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## EDUCATION

### ACADEMIC:

*Doctorate, College of William and Mary in Virginia.* Concentration: Higher Education with a cognate in Business Administration

*Master of Arts, California State University,* Concentration: Interdisciplinary Humanities (Literature, History, Philosophy, Religion, and the Arts)

*Bachelor of Arts, Michigan State University,* Concentration: Elementary and Middle School Education

### MILITARY:

*Diploma, National Defense University,* National Security Management

*Diploma, U.S. Army Command and General Staff College*

*Diploma, U.S. Army Logistics Management College,* Logistics Executive Development

### BOOK VALUATION AND APPRAISAL

*Rare Book School at the University of Virginia:*

Developing Collections, Reference Resources for Researching Rare Books, Reference Resources for Researching Printed Americana, The Printed Book in the West to 1800, History of the Book in America, History of Printed Book Illustration, Identification of Photographic Print Processes, and Introduction to the History of Bookbinding,

*Harvard University:*

Making and Meaning in the Medieval Manuscript, Medieval Book of Hours, Books in the Medieval Liturgy, and Print and Manuscript in Western Europe, Asia, and the Middle East

### CERTIFICATIONS RELATED TO ANTIQUARIAN BOOKS AND EPHEMERA

Certificate of Proficiency, Rare Book School, University of Virginia

Certified Personal Property Appraiser, Certified Appraisers Guild of America

## EXPERIENCE

### RARE BOOK AND DOCUMENT VALUATION, SALES, AND APPRAISAL:

Over 20 years' experience specializing in books and original source materials: personal narratives, photographs, ephemera, philatelic materials, and other paper collectibles.

- Memberships: Antiquarian Booksellers Association of America, the International League of Antiquarian Booksellers, the Ephemera Society, the Manuscript Society, the American Philatelic Society, American Stamp Dealers Association.
- Served as the Chairman, Southeastern Chapter of the Antiquarian Booksellers Association of America.

### LIBRARY AND ARCHIVES:

15 years of experience as the Director of the Marine Corps Research Center including the Library of the Marine Corps and the United States Marine Corps Archives. Retired as a GS-15, Step 10.

Managed a specialized collection of approximately 85,000 books and an archival collection of more than nine million documents.

- Led a staff of 55 librarians, archivists, technicians and administrative personnel.
- Controlled annual operating budgets, excluding personnel costs, of over \$5 million (over \$7 million in 2019 dollars).

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### OTHER:

Over 20 years of experience as an Army Officer. Retired as a Lieutenant Colonel.

- Performed in a wide range of medical and logistics leadership positions within the 2nd Armored Division, the 3rd Mechanized Infantry Division, and the 7th Light Infantry Division. Led units with up to 400 assigned soldiers during Cold War deployments to and operations within both Europe and American desert training facilities.
- Served on the staffs of the U. S. Atlantic Command and U.S. Army III Corps including task force deployments to Iceland and afloat service in the Caribbean. Planned, coordinated, and executed the medical aspects of deployments to and operations within Europe, the North Atlantic, the Caribbean, Central America, and the Middle East including the deployment of field hospitals and a hospital ship during Operation Desert Shield-Desert Storm. Planned and managed the medical operation at Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, which provided temporary care for thousands of Haitian migrants who had fled their country but were not eligible for political asylum in the United States.
- Served as the Fort Stewart Installation Medical Supply Officer and as the Director of Materiel Management at Walter Reed Army Medical Center. Led staffs of 20-30 civilian and military inventory managers, quality control technicians, and warehousemen. Managed annual operating budgets, excluding personnel costs, exceeding \$40 million (over \$180 million in 2019 dollars).
- Served as an Assistant Professor at the Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences, teaching graduate-level courses in Medical Field Support and Medical Planning and Operations to military physicians, medical students, and medical intelligence specialists. Directed intensive military medical field exercises.

Four years of experience as the Institution Manager of Commonwealth Challenge, Virginia's residential drop-out recovery program.

- Coordinated academics, counseling, student life, follow-on job and/or educational placement, program marketing, and business management. Developed all program policies and procedures.
- Conducted institutional research to identify trends, assess effectiveness, and document compliance with state laws and accreditation standards.
- Led a staff of over 45 to include teachers, counselors, social workers, and juvenile specialists. Managed annual budgets, excluding personnel costs, of up to \$2.5 million (approximately \$5 million in 2019 dollars).

### AWARDS

Fourteen consecutive Outstanding Annual Performance Awards while serving as the Director of the Marine Corps Research Center

Military decorations including the Legion of Merit, the Defense Meritorious Service Medal, the U.S. Army Meritorious Service Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster, the Joint Meritorious Unit Award with Oak Leaf Cluster, and the Expert Field Medical Badge

Membership in Kappa Delta Pi, the International Education Honor Society

Distinguished Military Graduate award from the Reserve Officers' Training Corps

President's Award from Michigan State University

Eagle Scout, Troop 306, Lockwood School, Webster Groves, Missouri