

NOEL G. WHELAN M.A.
Master of Arts Degree in Terrorism & Security

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Personal Profile:

- Strong public speaking and lecturing skills
- Skilled leader and manager with excellent communication skills
- Enthusiastic, passionate, creative and highly motivated and organised
- Extensive experience and knowledge in national/international security and anti/counter terrorism including the following areas:
 - Armed robbery prevention
 - Aviation terrorism and world security, post 9-11
 - Threat assessments, capabilities, credibility, and intentions of criminal organisations and individuals
 - Threat analysis and risk resolution
 - Terrorism and counter measures for maritime and aviation sectors
 - Anti/counter terrorist lectures and practical training to armed forces, police and security industry
 - Preventing terrorism and mass casualties
 - Improvised explosive devices search and recognition
 - Prevention of violence in the workplace
- Professional article writing skills and experienced at building online training and educational platforms

Work Experience:

Apr 2013 – Dec 2014

Employer: Anti & Counter Terrorism Training Specialists Ltd (IACTTS), Dublin, Ireland

Position: Director of Training & Communications

- I have developed a Level 4 Online Diploma in Anti & Counter Terrorism Studies (endorsed by HABC, UK)

Jun 2012 – Apr 2013

Employer: Self-Employed at GreyKnight Security, Dublin, Ireland

Position: Security Advisor

- Teaching Defence, International Anti/Counter Terrorism, Counter Insurgency
- Security risk assessment and asset protection advice

Apr 2011 – May 2012

Employer: Genesis Media, Dublin, Ireland

Position: General Manager, Consultant, Writer

- Managing day-to-day operations, public relations representative and column writer

2007 – Mar 2011

Employer: Self-Employed

Position: Specialist in Security, Defense, Anti/Counter Terrorism

- Lecturer on Anti/Counter Terrorism and Security subjects
- Training various government specialist units and corporate security structures in the USA, Europe, Asia and Africa

2002 – 2007

Employer: Park Lane College, Leeds, UK

Position: Programme Manager and Lecturer on Risk Management

- Academic development and vocational training at all levels in subjects such as Business Management focusing on risk management and security, international terrorism, fundamentalist and Middle Eastern extremist movements, anti-terrorist studies, leadership, tactical and strategic studies.
- Training / Lecturing on “Improvised Explosive Devices Search and Recognition” to members of the US Army, Port of Beaumont, Texas, USA
- Training / Lecturing on “Terrorism and State Responses” to police, military and government officials at the Centre for Homeland Security, Lamar Institute of Technology, Beaumont, Texas, USA
- Training / Lecturing on “Insurgency/Counter Insurgency: Technical, Tactical and Strategic Analysis” to students at the Centre for Homeland Security, Lamar Institute of Technology, Beaumont, Texas, USA

2000 – 2002

Employer: Powerex Training Services Leeds, UK

Position: Director of Training

- Delivering and developing courses in Security Management and Health & Safety

1997 – 2000

Employer: International Bodyguard Association

Position: Specialist Security Advisor

- Teaching Close Protection skills and Anti-Terrorism techniques, tactics and strategies to Government and private structures in Russia, Poland, Central Asia, USA
- Training government and corporate security personnel in Quito, Ecuador and San Juan, Puerto Rico in improvised explosive devices search and recognition, communications and electronic counter surveillance, protective driving skills, close quarter defence, fire arms, protective escort formations

1990 – 1997

Employer: Irish Defense Forces

Position: Army Permanent Service

- Infantry soldier, armed cash escorts, explosives security and other military functions on behalf of the Irish State

Education:

2006-2007 Master of Arts Degree in Terrorism and Security, University of Leeds, UK.
I studied Terrorism and Security, Conflict, Complex Emergencies and Global Governance, Contemporary Politics of the Middle East, Arab Nationalism, Pan-Arabism and Statism, Fundamentalism and Radicalism, The Role of the Military in Middle Eastern Politics, Republican Regimes-Class and Ideology, Gulf Security and the Rentier State, European Defence and Security Analysis.

2004-2006 Foundation Studies in War and Security, University of Hull, UK

1997-1998 Adults Teaching Adults Certificate, University College Dublin, Ireland

Courses:

2014-2015 Level 5 Diploma in Workplace Safety & Health (online through alison.com)

2014-2015 Diploma in Six Sigma: Statistical Process Controls (online through alison.com)

2001 Diploma in Occupational Health & Safety, Neboosh National Examinational Board, UK

1997 Full driving license cat. B

Languages:

English – first language

Spanish - basic

References:

1. Chief James P. Doane, former Director of Homeland Security and Criminal Justice Programs, Lamar Institute of Technology, Beaumont, Texas, USA, chief.doane45@gmail.com
2. Stephen G. Bailey, Senior Consultant at IK9 Consulting, Pontefract, UK, gbsec@aol.com
3. Edward Lam, Managing Director at InTallaght Magazine, Dublin, Ireland, 00353870572470