

Curriculum Vitae
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Education

California University of Pennsylvania – Doctorate in Criminal Justice
Park University – M.A., National Security Studies
Sul Ross State University – M.S., Criminal Justice
American Military University –M.A., Political Science
American Military University – M.A., History
Excelsior College - B.S., Liberal Studies (History/English)
Excelsior College – A.S., Criminal Justice

Teaching Experience

Adjunct Criminal Justice Professor – Sul Ross State University (Aug 2024 – Pres)
Adjunct Criminal Justice Professor – Texas A&M – International (Aug 2022-Pres)
Adjunct Criminal Justice Professor – Texas A&M Univ - Texarkana (January 2020- Pres)
Adjunct Political Science Professor – Grand Canyon Univ. (April 2021-Pres)
Adjunct Political Science & Criminal Justice Professor – Park Univ. (Jan 2019 – Pres)
Adjunct Criminal Justice Professor & Course Developer – Concordia-Austin (Feb 2013- Pres)
Adjunct Criminal Justice & Government Professor – Central Texas College (Jan 2012 – Dec 2017)

Teaching & Curriculum Development

As a contract and later adjunct faculty member, Dr. Schaefer drafted the BA in Criminal Justice & Criminology program and created fifteen classes currently taught at Concordia University – Austin. Have also created curriculum and teach classes in Criminal Justice and Government with Central Texas College and Park University, in Government at Grand Canyon University, and Homeland Security at Idaho State University. Drafted the professional education plan currently in place for the Texas Department of Public Safety’s Analyst Academy located in the Intelligence & Counterterrorism Division.

Law Enforcement Teaching Experience (TX Department of Public Safety)

Crime & Intelligence Analyst Academy, 2016-2024
Criminal Intelligence Analyst Course, 2019-2024

Law Enforcement Experience (TX Department of Public Safety, 2011-Present)

Dr. Schaefer is currently assigned as a Criminal Intelligence Analyst Supervisor (Intelligence Training Specialist) working for the Intelligence & Counterterrorism Division of the Texas Department of Public Safety. Has taught over 350 Crime Analysts in the subjects of Intelligence, Ethics, Critical Thinking, Criminal Justice, and other professional topics as

part of a 180+ hour Academy for intelligence professionals supporting law enforcement. Previously, as an Analyst Supervisor, scope of responsibility was the collection, analysis, and dissemination of information pertaining to the criminal gang and cartel threats along our border with Mexico that impacts the security of U.S. citizens and law enforcement efforts in particular. was awarded the Employee of the Quarter for the 2nd quarter of 2012 in the Intelligence & Counterterrorism (ICT) Division.

Military Teaching Experience (U.S. Army)

Foreign Vehicles, Weapons, and Tactics 2000-2003

Military Intelligence 1999-2003

Military Experience (Intelligence Analyst/Sergeant, U.S. Army, 1996-2006)

Dr. Schaefer served as an Intelligence Analyst & Intelligence Sergeant in the Army for 10 years and was honorably discharged as a Sergeant First Class (E-7). Assignment highlights include Senior Intelligence Analyst, Counterintelligence & Counterterrorism Team Leader, Battalion Intelligence Section Non-Commissioned Officer in Charge (NCOIC), Targeting Officer, and Foreign Small Arms and Vehicle Instructor.

Military Award Highlights

Bronze Star

Joint Service Commendation Medal

Army Commendation Medal (x2)

Army Achievement Medal (x3)

Global War on Terrorism Service & Expeditionary Medals

Armed Forces Expeditionary & NATO Medals