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Partner in a veteran-founded, professional education design and learning development company; focused on enhancing the soft skills of individuals and teams. Using micro and experiential learning to increase engagement and decrease the loss of key employees and diversion of revenue.

National Defense University Senior Military Advisor, Africa Center for Strategic Studies  
May 2015 - December 2017 (2 years 8 months) Washington D.C. Metro Area

The Africa Center for Strategic Studies supports United States foreign and security policies by strengthening the strategic capacity of African states to identify and resolve security challenges in ways that promote civil-military cooperation, respect for democratic values, and safeguard human rights. The pre-eminent Department of Defense institution for strategic security studies, research, and outreach in Africa. The Africa Center engages African partner states and institutions through rigorous academic and outreach programs that build strategic capacity and foster long-term, collaborative relationships.

The White House Executive Director, Joining Forces May 2014 - April 2015 (1 year)  
Washington, District Of Columbia

White House initiative that seeks to amplify best practices and encourage all Americans to honor military service by contributing to positive outcomes for transitioning service members, survivors, veterans and families through education, wellness and meaningful employment.

US Army Director of Operations, Plans & Simulations August 2011 - May 2014 (2 years 10 months) Fort Sill, Oklahoma

US Africa Command Dep Exec & Aide to the Commander August 2009 - April 2011 (1 year 9 months) Germany, Africa

US Army Battalion Commander May 2007 - July 2009 (2 years 3 months) 10th Mountain Division, NY & Iraq

The White House White House Fellow, Domestic Policy Council 2005 - 2006 (1 year)  
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