

Professional Experience

- **Chief of Police Blue Ridge Public Safety** – Present
- **Litigation Consultant** – Present
- **Chief of Police Capitol Special Police** – Present
- **Lt. Colonel** – Army Reserve – 6/17 to Present
- **President/CEO Signal 88 Security of Charlotte**
- **President/CEO Capitol Special Patrol**
- **Lt. Colonel** – Army National Guard
- **Antiterrorism/Emergency Management Branch Chief DoD**
- **Task Force Officer FBI Joint Terrorism Task Force**
- **Chief of Police National Geospatial Intelligence Agency**
- **Emergency Response Coordinator Weston Solutions @ Nortel**
- **Chief of Police Dorothea Dix Hospital Police**
- **Manager of External Affairs NC Governor's Highway Safety**
- **Chief of Police Liberty, NC**
- **Chief of Police Norwood, NC**
- **Chief of Police Bladenboro, NC**
- **Deputy Sheriff K-9 Wake County Sheriff's Office**
- **Law Enforcement Specialized Instructor Wake Technical College**
- **Police Officer Special Operations/K9 Cary, NC**
- **Fire Fighter/EMT Sandusky, OH**

Military

- **State Emergency Planning Liaison Officer, North Carolina ARNORTH CMD Present**
- **Detachment Commander 138th MP Det. (TDRC), Ft. Bragg, NC**
- **Detachment Commander 346th MP Det. (DCL), Nashville, TN**
- **Force Protection Officer US Forces Command, Ft. Bragg, NC**
- **Deputy Asst. Adj. General Personnel & Manpower, VA National Guard**
- **Provost Marshal Joint Civil Support Task Force, Joint Chiefs of Staff**
- **Provost Marshal, VA Army National Guard, Joint Forces Headquarters, Sandston, VA**
- **Company Commander, VA Army National Guard, 329th Regional Support Group, Virginia Beach, VA**
- **Executive Officer, VA Army National Guard, Joint Forces Headquarters, Ft. Pickett, VA**
- **Platoon Leader, NC Army National Guard, Jefferson, NC. Active Duty in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom**
- **Host Nation Transportation Officer, NC Army National Guard, Durham, NC**
- **Counter Intelligence Agent, NC Army National Guard, Morrisville, NC**
- **Security Police/Explosive Detection Dog Handler, USAF Ellsworth AFB, SD**

Education

- PhD, Criminal Justice, Walden University, Minneapolis, MN
- Master of Philosophy Criminal Justice, Walden University, Minneapolis, MN 2020
- Master of Science Occupational Safety, East Carolina University, Greenville, NC 2003
- Bachelor of Science Criminal Justice, Mount Olive College, Mt. Olive, NC 1997
- Command and General Staff College, US Army, Fort Leavenworth, KS 2014

Certifications

- Integrate Communications and Tactics, Train the Trainer, Police Executive Research Forum
- Mental Health First Aid, National Council for Behavioral Health
- Crisis Intervention Team, National Alliance of Mental Illness
- Advanced Force Science Specialist, Force Science Institute
- NC Law Enforcement Officer, Advanced Certificate
- NC Criminal Justice Instructor Certification (firearms, physical fitness, hazardous materials & first responder)
- NC Private Protective Services, Armed and Unarmed Guard Instructor
- TASER Instructor
- NC Concealed Handgun Instructor
- VA Private Investigator
- VA Department of Criminal Justice Services Instructor (Special Conservator, Firearms, Armed and Unarmed Guard)
- Physical Security Inspector, Department of Defense
- Certified Homeland Security Specialist III, American College of Forensic Examiners International
- Certified Manager, Institute of Professional Managers
- Command & General Staff - Complex Incident Management IS 400
- Intermediate Emergency Medical Technician
- Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) Instructor, American Heart Association

Affiliations

- Member – NC Crisis Intervention Team Advisory Board
- Member – Meredith College Master's in Criminal Justice Advisory Board
- President – Company Police Association of North Carolina
- Member – Community Policing Board, International Assoc. of Chiefs' of Police
- Chairman – Business, Education and Technical Support Committee, Wake Co. Local Emergency Planning Committee
- Member – Virginia Association of Chiefs of Police
- Member - North Carolina Chiefs of Police Association
- Member – Fraternal Order of Police, Lodge 81
- Member - International Association of Chiefs of Police
- Member – International Law Enforcement Trainers & Educators Association
- Member – International Law Enforcement Firearms Instructor Association
- Member – American Society for Industrial Security
- Member – Professional Investigators and Security Association
- Member – American Legion, Post 187
- Member – Rotary Club, Paul Harris Fellow

Publications

- Taylor, R.G. Summer 1997. "Ethically Correct." *The Journal, The Voice of Law Enforcement* 35-39.
- Taylor, R.G. Mar/Apr 1998. "Creating an Ethical Atmosphere." *Community Policing Consortium* 3-5.
- Taylor, R.G. & Tucker, M. Oct 2015. "Action Always Beats Reaction – Or Does It". *International Law Enforcement Educators and Trainers Association Journal* 7-9.

Awards and Recognitions

- National Community Policing Award, National League of Cities
- Law Enforcement Leadership Award, Mothers Against Drunk Drivers
- Law Enforcement Officer of the year for State of NC, Veterans of Foreign Wars
- Governor's Crime Prevention Award
- Honor Graduate, Basic Law Enforcement Training, NC Justice Academy
- Honor Graduate, Fire Fighter Academy, Ohio Fire Training Academy
- Honor Graduate, Security Police Academy, USAF
- Bronze Star Medal with Valor device, US Army
- Meritorious Service Medal, US Army
- Defense Meritorious Service Medal, US Dept. of Defense

Training

- Integrate Communications and Tactics, Train the Trainer, PERF (2020)
- Combat Veteran's Crisis Intervention Team, National Alliance of Mental Illness (2019)
- Mental Health First Aid, USA, National Council for Behavioral Health (2019)
- CIT International Training Conference (2019)
- Crisis Intervention Team, National Alliance of Mental Illness (2019)
- 1911 Armorers Course, Springfield Armory (2019)
- International Assoc. of Law Enforcement Firearms Regional Trng Conference (2019)
- 2018 NC General Instructor Update: Instructional Leadership, NC Justice Academy
- International Assoc. of Law Enforcement Firearms Regional Trng Conference (2018)
- Body Worn Cameras and other recordings used in law enforcement, Force Science Institute (2018)
- Principals of Training, Learning, and Performance, Force Science Institute (2018)
- Communication Skills with Persons in Crisis – De-escalation Techniques, NCJA (2018)
- Mass Fatalities Planning & Response, FEMA (2017)
- Advanced Specialist Behavior Analysis in Force Encounters, Force Science Institute (2017)
- Force Science Certification, Force Science Institute (2016)
- Firearms Instructor Conference, Int. Assoc. of LE Firearms Instructors (2015)
- Incident Command and Emergency Operations Center Interface, VDEM (2013)
- Predictive Analysis, VA State Police (2013)
- IS 400 General & Command Staff Complex Incident Management, FEMA (2013)
- Defense Support of Civil Authorities, Joint Doctrine Command (2013)
- IS 800 National Response Framework, FEMA (2012)
- IS 700 National Incident Management System, FEMA (2012)
- Basic Army Instructor, Regional Training Institute (2012)
- Bomb-Making Materials Awareness Program, DHS, (2011)
- Antiterrorism Officer Course (recertification), US Army Military Police School (2011)
- IS 100 Introduction to Incident Command, FEMA (2011)
- Taser Instructor recertification, Taser International (2011)
- Counterterrorism Course, FBI, Charlottesville, VA (2010)
- Outlaw Motorcycle Gang & Juggalo awareness, VA Gang Association (2010)
- Counterfeit Goods, VA Attorney General's Office (2009)
- Special Agent Course, VA State Police (2008)
- Operations Security Officer Course, HQ Dept. of Army, Ft. Belvoir, VA (2008)
- Advanced Criminal Intelligence Analysis to Prevent Terrorism, DHS (2008)

- Incident Response to Terrorist Bombings, New Mexico Tech. (2008)
- Survival Awareness In-Service, FBI Academy, Quantico, VA (2007)
- Strategic Islamic Source Development, FBI Professional Development Unit (2007)
- Counterintelligence Asset Development and Validation, FBI (2007)
- Security Engineering Training, US Army Corps of Engineers, Ft. Belvoir (2007)
- Physical Security Inspector, National Guard Bureau, Professional Ed Ctr. AR (2007)
- Anti-terrorism Officer Advanced Course, US Army MP School, Ft. Leonard Wood (2007)
- Anti-terrorism Officer Basic Course, US Army MP School, Ft. Leonard Wood (2007)
- Federal Law Enforcement Manager Training Program, FLETC Glynco, GA (2006)
- Police Law Institute, Durham Technical College (2005)
- Instructor Training Update, NC Justice Academy (2005)
- Taser Instructor Training, Taser International (2005)
- In-Service Training Coordinator, NC Justice Academy (2005)
- Advanced Firearms Training, Wake Technical Community College (2003)
- Emergency Response to Terrorism, Incident Mngmnt, National Fire Academy (2001)
- Tactical Pistol II, Blackwater Training Center (2001)
- Hazardous Materials Emergency Operations, Environmental Resource Center (2000)
- Specialized Physical Fitness Training Update, NC Justice Academy (2000)
- Explosive and Hazardous Material Instructor Update, Wilson Community College (2000)
- Patrol Techniques Update, Wake Technical Community College (2000)
- Regional Firearms Training Conference, International Assoc of Law Enforcement Firearms Instructors (2000)
- Criminal Intelligence Analysis Techniques, Wake Technical Community College (1999)
- Alcohol Screening Tests Device, NC Dept of Health & Human Services (1999)
- Juvenile Sex Offenders, NC Prof Society on the Abuse of Children (1999)
- Drug, Alcohol & Impaired Driving Training, Intl Assoc. of Chiefs of Police (1998)
- Executive Seminar, Natl Assoc. of Governors' Highway Safety Representatives (1998)
- NHTSA Safe Communities, U.S. Dept of Transportation (1998)
- Community Policing Instructor, US Department of Justice (1997)
- NC Law Enforcement Specialized Firearms Instructor Certification (1997)
- Internal Affairs Training, Law Enforcement Training Ctr Western Piedmont College (1997)
- Firearms Recertification Long Gun, Randolph Community College (1997)
- Glock Armorer's Course, Wake Co. Sheriff's Dept. (1997)
- NCJA Officer Survival Instructor Certification (1997)
- Counter Drug Investigation, US Army Military Police School (1995)
- Orientation for Law Enforcement Administrators (1995)
- Search Warrant Training, NC Justice Academy (1995)
- Police Cyclist Course, Robeson Community College (1995)
- High Risk Dynamic Entry Tactics, South Eastern Community College (1995)
- High Risk Apprehensions, South Eastern Community College (1995)
- Hostage Rescue Pistol Training, Singleton International (1995)
- Law Enforcement Executive Management Program, NC Institute of Government (1995)
- Computer Networking, Law Enforcement Executive Program (1995)
- NC Law Enforcement Specialized Physical Fitness Instructor (1994)
- PPCT Defensive Tactics Instructor Training, Robeson Community College (1994)
- PPCT Defensive Tactics, Bladen Community College (1994)
- Community Oriented Policing Training, US Dept. of Justice (1994)
- O.C. Pepper Spray Instructor, Bladen Community College (1994)
- First-Line Supervision, Wake Technical Community College (1993)
- Courtroom Security, NC Justice Academy (1993)
- NC Limited Lecturer Certification, First Aid, CPR, & Medical Care in the Jail (1993)
- Defensive Tactics, Wake Technical Community College (1992)
- ASP Baton/Tactical Flashlight, Wake Technical Community College (1992)

- Officer Survival, Wake Technical Community College (1992)
- Civil Process and Supplemental Custody Procedures, Wake Co. Sheriff's Office (1991)
- Field Training Officer, NC Justice Academy (1990)
- NC Specialized First Responder Instructor (1990)
- Law Enforcement Instructor Training, NC Justice Academy (1990)
- Defensive and Precision Driving, NC Highway Patrol (1990)
- Patrol/Narcotics Canine Training, Triad K9 (1988)
- Computerized Speed Detection-Radar, Wake Technical Community College (1987)
- Drug Investigation, Wilson County Technical College (1987)
- Basic Criminal Investigation, Wilson County Technical College (1987)
- Basic Law Enforcement Officer Training, NC Justice Academy (1986) Honor Graduate
- Ohio Peace Officer Training, Cleveland Metro Parks Ranger Academy (1984)
- Ohio Advanced Emergency Medical Technician (1982)
- National Registered Emergency Medical Technician - Intermediate (1981)
- Patrol Dog Explosive Detection Course, US Air Force (1980)
- Patrol Dog Handler Course, US Air Force (1980)
- Law Enforcement Specialist Course (1979)