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Instructor Certifications and Courses

- Sig Sauer Academy Master Rifle Instructor, Master Pistol Instructor, Pistol Mounted Optics Instructor, and Semi-Automatic Pistol Instructor
- NRA Training Counselor, Chief Range Safety Officer, and Rifle and Pistol Instructor
- Combat Shooting and Tactics (Paul Howe, Army Special Forces), Tactical Pistol/Rifle Instructor
- Rangemaster (Tom Givens) Master Instructor, Advanced Instructor, and Instructor Development Courses
- Texas Department of Public Safety Certified License to Carry Instructor

Firearm and Other Courses

- Blackwater USA 5-Day Rifle (M4) and Pistol (M9) Course
- Green Ops (Mike Green, Army Special Forces) Defensive Carbine 1 & 2, Defensive Pistol 1 & 2, Tactical Pistol/Carbine, and Advanced Covert Carry Courses
- Combat Shooting and Tactics (Paul Howe, Army Special Forces) Advanced Individual Tactics and Extreme Pistol Courses
- Viking Tactics (Kyle Lamb, Army Special Forces) 3-day Carbine Operator and Pistol Nightfighter Courses
- Trident Concepts (Jeff Gonzales, Navy SEAL) Combative Pistol Course
- Greenline Tactical (Don Edwards, Army Special Forces) Night Fighter Night Vision Course
- CTT Solutions (Mike Pannone, Army Special Forces) Shooting On The Move Course
- Tyr Group (John Hurth, Army Special Forces) Rural Pursuit/Tactical Medical, Tactical Tracking, and Small Unit Tactics Courses
- Rangemaster (Tom Givens) Combative Pistol Course
- Ben Stoeger (World IPSC and National USPSA Champion) Basic and Advanced Handgun Courses
- Tactical Response Fighting Pistol, Advanced Fighting Pistol, 40-Hour Way of the Pistol (incl. Low Light, Force-on-Force, and Medical), Fighting Rifle, High Risk Civilian Contractor/Small Unit Tactics, and Immediate Action Medical Courses
- E.A.G. Tactical (Pat Rogers, USMC, NYPD) 3-day Carbine Operators Course
- Magpul Dynamics (Chris Costa, USCG) Pistol/Carbine Course
- Massad Ayoob Group, MAG20 Armed Citizen's Rules of Engagement Course
- Peacemaker National Precision 3-Gun Rifle Course
- KR Training AT-2 Scenarios, AT-1A Low Light Shooting, Low Light Shooting, Defensive Pistol Skills, and Handgun Beyond Basics Courses
- Lone Star Medics (Caleb Causey, Army Combat Medic) Tactical Medical and Dynamic First Aid Courses
- Certified Glock and SIG (P320, P225, P226, P228, P229, P239) Pistol Armorer
- Allen Elishewitz Knife-Fighting Course
- BSR/Xator Security Driving Course

Marksmanship Awards

- Navy Distinguished Marksman
- (2) Silver and (3) Bronze Badges, Navy and National EIC Service Rifle Competitions, (1) Silver, National Matches Palma Match
- NRA Service Rifle Master
- Army Rifle and Pistol Expert, Navy Rifle and Pistol Expert, and Army Grenade Expert

Military Background

- Army and Navy Reservist, 1991-2014 (USAR, Retired, 23 years)
- Navy Combat Cameraman, al Anbar Province, under 2nd Marine Expeditionary Force, Operation Iraqi Freedom 2005
- Army Psychological Operations, Operations Section Leader, 11th Psychological Operations Battalion; Fleet Combat Camera Atlantic, Chief of Navy Information (Pentagon), U.S. Atlantic Command and U.S. Joint Forces Command (Norfolk), and Surface Forces Atlantic (Norfolk)
- Texas State Guard Training Directorate 2018-2020 – Primary Leadership Course author and instructor, Basic Instructor Course Instructor

Civilian Background

- National Rifle Association, Institute for Legislative Action, 1991-2016 (Senior Research Coordinator, Retired)
- Author, Overstreet@TheFederalist.com, [@SWAT Magazine](#), [@American Greatness](#), and [@Townhall](#)