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Civilian Education:

- Ph.D. Health Policy and Administration (2022 - 2025)
Penn State University, State College, PA
 - Master of Business Administration (MBA) and Master of Health Administration (MHA) (2017-2019)
Baylor University, Waco, TX
 - Bachelor of Humanities with Distinction - American Studies (2006-2010)
Penn State University – Harrisburg, Middletown, PA
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Military Education:

- Command and General Staff College (2019)
Fort Belvoir, Virginia
3.98 GPA, Superior Graduate, top 30% of class
 - Army Medical Department Captain's Career Course (2016)
Fort Sam Houston, TX
Won the Jonathan Letterman History Award for battle analysis paper on Dien Bien Phu
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Work Experience:**Deputy Director for Resource Management**

Fort Belvoir Community Hospital, Fort Belvoir Virginia

Employment Dates: August 2021 – June 2022

Key Responsibilities: Responsible for the program analysis and evaluation and integrated resourcing for a 120-bed military treatment facility in the National Capital Region with an annual operating budget of \$468 million. Evaluated decision and risk on the proper alignment of 1,985 civilian positions at a value of \$219.7 million and \$140 million in personnel service contracts. Served as the chair of the hospital ethics committee.

Chief, Managed Care Division

Fort Belvoir Community Hospital, Fort Belvoir Virginia

Employment Dates: August 2019 – August 2021

Key Responsibilities: Chief of managed care for Fort Belvoir Community Hospital. Supervised the enrollment and Tricare member services office for over 95,000 enrolled beneficiaries in the National Capital Region. Responsible for the business decision support for a military treatment facility with an annual operating budget in excess of \$500 million.

Company Commander

232nd Medical Battalion, 32nd Medical Brigade

Fort Sam Houston, Texas

Employment Dates: June 2015 – May 2017

Key Responsibilities: Company commander of an initial entry training company directly responsible for the health, welfare, military occupational training, and warrior skill training of over 1,000 Combat Medics annually. Responsible for 200 soldier living quarters, associated morale, welfare, and recreation space, and company headquarters area worth over \$1 million in equipment and property.

Special Assistant to the Chief, Medical Service Corps

32nd Medical Brigade

Fort Sam Houston, Texas

Employment Dates: June 2014 – June 2015

Key Responsibilities: Responsible for executing all actions on behalf of the Medical Service Corps Chief to support over 8,000 active duty and reserve component officers in the Medical Service Corps.

Awards:

- Order of Military Medical Merit (O2M3) [membership number 13724]
 - Army Medical Department Iron Major (2022)
 - Defense Meritorious Service Medal
 - Meritorious Service Medal
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Research & Presentations:

- *Mental Health and Readiness in the U.S. Military*. Three paper dissertation in Health Policy and Administration, 2025:
 - Impacts of Inpatient Admission for Suicidal Ideation: Evidence from Random Emergency Department Encounters in the Military Health System
 - Female Gender Homophily in Residential Treatment: Does Peer Experience Influence Outcomes?
 - Exploring Racial and Ethnic Disparities in Major Depressive Disorder and Post Traumatic Stress Disorder in the U.S. Military
- Best Poster: *Female Gender Homophily in Residential Treatment: Does Peer Experience Influence Outcomes?* At the annual Social Science Research Institute's Consortium on Substance Use and Addiction, 2025.
- Poster presentation: *Citizens at the Edge: Defining Communities in CHNAs*, 2024 Marshall Raffel Student Showcase, Penn State University
- Best Research Poster Presentation at the 2018 Medical Center of Excellence (MEDCoE) Graduate School Research and Education Symposium
- Guest Speaker at the 2015 Army Medical Department Reserves Field and Company Grade Officer Leader Development Course. "Army Leadership"