command (2010-2012) - Tampa, FL
- Commanding Officer, 1st Tank Battalion (2012-2014)
- CMC Fellow, U.S. State Department Bureau of Diplomatic Security (2014-2015)
- Director, Commandant's Staff Group, HQMC (2015-2017)
- Chief of Operations, Operation Inherent Resolve (2017-2018) - Baghdad, Iraq
- Commanding Officer, Marine Corps Tactics and Operations Group (2018-2020)
- Director, School of Advanced Warfighting (2020-Present)