

CHRISTOPHER D. HOLOMAN

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SECRET SECURITY CLEARANCE

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Over ten years of experience in Counter Insurgency Operations, analyzing human intelligence information to develop Civil-Military Operations (CMO) to address the root causes of Insurgency. Proven JOINT, MULTI-NATIONAL CORPS, GENERAL, and BRIGADE STAFF experience in active combat environments. I specialize in developing innovative solutions to achieve short- and long-term goals and conducting strategic planning and change management. I have also participated as a CMO SME training monitor at the Joint Center of Excellence, Ft. Irwin, and the Fort Polk JRTC.

CIVILIAN EDUCATION

Long Island University – BA Psychology - 1990

Electronic Theory and Application, CADC, NY- 1997

SUN Microsystems System Engineer, MD - 1998

Tactical Local Area Network Certification, Fayetteville, NC - 2004

Central Michigan State Graduate Program – (Enrolled in the MS Management Program 2010)

CompTIA Security+ Certification – 2011

MILITARY TRAINING

Reserve Officer Training Corps – Commissioned - 1987

Infantry Officer Basic, Ft. Benning, GA – 1990

Military Police Officer Advanced Course, Ft. Lenard Wood, MO - 2004

JFKSWC Civil Affairs Officer Qualification Course, Ft. Bragg NC - 2004

Defense Institute for Security Assistance Management – Security Assistance Management Overseas Course - 2008

Defense Institute for Security Assistance Management – Security Cooperation and Management Course - 2008

DOD Laser Marksmanship Train the Trainer Course - 2009

Department of State – Provincial Reconstruction Team Orientation - 2009

Graduate Command and General Staff College, ILE – 2009

RECENT RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

2011 – Pres. CEO, International Civil Capacity Builders Incorporated

ICCB was incorporated in Maryland to address the need to increase the civil capacity of Nations emerging from the residue of dictatorship, civil war, invasion, and the Cold War. We define civil capacity as democratically elected governments' ability to positively influence their population's welfare. Our goal is to partner with emerging nations' civil and business leaders to create mutually beneficial business relationships by assisting in stabilization operations.

2010 – 2010. DEPARTMENT OF STATE, CIVIL-MILITARY OPERATIONS EXPERT

Established the outline of instructions for the Civil-Military Operation for the Federal Army of the Democratic Republic of the Congo (FARDC). Conducted staff and Civil Affairs team field training operations with the FARDC to provide practical experience and to evaluate the level of comprehension of the principles of civil-military operations. Advised senior DRC Ministry of Defense members on creating a Civil Affairs Brigade. Assisted the US Department of State in improving the FARDCs' understanding of human rights and their relationship with the Congolese civilian population.

2009 – 2010. PROGRAM INTEGRATOR, the JOINT IMPROVISED EXPLOSIVE DEFENSE DEFEAT ORGANIZATION, located at JOINT CENTER OF EXCELLENCE, FT. IRWIN CA

Project management; developing, implementing, and delivering highly sophisticated Counter-Improvised Explosive Device (C-IED) equipment and training programs for the Joint Center Of Excellence; and developing courses of action for leadership to procure various C-IED solutions. Maintaining a professional-level understanding of enemy IED employment and the IED networks that support enemy forces to focus procurement and program management efforts.

It monitored integrating new technology and capabilities into the service training domains to enhance individual, unit, and collective training for deploying units. It has developed integration plans and distribution plans for assigned projects. Develop fielding requirements to support training venues. Establish and track sustainment requirements.

2008 – 2009. SECURITY ASSISTANCE OFFICER, Mauritania

I deployed to Mauritania to support the US EMBASSY as the security assistant officer and EUCOM plans division counter-insurgency advisor. I monitored the END-USE military equipment and training donations to the Mauritanian Military in compliance with United States Laws and Regulations.

2006 – 2008. COMMUNICATIONS OFFICERS - S6, 1ST TRAINING BRIGADE (TO) FT. BRAGG NC

Handpicked to establish NIPRNET, SIPRNET, Video Telephone Communication (VTC), and telephone communications for the 1st Training Brigade's five-building training compound. Prepare statements of requirements and other finance-seeking documentation to address the Brigade's administrative, operational, and technical needs. Coordinated with USACAPOC G8, G6, and G2 to support mobilizing soldiers to conduct Civil-Military Information Management (ASK, CIM & CPOF). Guide Battalion staff sections in network sharing and SharePoint Portal page development.

TRAINING COMPANY COMMANDER

Assigned to change the command climate and reorganize the training Company to conform to a standard operational format. Developed an NCO development program designed to re-engage and empower the training staff.

2005 – 2006. MULTI-NATIONAL CORPS-IRAQ C9, ELECTIONS ACTION OFFICER

Coordinated the national movement, storage, security, and manning of Iraqi voter material and personnel for the Iraqi Voter Registration Update, Constitutional Referendum, and National Elections. Commanded the MNC-I C9 Crises Action Team to mitigate the multiple terrorist attacks on polling sites, UN Officials, and representatives of the Independent Electoral Commission of Iraq. Conducted JOINT Multinational Planning Groups to maintain situational awareness and develop recommendations for corrective actions against Iraqi oil pipelines, electric grid, or transportation system threats.

XVIII AIRBORNE CORPS Historian

Created the XVIII Airborne Corps historical archive to capture the historical significance of the Iraqi Election.

Compiled and shipped election material for archival purposes to the XVIII Airborne Corps to the XVIII ABC Museum and Special Operations and Airborne Museum, Fayetteville, NC.

PLANS OFFICER, 353 CIVIL AFFAIRS BRIGADE (PROV), IRAQ

Conducted a nationwide investigation of all reconstruction and developmental contracts funded by the Commanders Emergency Response Program (CERP) and the Overseas Humanitarian Disaster and Civic Aid Program (OHDACA). Developed a tracking mechanism and database of reconstruction projects for the Multi-National Corps-Iraq (MNC-I). Traveled to every Project Coordination Office (PCO), Joint Coordination Center, Regional Coordination Office, and Gulf Region Development in the CENTCOM AOR and inspected all funding records associated with CERP and OHDACA. Submitted a final report to the XVIII Airborne Corps C9 with recommendations for additional actions.

CIVIL AFFAIRS TRAINING INSTRUCTOR AT THE PHOENIX ACADEMY

Developed the first Primary Outline of Instructions for Civil Affairs, Civil-Military Operations, HUMIT, and COIN operations at the Phoenix Academy, AL Taji, Iraq. Trained over 1,000 US Army and Marine Corps personnel on Civil-Military approaches to counter-terrorism and Middle Eastern cultural sensitivities before deployment as Iraqi military and police trainers.