Preparing Homeland Security/Defense
Professionals for the Future:
National Security Studies at NJCU

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Background – New Jersey City University

- Public, State, mid-sized, urban northeastern university
- Serves minority population (68% of student body)
  - Hispanic-Serving Institution (HSI)
  - Minority Institution (MI)
- About 8,200 graduate and undergraduate students
- Technology infused
Professional Security Studies Department

- Offer BS and MS degrees in Professional Security with concentrations in:
  - National Security
  - Corporate Security
  - Information Assurance / Cyber Security
- Over 200 majors – approaching 1,000 enrollments per year
- Three full-time faculty; 20 adjunct professors; and growing . . .
- NSA certifications for standards 4011 (INFOSEC) and 4014 E (ISSO’s)
  – National Center of Academic Excellence for Information Assurance Education (2009-2014)
- Member of HSDECA
- NPS Partner and Affiliate University
- Member AFIO
- DANTES MOU
- ASIS Recognized
Dr. Tsung Y. (Bill) Soo Hoo
Department Chair, Professional Security Studies
Department, NJCU

Credentials -

31 years with the FBI; 35+ years concurrently with National Security

- Seton Hall University, Ph.D.
- Seton Hall University, MA
- FBI National Academy
- United States National Intelligence Medal of Achievement (United States Legion of Merit equivalent)
Dr. John W. Collins, Jr., CPP

Graduate Program Coordinator for MS in Professional Security Studies, NJCU

*Credentials* - 23 years active duty with the *US Army*; 30+ years concurrently with *Cyber Security*

- Seton Hall University, Ed.D.
- University of Oklahoma, MPA
- US Air War College, National Defense and Security Studies
- US Army Command and General Staff College
- US Army Logistics Executive Development
- US Army Officer Candidate School - Hall of Fame (inducted in 2006 - National Infantry Museum: Certificate #38-06)
- United States Legion of Merit
- Certified Protection Professional (CPP)
Dr. Michael Krantz, CPP
Faculty, Professional Security Studies
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Credentials -

10 years with local and county law enforcement; 20+ years concurrently with Corporate Security

• Seton Hall University, Ph.D.
• Seton Hall University, MA
• N.J. Division of Criminal Justice: Police Training Commission
• New Jersey Combat Cross
• New Jersey Honor Legion
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Credentials -

22 years with local, county, and state law enforcement

- New Jersey City University, MS
- Rutgers University, BS
- N.J. Division of Criminal Justice: Police Training Commission
- New Jersey Honor Legion
- State of New Jersey CISM
- Certification Board of NJ, Certified Criminal Justice Professional (CCJP)
Benefits of Membership With the Homeland Security And Defense Education Consortium Association (HSDECA)

- Networking
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- Accreditation
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Other Partnerships And Affiliations

- University and Agency Partnership Initiative with the Naval Postgraduate School
- Academic listing with the American Society for Industrial Security (ASIS) – International
- Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with the Defense Activity for Non-Traditional Education Support (DANTES)
- Silver status sponsor for Association of Former Intelligence Officers
- Academic Partners with the Department of Defense (DoD) Information Assurance Scholarship Program (DoD – IASP) through a MOU with the National Defense University and iCollege
- MOU with the Intelligence (G-2) of the United States Coast Guard
Attaining National Recognition Through Various National Centers Of Academic Excellence –

- Designated a National Center of Academic Excellence in Information Assurance (Cyber Security) Education by the National Security Agency and Department of Homeland Security for the period of 2009-2014 (renewable)
- Working with the Office of the Director of National Intelligence toward a 2011 application as a National Center of Academic Excellence in Intelligence; NJCU’s curriculum was recently recognized as a potential National model
- Alignment with the Department of Homeland Security’s newest CAE in Visual Analytics for Command, Control and Interoperability Environments (VACCINE). Includes partnership with corporate partner, SM – International and Dassault Systemes
Sharing A Well-Established Curriculum To Create Model Program For Others To Emulate

- National Security (including Homeland Security/Defense and Intelligence)
- Corporate Security
- Information Assurance/Cyber Security
- Update on Infusing GIS Across the Curriculum: Professional Security Studies at NJCU, that was presented at the 2nd Annual Homeland Defense and Security Education Summit.
Creation of An Executive Doctor of Professional Studies (DPS) in Professional Security Studies

- National Security
- Corporate Security
- Information Assurance / Cyber Security
- Three year program
- Delivered in summers and selected weekends with on-line integration
- Learning Team Concept of 30-35 security professionals per year
- Core – 30 shrs
- Dissertation – 18 shrs
- Applied Research focus – Scholar-Practitioner creation
- Planned to start July 2011
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