

Curriculum Vitae

Contact Information

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Education

University of North Texas – PhD, Political Science (Expected: Fall 2029)

Angelo State University – MS, Global Security Studies, 2025

Angelo State University – BS, Physics, 2023

Howard College – AS, Pre-Engineering, 2020

Positions at Angelo State University

2025 – Present: Adjunct Instructor, Department of Security Studies and Criminal Justice, Angelo State University, San Angelo, TX.

2024 – 2025: Cybersecurity Analyst at the Regional Security Operations Center, Angelo State University, San Angelo, TX.

Teaching Experience

Adjunct Instructor, Department of Security Studies and Criminal Justice, Angelo State University (Present)

Basic Instructor, United States Marine Corps

Marine Corps Martial Arts Program Instructor, United States Marine Corps

Undergraduate Courses Taught

World Cultures (CUL 2323)

This course introduces students to the importance of culture around the world. It familiarizes students with cultures in different regions, including but not limited to Africa, Asia, Europe, Latin America and the Middle East, and their historical, contextual, and cultural differences. It introduces basic concepts related to culture and illustrates their relevance through case studies on how culture has impacted the world. Among the questions explored are how culture shapes political systems, economic development, internal security, group conflict, and religious influence in each region. By the end of the class the student should have an appreciation of the multi-dimensional character of different global cultures and how they shape overall political, social and economic development.

Professional Organization Memberships

American Historical Association (2024 – Present)

The Marine Corps Association (2015 – Present)

The Society for Military History (2024 – Present)

The Veterans of Foreign Wars of the U.S. (2024 – Present)

Graduate Awards, Honors, and Scholarships

Distinguished Graduate Scholarship (2023 - 2025)

VFW's "Sport Clips Help A Hero Scholarship (2024 - 2025)

Order of the Sword & Shield Honor Society (2024 – Present)

Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society (2024 – Present)

Undergraduate Awards, Honors, and Scholarships

Denis Myasishchev Physics Scholarship (2022 – 2023)

Distinguished Earn-In Scholarship (2022 – 2023)

Spring Semester Dean's List (2022)

Fall Semester Dean's List (2022)

Spring Semester Dean's List (2023)

Society of Physics Students (2021 – 2023)

Select Graduate Papers Written

“Adapting to Peace: The Changing Landscape of Peacekeeping and Its Relevance to U.S. Security”

“An Examination of U.S. Policies Related to Rogue States”

“Analyzing Strands of Security, Peace, and Conflict Studies with a Look at Coercive Globalization”

“Assessing the North Korean Threat: Implications for U.S. National Security and Global Strategy”

“Corporate Cyber Security: A CEO’s Guide to Combating Cyber Attacks”

“The Dragon Goes Nuclear: China’s Path to Becoming a Global Nuclear Power”

“Military, Missiles, and Power: How Communist Ideologies Shaped North Korean Strategies”

“Nuclear Security and Arms Control in Asia: Analyzing the Roles and Challenges Associated within the Various Regions Throughout Asia”

“The Rise of China’s Military: Regional Challenges, Strategic Responses, and Global Consequences”

“Securing the Cyber World and the Environment: Dual Threats to United States Security”

“Stuxnet: Disrupting Iran’s Nuclear Capabilities”

* Will present papers upon request *

Independent Research

Nuclear Security and Arms Control in Asia (2025)

The Rise in China’s Military and Implications for Regional Power Structures (2025)

Relevant Courses in Humanities, Social History, and Security Studies

BOR 6342 – Cybersecurity and Constitutional Issues

BOR 6350 – Cyber Vulnerability

BOR 6351 – Emerging Technologies in Homeland Security

SEC 6302 – Intro Security Studies
SEC 6309 – Grand Strategy & National Security
SEC 6310 – Civil-Military Relations
SEC 6312 – Globalization & International Security
SEC 6315 – Rogue Nations & National Security
SEC 6316 – Peacekeeping & Stability Operations
SEC 6322 – Transnational Issues & National Security
SEC 6324 – Cold War Studies
SEC 6327 – Security Issues in Asia I
SEC 6328 – Security Issues in North Korea
SEC 6344 – Security Issues in Southern USSR
SEC 6391 – Nuclear Security and Arms Control in Asia
SEC 6392 – The Rise in China's Military and Implications for Regional Power Structures

Relevant Courses in Mathematics and Physics

MATH 2413 – Calculus I
MATH 2414 – Calculus II
MATH 3301 – Linear Algebra
MATH 3415 – Calculus III
MATH 3335 – Differential Equations
PHYS 3444 – Digital Electronics
PHYS 3301 – Math Methods Scientists & Engineers
PHYS 3310 – Computational Physics
PHYS 3331 – Mechanics
PHYS 3341 – Electricity and Magnetism
PHYS 3361 – Modern Physics
PHYS 4361 – Nuclear Physics
PHYS 4363 – Quantum Mechanics

PHYS 4391 – Thermodynamics

Military Experience and Special Skills

MCRD San Diego Boot Camp, California

Marine Infantry Training Battalion, Camp Pendleton

Deployment, Middle East

LAAD Gunner Training Battalion, 29 Palms

Low Altitude Air Defense Gunner, Camp Pendleton

Marine Expeditionary Unit / Humanitarian Aid Deployment, Southeast Asia

Military Awards and Accolades

National Defense Service Medal & Ribbon

Global War On Terrorism Service Medal & Ribbon

Inherent Resolve Campaign Medal & Ribbon

Global War On Terrorism Expeditionary Medal & Ribbon

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Marine Corps Good Conduct Medal & Ribbon

Armed Forces Service Medal & Ribbon

Humanitarian Service Medal & Ribbon

Navy Sea Service Deployment Ribbon with one Bronze Star

References

Name: Dr. Bruce Bechtol Jr.

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Name: Dr. William Taylor

Title: Professor / Department Chair / Department of Security Studies and Criminal Justice

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Email: william.taylor@angelo.edu

Name: Mr. Greg Gabehart

Title: Associate Professor / History / Division Director Arts and Sciences

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