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Clearance: TS/SCI

Areas of Expertise

Leadership

Government Liaison

Strategic Operations

Contingency Planning

Crisis Planning

Strategic Planning

Team Building

Issue Management

Military Construction

Civil Works

Program Management

Training

Writing & Editing

Annual Reports

Speechwriting and
Spokesperson

Media Interviews

Research

River Transportation

Infrastructure

2004 to present: President & CEO Morrow Group USA, Inc.

CEO of a consulting firm that is designed and staffed to specifically assist clients in strategic business development with the Federal Government through our Government Contracting Coordination Center (GC3).

2002-2004: U.S. Central Command Engineer (COO)

Senior engineer and advisor for General Franks and General Abizaid; responsible for all engineer planning, coordination and reconstruction operations for Operation Iraqi Freedom, including the engineer planning and operations for seizing the Iraqi oilfields; responsible for reconstruction efforts to restore Iraqi electrical power, oil and infrastructure. Managed a \$2 billion dollar annual Military Construction budget with construction projects in 25 countries spanning a geographical area from the former Soviet Union to West Africa.

1999-2002: District Engineer (CEO / COO)

St. Louis District of the United States Army Corps of Engineers. Responsible for civil works construction, operations and management of a 28,000 square mile, two state district. Managed a budget of \$160 million dollars and a workforce of over 900 people. Responsible for a broad spectrum of civil works missions, including the operation and logistics of five locks and dams on the Mississippi and Kaskaskia Rivers, five multi-purpose lakes with flood control structures, one hydro-electrical power plant, and 44,000 miles of regulated waterways.

1997-1999: Battalion Commander (CEO / COO)

4th Cavalry Brigade providing leadership and training for National Guard and Reserve Engineer Battalions from Wisconsin to Puerto Rico. Responsible for all tactical training and readiness, trained units on their annual training period and developed and evaluated combined arms battalion level tactics and maneuvers.

1994-1996: Battalion Commander (CEO / COO)

3ID Mechanized Combat Engineer Battalion providing leadership and training for over 600 people with an annual budget of over \$5 million dollars; responsible for tactical training and readiness, to include maintenance, logistics, and planning and executing worldwide deployments. Deployed armored engineers in support of operations in Somalia, Haiti and Bosnia.

1990-1991: Deep Operations and Task Force Engineer (COO)

TF Engineer during the Gulf War, responsible for all forward target selection, tracking and assessment of air operations in Kuwait and Iraq during the air campaign. Deployed with ground forces for the liberation of Kuwait City; responsible for restoring emergency power and services to the U.S. Embassy and Kuwait; conducted initial reconnaissance of burning oil fields and operational level oversight of oil well firefighting and removal of unexploded ordnance.

Awards & Achievements

Defense Superior Service Medal

Bronze Star Medal
Desert Storm

Silver DeFleury Medal

Order of St George in
Bronze for Armor
Operations

Central Command
Engineer for
Operations
ENDURING
FREEDOM and IRAQI
FREEDOM

Secretary of Defense
Letter of
Commendation

MARC 2000
President's Award

Kaskaskia Riverman
Award

SWIMRCA Strategic
Advisor

Military Career spans 1971-2004 over 32 years

Education

- Central Michigan University, (M.S. in Administration 1985) Michigan
- Columbia College, (B.A. in Business 1980) Columbia, Missouri
- Air War College Graduate, (1996) Alabama
- Command and General Staff, (1984) Kansas

Professional Development

- Government Contract Center Development Dec 2006-Mar 2007
- National Brownfield Association Panel, Aurora, IL April 2006
- Strategic Vision, Mission, Goals Conf June 2005 / March 2006
- Iraqi Reconstruction Energy Conference, CENTCOM, 2003
- Environmental Compliance Directive, Afghanistan, Iraq, 2003
- Presidential updates for CENTCOM CDR Energy and Reconstruction
- Secretary of Defense updates, Energy, Reconstruction, 02-03
- National Web Page on Iraqi Oil, Electricity and Reconstruction
- National Media interviews on Iraqi Reconstruction, Qatar, 2003
- Strategic Forces Beddown, CENTCOM Theatre, 2003
- Strategic Basing Conference 2010, Qatar, 2003
- Strategic Planning Operation Iraqi Freedom, CENTCOM, 02-03
- Afghanistan Engineer Force Laydown, Planning, 2003
- Media training, district representation, IL, MO, 99-02
- Homeland Defense MVD Planning Coordinator, IL, MO, 01-02
- National Waterways / Safety Conferences, 99-02
- Hydro-power, St Louis, MO, 99-02
- Native American Presidential Representative, St. Louis, MO, 99-02
- Federal Equal Opportunity, MD, 1999
- Demolition Munitions Clearing Operations, Kuwait, 1991
- Operational Oversight Kuwaiti Oil Fires, Kuwait, 1991
- Union and Labor Relations, MD, 1999
- Master Tactics Instructor, APG, MD, 1985
- Total Force Integration, KY, 1992
- Combined Arms Staff Course, KS, 1984
- Advanced Officer Engineer School, VA, 1980
- Ranger School, GA, 1977
- Airborne School, GA, 1977
- Atomic Demolitions Munitions, VA, 1977
- Officer Candidate School, GA, 1976

Professional Organizations

- Illinois Governor's Commission Lewis & Clark Bicentennial
- Society of American Military Engineers SAME (Past President 2001)
- Association of the United States Army AUSA
- Military Officers Association of America MOAA
- Army Engineer Association AEA
- Disabled Veterans Association (DVA)
- Illinois Lewis & Clark Foundation
- Southwest Illinois Mississippi River Corridor Association SWIMRCA