

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE EIGHTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT,  
IN AND FOR BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA

THE COURIER-JOURNAL, INC., d/b/a;  
FLORIDA TODAY newspaper,

Plaintiff,

vs.

CASE 05-2020-CA-034489-XXXX-XX

WAYNE IVEY, SHERIFF OF BREVARD  
COUNTY, in his official capacity.

Defendant.

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**MOTION TO RELEASE THE GREGORY EDWARDS JAIL VIDEO  
TO FLORIDA TODAY'S COUNSEL AND EXPERT**

COMES NOW THE COURIER-JOURNAL, INC., d/b/a; FLORIDA TODAY newspaper, by and through undersigned counsel, and hereby moves this Court for an order releasing the video of Gregory Edwards at the Brevard County Jail on December 9, 2018 in its original format to FLORIDA TODAY'S counsel and expert subject to a protective order that prohibits dissemination directly to the Plaintiff, the public or any other persons. In furtherance thereof, FLORIDA TODAY would state and assert:

1. At the beginning of this case, FLORIDA TODAY stipulated that it was appropriate for the Court to conduct an in-camera review of the video at issue for the purpose of evaluating SHERIFF WAYNE IVEY'S claim that he is exempt from disclosure because the video reveals security features.
2. However, beyond whether the video reveals security features, FLORIDA TODAY has alleged that the SHERIFF has previously diminished the need to protect security features

at the Brevard County Jail because he has released social media videos and allowed the filming of television shows in the jail booking area.

3. As the Court has recognized, Chapter 119 does not override the Florida Rules of Civil Procedure which apply in every other civil trial.
4. Further, notions of fair trial and procedural due process warrant that FLORIDA TODAY must be able to evaluate the original Gregory Edwards video to determine the extent that revealing security features may be harmful. *See United States v. Nixon*, 418 U.S. 693, 713, 94 S. Ct. 3090, 41 L. Ed. 2d 1039 (1974) (releasing in-camera records is appropriate when a generalized interest in confidentiality must yield to the demands of due process and fair administration of law).
  - a. FLORIDA TODAY has engaged Roy Bedard, Ph.D., an expert in police, corrections and security policies and practices in a variety of use of force encounters, to evaluate issues that remain unanswered by the investigations and the security risk, if any, posed by release of the video. A full evaluation by Mr. Bedard would necessarily include a comparison of the Gregory Edwards video with booking area footage previously released by the SHERIFF. Additionally, Mr. Bedard can speak authoritatively to the extent that security features seen on the Gregory Edwards video are already generally known or, conversely, the degree to which the video may alert non-law enforcement to the SHERIFF's security measures, and what redactions, if any, are necessary to address security concern.
  - b. Further, the SHERIFF has designated witnesses as experts on the subject of security and the jail's surveillance system. Without inspection, FLORIDA TODAY cannot adequately depose or cross-examine such witnesses and anticipates a motion in

limine to bar testimony regarding the security measures revealed by the video. Unless inspected, FLORIDA TODAY's counsel and expert are unable to counter the blanket assertion that the video poses a security risk. Challenging the SHERIFF's claims is essential to assist the Court in weighing the SHERIFF's interests versus the public's interests in overseeing how law enforcement is performing its mission. *See United States Dep't of the Treasury v. Pension Benefit Guar. Corp.*, 351 F. Supp. 3d 140 (2018) (government claims of confidentiality must be construed narrowly and, in a civil context, must yield when the public interest protected by the seeking party outweighs that of the claimant.)

5. Roy Bedard's attached affidavit asserts that viewing the original video is essential to his analysis, which is vital to fully and fairly litigate FLORIDA TODAY's claim that good cause outweighs any security concern. In an adversarial context, a trial court's judgment as to the utility of material for impeachment or other legitimate purposes, however conscientiously made, is not always sufficient. *See Alderman v. United States*, 394 U.S. 165, 182-94, 22 L.Ed. 2d 176, 89 S. Ct. 961 (1969). When in-camera review precludes a party from presenting a full and fair case, any ruling against disclosure must give way to the party's constitutional rights. *See Traffanstead v. State*, 290 So. 3d 985 (Fla. 1st DCA 2019).
6. A protective order allowing limited release to counsel and an expert is the appropriate mechanism to protect a party's right to challenge the weight of otherwise confidential records. *See Antico v. Sindt Trucking, Inc.* 148 So. 3d 163 (Fla. 1<sup>st</sup> DCA 2014) (allowing confidential evaluation by cell phone expert); *Wallace v. Comprehensive Pers. Care*

*Services*, 275 So. 3d 782, 783 (Fla. 3d DCA 2019) (allowing release of neurological records to opposing counsel and expert.)

7. Plaintiff is willing to abide by a protective order similar to that imposed in *Wallace, supra*, that orders that the original video shall only be received by attorneys of record for FLORIDA TODAY and that the attorneys may share not share the video with any other persons, including Plaintiff, except for expert, Ray Bedard.

### CONCLUSION

WHEREFORE, FLORIDA TODAY respectfully moves this Court for an order releasing the video of Gregory Edwards at the Brevard County Jail on December 9, 2018 in its original format to FLORIDA TODAY's counsel and expert subject to the protective orders suggested herein. Due to the press of litigation, FLORIDA TODAY requests that the SHERIFF be required to produce the original video within 48 hours of the Court's order.

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d/b/a FLORIDA TODAY

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

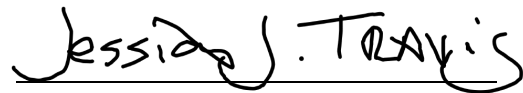
I HEREBY CERTIFY that on September 30, 2020 the foregoing document was filed through the e-filing portal which served via email a copy of the foregoing upon:

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ATTACHMENTS TO

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**DECLARATION OF ROY BEDARD, PH.D**  
**& CURRICULAM VITAE OF ROY BEDARD, PH.D**

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AFFIDAVIT OF ROY R. BEDARD

State of FLORIDA  
County of SEMINOLE

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, personally appeared Roy R. Bedard, who, being first duly sworn, deposes and says that:

1. My name is Roy R. Bedard
2. I am over the age of 18 and I am competent to swear to matters stated herein.
3. I have been retained by Plaintiff the Courier Journal Inc., d/b/a; Florida Today as an expert of correctional and police practices and procedures, use of force, and security standards.
4. My experience, education and training are submitted in my curriculum vitae as an appendix to this affidavit.

## Opinions

5. On December 9, 2018 Gregory Edwards suffered a psychotic break. He was arrested and brought to the Brevard County Jail where he was charged with multiple criminal violations by members of the West Melbourne Police Department.
6. Mr. Edwards died while in custody.
7. The detention, confinement, use of force and post incident procedures applied to Mr. Edwards have reportedly been captured by Brevard County Sheriff's Office (BCSO) jail cameras.
8. The Plaintiff has pressed the jail for the release of videos that detail the handling of Mr. Edwards while at the Brevard County Jail and this request has been denied. The Sheriff of Brevard County asserts that revealing the video(s) will compromise the jail's security system.
9. The only police investigations conducted into the matter have been conducted by the BCSO Criminal Investigative Services and BCSO Administrative Services division. It is noted that the State Attorney's Office and the Florida Department of Law Enforcement reviewed the BCSO investigations.
10. I have been retained to conduct an independent examination of the available evidence in this case including the unresolved questions in the police investigations and the Sheriff's security concerns.
11. Before I can properly analyze the issues involved in this case, I must first be able to review the video(s) to, in part, establish if there are security risks presented by the video(s) that cannot be reasonably overcome.



FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NOT.

Signature: 

\_\_\_\_\_ Print Name: Roy R. Bedard,

Ph.D.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 30th day of September 2020, by Roy R. Bedard who is personally known to me.

NOTARY SEAL:



  
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Notary Public - State of Florida

Personally known  or produced identification \_\_\_\_\_  
Type of identification \_\_\_\_\_

## APPENDIX I – Bedard CV

### *SUMMARY OF HISTORY AND QUALIFICATIONS*

**Roy Bedard, Ph.D.** is a law enforcement officer, educator, author, consultant, licensed private investigator and administrator of RRB Systems, International, Inc. Bedard has achieved national and international notoriety in law enforcement, corrections, security and military circles as the creator and developer of unique police and corrections defensive products and comprehensive defense training programs. Bedard travels extensively to share his expertise with various occupational and educational communities. His training programs continue to meet the changing demands of the industry and his innovative and progressive training style is notable and sought in many countries throughout the world.

Bedard began his defensive skills training in 1979 in Okinawan Uechi-Ryu Karate and Kodokan Judo. He is experienced in Aikido, freestyle wrestling and various forms of combat jujutsu. In 1984, Bedard earned a spot on the United States Karate Team (USAKF) and competed internationally for over a decade. He was a top seeded competitor in the US Men's heavyweight division from 1984-1999 and held second seed in the nation for three years in a row. He has traveled and competed around the world. He is a seventh-degree black belt in karate (rokudan) and holds the respected title of *Shihan* (master teacher).

Bedard holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Criminology, a Master of Science degree in Educational Psychology and a Ph.D. in Educational Psychology from the Florida State University. His area of study is decision making, perceptual-cognitive skills and human performance under stress.

In 1986, Bedard began his law enforcement career. He served as a police officer in the City of Tallahassee until 1996. He retired from the Tallahassee Police Department in 2015. He is presently an administrative reserve officer with the Tallahassee Community College Police Department. His training programs, are a pragmatic blend of vocational application and academic theory and continue to be implemented for departmental use in the field. He continues to teach basic, advanced and specialized courses in police departments, corrections institutes and training academies throughout the world. Bedard writes policy for police agencies and has developed training curriculum for the largest private security provider in N. America.

He has worked as a private consultant and expert witness providing research and case preparation for police, corrections and private security. He consults to members of the community in self-defense techniques and applicable laws. Well versed in civil liability, Bedard makes use of this experience for the continued development of quality, defensible training programs.



Bedard has influenced training practices in many departments in the United States, Europe, Canada, Latin America the Caribbean and Asia. He continues to research new technology and new training methods to further develop the criminal justice field. His open-minded training method has earned him respect among his peers both within and outside of the law enforcement community.

Bedard is regularly sourced by television, radio and print news industries for expert advice, insight and consultation on media events involving police and corrections. His comments have appeared on ABC news, CBS news, NBC news, USA TODAY, AL JAZEERA AMERICA, UNIVISION, COURT TV dozens of websites, and a variety of magazines and periodicals. Bedard serves as a technical consultant to the television industry and has co-produced several network police television shows.

## ***EDUCATION***

### **FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY**

- Ph.D., *Educational Psychology*
  - *Major: Sport, Exercise and Performance*
- M.Sc. *Educational Psychology*
- B. Sc. *Degree – Criminology & Criminal Justice*
- A.A. *Degree - Political Science*

### **LIVELY LAW ENFORCEMENT ACADEMY**

- *State of Florida Law Enforcement Standards 12/86*
- *CJSTC Use of Force and Defensive Tactics Instructor*
- *CJSTC General Topics Instructor*
- *CJSTC Firearms Instructor*
- *Advanced Injury and Death Investigations*
- *Field Training Officer Certification*
- *Advanced Narcotics Identification and Investigation*
- *Advanced Weaponcraft – ROGERS*
- *FCIC Basic Telecommunications*
- *Enhanced Vascular Neck Restraints*
- *Inked Fingerprint Techniques – FDLE*
- *Interviews and Interrogations –IPTM*

- *Human Diversity for Instructors*
- *Human Interaction*
- *Juvenile Sex Offender Investigations*
- *Domestic Violence Investigations*
- *Physical Fitness Specialist – COOPER*
- *Basic Auto Theft Investigations*

### **FLORIDA CRIMINAL JUSTICE EXECUTIVE INSTITUTE**

- *Elder Abuse Investigation*
- *Curriculum Maintenance System (CMS) Instructional Design System*

### **EXPERIENCE**

#### **1996 – Present RRB SYSTEMS INTERNATIONAL**

*Tallahassee, Florida* - President and CEO; administration, product research and development, marketing, expert witness services, security consultation, client relations, technical consultation.

#### **1996- Present The MOON and Scott Carswell Presents, LLC**

*Tallahassee, FL* – Director of Security for the MOON nightclub and entertainment center; also Cascades Park Special Events in partnership with the City of Tallahassee and Leon County.

#### **2007 -2015 PROTECTORS, LLC**

*Tallahassee, FL* – Vice President; Program Development, fitness and wellness training for first responders, police, corrections, fire, EMS

#### **2006- 2008 CONSULTING SOLUTIONS INTERNATIONAL**

*Tallahassee, Florida* – Vice President; Project Manager; developed English & NCLEX training institutes for nurse candidates in Cochin, Kerala, India.

#### **2005 – 2015. LAZARUS MINING, LLC**

*Tallahassee, FL, Antioquia, Colombia* –Director of Security Security of Mining Operations on the Nechi River Basin.

#### **2019 – Present TALLAHASSEE COMMUNITY COLLEGE POLICE DEPARTMENT**

*Tallahassee, Florida* – police officer in reserve



- 1990 – 2015 TALLAHASSEE POLICE DEPARTMENT**  
*Tallahassee, Florida – patrol officer, field- training officer, reserve officer*
- 1987- 1990 FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY POLICE DEPARTMENT**  
*Tallahassee, Florida - patrol officer, field-training officer*
- 1987-Present TALLAHASSEE COMMUNITY COLLEGE**  
**Florida Public Safety Institute**  
*Quincy, Florida - Adjunct instructor*
- 1996-1999 LAW OFFICE of JAMES D. WHITE J.D.**  
*Tallahassee, FL – Consultant for law enforcement and private security*
- 1981- 2005 FLORIDA INSTITUTE OF MARTIAL ARTS, INC**  
*Palm Beach/Tallahassee, Florida - Vice President and Director of the Tallahassee based institute. Chief Instructor for Uechi-Ryu Karate*
- 7th Degree Black belt/ Okinawan Uechi Ryu Karate – International Uechi-Ryu Karate Federation
  - Shihan; Titled Rank/ Okinawan Uechi-Ryu Karate
  - 5th Degree Black belt/ Washindo Ju Jitsu
  - Certified 5th Degree black belt of World Karate Federation (WKF)

### ***ACHIEVEMENTS AND TITLES***

**2019 Subject Matter Expert in Traffic Stops, DUI, Traffic Crashes (FDLE)**  
Subject Matter Expert in Traffic Stops, DUI, Traffic Crashes – *Assigned to reviewing and updating State Traffic Training Curriculum.*

**2014 Subject Matter Expert in Instructor Techniques (FDLE)**  
Subject Matter Expert in Instructor Techniques – *Assigned to reviewing and updating State General Instructor Training Curriculum.*

**2013 Subject Matter Expert in Defensive Tactics (FDLE)**  
Subject Matter Expert in Defensive Tactics – *Assigned to reviewing and updating State Defensive Tactics Curriculum and State Instructor Defensive Tactics Curriculum*

**2011 Designation of Shihan; Uechi Ryu Karate**  
Master title endowed by the International Uechi Ryu Karate federation (IUKF)

**2009 Florida High Liability Instructors Conference Organizer (FPSI)**

**2006-2009 Subject Matter Expert in Defensive Tactics (FDLE)**  
Subject Matter Expert in Defensive Tactics – *Assigned to drafting State Defensive Tactics Curriculum and State Instructor Curriculum (CMSII)*

**2005-2008 US Dept. of Homeland Security** - Subject Matter Expert

**2004 Training Advisory Board** – Policeone.com

**2002 Jacksonville Chamber of Commerce** – Small Business Exporter of the Year

**2000 Director of Florida** - International Uechi-Ryu Karate Federation (IUKF)

**1999-2003 Florida Department of Law Enforcement (FDLE)** Subject Matter Expert in Defensive Tactics – *Assigned to drafting State Defensive Tactics Curriculum and State Instructor Curriculum (CMS)*

**1996 Committee of Ninety-nine** - Candidate for Leon County Law Enforcement Officer of the Year

**1995 Tallahassee Police Department** - Meritorious Service Award: - *Disabling and apprehension of a homicidal assault suspect*

**1994 Tallahassee Police Department** - Honorable Mention Award - *Apprehension of Armed Robbery Suspects*

**1994 US Patent Office-** Inventor Rapid Rotation Baton: *U.S. Patent # 5,295,687*

**1994** Who's Who in the South and Southwest

**1994** Who's Who of American Inventors

**1992-Present City of Tallahassee Sports Council** - Chairman of Sport Karate

**1991-2005 American Society of Law Enforcement Trainers (ASLET)** - *Member*

**1990-1995 United States Karate Federation**  
Zone Director for North Florida

**1988 Big Bend Law Enforcement Association** Award for Heroism



*US/INTERNATIONAL INSTRUCTION,  
CONSULTATION AND PRESENTATION*

- **2020 International Law Enforcement Educators and Trainers Association**  
online interview  
Decision Making for Law Enforcement Officers: Can Brain training improve decision making?
- **2020 Mainstreet Florida**  
US Department of State: Tallahassee, FL  
Security Briefing: Downtown events
- **2019 Dubai Police Department**  
Dubai, United Arab Emirates: Non-Lethal Technologies for law enforcement  
Presenter
- **2019 Bloomington Police Department**  
Bloomington, MN: Vascular Neck Restraints Instructor Update  
Course Presenter
- **2019 Florida Council on Crime and Delinquency**  
Miami, FL  
Conference Presenter – What you see is not what you get: The new optics for understanding video capture.
- **2018 Allied Universal Security Services**  
Atlanta, GA.  
Curriculum writer for Use of Force and Defensive Tactics Program  
for largest private security provider in N. America (servicing over 150,000 employees at over 20,000 client sites).
- **2018 American Criminal Justice Association (LAE)**  
Cleveland, OH  
Conference Presenter –The use of technology for improving law enforcement decision-making.
- **2018 North Port Police Department**  
North Port FL  
Seminar Organizer & Presenter – Managing Drug Induced Psychosis & Excited Delirium

- **2017 – International Society of Sport Psychology (ISSP)**  
Madrid, Spain  
Conference Presenter- Technology for Improving Decision Making during  
Critical Law Enforcement Incidents
- **2016 – Florida Council on Crime and Delinquency**  
Daytona Beach, Florida  
Lecturer - Decision Making for Leaders
- **2016 – University of Gdańsk**  
Prakryczna Psychologia Sportu  
Gdańsk, Poland  
Conference Presenter- “Decision Making Under Adverse Conditions”
- **2015 – Virgin Islands Police Department**  
US Virgin Islands, St Thomas  
Lead Instructor – Expandable Impact Baton Instructor Course  
Lead Instructor – Oleo Resin Capsicum Instructor Course
- **2015 – Virgin Islands Police Department**  
US Virgin Islands, St Croix  
Lead Instructor – Expandable Impact Baton Instructor Course  
Lead Instructor – Oleo Resin Capsicum Instructor Course
- **2015 – South Carolina Department of Corrections**  
Columbia, South Carolina  
Lead Instructor – Alpha Lock Baton Instructor Course
- **2015 - State Law Enforcement Chiefs Association Conference**  
Tallahassee – Florida  
Lecturer – Establishing Authority in Law Enforcement Settings.
- **2014- Police Liability Conference –National Business Institute**  
Jacksonville, Florida  
Faculty Presenter – Handling the Police Liability Claim.
- **2014- Florida Council on Crime and Delinquency, Annual Conference**  
**Naples, FL**  
Keynote Speaker, Lecturer
- **2014 – School Safety Leadership Symposium Annual Conference**  
**Sandestin, FL**  
Lecturer – Documenting Use of Force



- **2014 –FBI National Academy Graduate Meeting**  
Daytona Beach, Florida  
Lecturer – Stand Your Ground
- **2014 – Augusta Fire Department**  
Augusta, Georgia  
Lead Instructor – *PROTECTORS Fitness Instructor Training Program*
- **2013 – Florida High Liability Police Trainers Conference – Florida Public Safety Institute**  
Tallahassee, Florida  
Presenter – Investigating Stand Your Ground Claims
- **2013- Police Liability Conference –Lorman Education Services**  
Orlando, Florida  
Presenter – Police Liability for Attorneys and Law Enforcement Executives.
- **2013 – Israel Prison Services, Israel Police, Israel Defense Forces**  
Tel Aviv, Israel  
*Presenter - Personal defense solutions for close quarter arrest and control*
- **2013 – Augusta Fire Department**  
Augusta, Georgia  
*Lead Instructor – PROTECTORS Fitness Instructor Training Program*
- **2013 - Armada Nacional de la República de Colombia**  
(Colombian Navy)  
Bogota, Covenas, Colombia  
*Lead Instructor - Crowd Management, Non-Lethal Solutions*
- **2013 – Sport Psychology Organization and Research Team (SPORT) Annual Conference**  
Florida State University, Tallahassee Florida  
*Cohesion of Teams Across Domains (Law Enforcement)*
- **2013 – Florida Public Safety Institute**  
Havana, Florida  
*Lead instructor - FDLE CJSTC Defensive Tactics Instructor Course*
- **2012 – 20<sup>th</sup> Judicial Circuit Public Defender’s**  
Fort Myers, Florida  
*Presenter, Self Defense and Combat Stress*

- **2012-Florida Public Defender's Association**  
*Naples, Florida*  
*Presenter. The Self Defense, Defense, Stand your Ground & Castle Doctrine*
- **2012- Orange County Department of Corrections**  
*Orlando, Florida*  
*Lead Instructor- Rapid-Cuff Instructor Course*
- **2012 – Republican Women's Club "Real Women Shoot Back" public event**  
*Presenter - Self-Defense and Stand Your Ground*
- **2012 – Bloomington, MN Police Department**  
*Bloomington, MN*  
*Developer of Police Neck Restraint Programs*
- **2012 – Florida Criminal Justice Executive Institute**  
**Florida Department of Law Enforcement**  
*Tallahassee, Florida*  
*Lead Instructor - Managing the Middle, Police Media Relations*
- **2011 – Miami Dade College School of Criminal Justice**  
*Miami, Florida*  
*Contracted review of Defensive Tactics Training Program*
- **2011 Southern States Crime Prevention Conference**  
*Cocoa Beach, FL*  
*Speaker; Media and Police Relations*
- **2011 – Daytona State College**  
*Florida CJSTC Defensive Tactics Instructor School*  
*Lead instructor*
- **2011 – Florida Criminal Justice Executive Institute**  
**Florida Department of Law Enforcement**  
*Orange County Florida*  
*Lead instructor - Managing the Middle, Police Media Relations*
- **2010- Florida Criminal Justice Executive Institute**  
**Florida Department of Law Enforcement**  
*Broward County Sheriff's Office*  
*Lead Instructor - Managing the Middle, Police/Media Relations*



- **2010 – Federal Bureau of Prisons**  
*Pollock, Louisiana*  
*Lead Instructor - Rapid Rotation Baton, Master Instructor*
- **2011 – Daytona State College**  
*Florida CJSTC Defensive Tactics Instructor School*  
*Lead instructor*
- **2009 – Federal Bureau of Prisons**  
*Florence Colorado (ADX)*  
*Lead Instructor - Rapid Rotation Baton, Master Instructor*
- **2009 – Dubai Police Department**  
**Dubai, United Arab Emirates**  
*Lead instructor - Crowd Management Methods, the PepperBall System; Trainer*
- **2009 – Athology, LLC**  
*Lincoln, Nebraska*  
*Lead instructor - PROTECTORS, LLC. Use of Force and Defensive Tactics*
- **2009 – Federal Bureau of Prisons**  
*Houston Texas*  
*Lead instructor - Rapid Rotation Baton, Master Instructor*
- **2008 – Florida Department of Law Enforcement**  
*Tallahassee, Florida*  
*High Liability Training Video, Director*
- **2007 – Aguadilla Regional Training Academy**  
*Moca, Puerto Rico*  
*Lead instructor - Rapid Rotation Baton, Rapid Cuff Instructor*
- **2006 – Calibre Press, Inc.**  
*Tallahassee, Florida*  
*STREET SURVIVAL, Organizer*
- **2006 – Federal Law Enforcement Training Center,**  
*Glynco, Georgia*  
*Lead instructor - Rapid Rotation Baton, Rapid Cuff Presenter*
- **2005 - Corrections Conference**  
*Veracruz, Mexico*  
*Presenter for Use of Force*

- **2005 – 2008 Stratum Mining, LLC**  
*Medellin, Colombia*  
*Security Consultant for Stratum Mining Corporation*
- **2005 - Royal Malaysian Police**  
*Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia*  
*Lead instructor - Rapid Rotation Baton Instructor Course; Trainer*
- **2005 – RRB Systems International**  
*Ft Lauderdale, Cayman Islands, Jamaica*  
*DT at Sea Conference Organizer and Trainer*
- **2004 –RRB Systems International**  
*Ft Lauderdale, Mexico, Belize*  
*DT at Sea Conference Organizer and Trainer*
- **2003 – Dubai Police Department**  
*United Arab Emirates*  
*Lead instructor - Crowd Management Methods, The PepperBall System; Trainer*
- **2003 – State of Queretero Police Department,**  
*Queretero, Mexico*  
*The Global Policing Initiative; Trainer*
- **2003 – State of Guanajuato Police Department**  
*Guanajuato, Mexico*  
*The Global Policing Initiative; Trainer*
- **2002 – State of Chihuahua Police Department Tactical Unit,**  
*Juarez, Mexico*  
*Lead instructor - The Rapid Rotation Baton System, The Rapid-Cuff System*  
*Trainer*
- **2002 – City of Madrid Police Department,**  
*Madrid, Spain*  
*The Global Policing Initiative; Presenter*
- **2002 – City of Barcelona Police Department**  
*Barcelona, Spain*  
*The Global Policing Initiative; Presenter*
- **2002 – State of Veracruz Police Department**  
*Veracruz, Mexico*  
*RRB Safety Belt System; Trainer*



- **2001 – Incheon Regional Police Department**  
*Inchon, S. Korea*  
*RRB Safety Belt System; Presenter*
- **2001- Bucharest Police Department,**  
*Bucharest, Romania*  
*The RRB Safety Belt System; Trainer*
- **2001 – Prague Police Department,**  
*Prague, Czech Republic*  
*The RRB Safety Belt System; Presenter*
- **2000 – US Commercial Services**  
*Brasilia, Rio de Janeiro, Sao Paulo Police, Brazil*  
*The RRB Systems; Presenter*
- **2000 – RRB Systems, Europe**  
*Mannheim, Germany*  
*Lead instructor - GROUNDFIGHT!*
- **1999 – Glasgow Police Department**  
*Glasgow, Scotland*  
*The Rapid Rotation Baton; Trainer*
- **1999 - Policia Federal Preventiva**  
*Mexico City, Mexico*  
*The Rapid Rotation Baton System, The QUIK-KUF; Trainer*
- **1999 - Sharjah Police Department;**  
*Sharjah, United Arab Emirates*  
*The Rapid Rotation Baton System, The QUIK-KUF; Trainer*
- **1999 - Dubai Police Department**  
*Dubai, United Arab Emirates*  
*The Rapid Rotation Baton System, The QUIK-KUF; Trainer*
- **1999 - Bahrain Minister of the Interior**  
**Manama, Bahrain**  
*The Rapid Rotation Baton System, The QUIK-KUF; Trainer*
- **1998 - TRIXPO Tactical Conference**  
*Burbank California*  
*Close Quarter Defense the Impact Weapon Alternative; Presenter*

- **1998 - Jamaica Constabulary Force**  
*Kingston Jamaica*  
*The Rapid Rotation Baton System; Trainer*
- **1998 - All Caribbean Police Chiefs Conference;**  
*Marigot, St Marteen*  
*The Rapid Rotation Baton System, The QUIK-KUF; Trainer*
- **1998 - ASLET Police Conference**  
*Mobile Alabama*  
*Close Quarter Defense the Impact Weapon Alternative; Trainer*
- **1997 - Canadian Use of Force Trainers Conference** *Brampton, Canada*  
*Close Quarter Defense the Impact Weapon Alternative; Trainer*
- **1997 - TREXPO West**  
*Burbank, California*  
*The Rapid Rotation Baton System; Trainer*
- **1996 - Safari Gun Club**  
*London, England*  
*The Rapid Rotation Baton System; Trainer*
- **1996 - Second Annual Criminal Justice Trainers & Educators Conference-**  
*Tampa, Florida,*  
*Close Quarter Defense the Impact Weapon Alternative; Presenter*

### ***KARATE COMPETITION RESUME***

- **1995 - Pan American Games/ U.S. Team Trials U.S. Olympic Training Center, Colorado Springs, Colorado**
- **1994 - U.S. Team Player - World Karate Championship, Kota Kinabula, Malaysia**
- **1994 - USA National Championship, Jacksonville, Fl.. Silver Medalist**
- **1993 - U.S. Team Player, Kuwait Liberation Cup, Kuwait City, Kuwait**
- **1993 - Team Florida Member USA National Championships, Phoenix, Arizona Silver Medalist**



- **1992** - U.S. Team Player, North American Cup, Vancouver, Canada Bronze Medalist
- **1992** - USA National Team trials, Akron, Ohio Bronze Medalist
- **1992** - Team Florida member USA National Championships, Dallas, Texas Silver Medalist
- **1991** - U.S. Team Player, North American Cup, Monterey, Mexico - Silver Medalist
- **1991** - Sunshine State Games, Sarasota, Fl. - Gold Medalist
- **1990** - U.S. Team vs. Egypt Goodwill Competition, Akron, Ohio - Gold Medalist
- **1989** - USA National Championship, Orlando, FL
- **1988** - USA National Championship, Las Vegas, Nevada
- **1987** - Captain of the United States Team, Pan-American Championship San Pedro Sula, Honduras Bronze Medalist
- **1985-1994** - United States National Karate Team Member
- **1980-1994** - Fourteen Time National Qualifier and Competitor
- **1987-1992** - Five Time United States Karate Federation Florida State Fighting Champion
- **1981-1984** - Three Time Amateur Athletic Union Florida State Fighting Champion

### ***PUBLICATIONS AND PRODUCTIONS***

- **Dissertation:** Decision Making in Law Enforcement: Can “Brain Training” Develop Critical Decision-Making Skills
- **Florida Criminal Justice Standards and Training Commission** Instructor Curriculum –*Defensive Tactics, Use of Force & Survival Stress*
- **Florida Criminal Justice Standards and Training Commission** Basic Recruit Curriculum –*Defensive Tactics, Use of Force & Survival Stress, 2008*

- **Police Liability (2013)**, Lorman Education Services, Eau Claire, WI
- **Article:** Women in Law Enforcement: The Spirit of the female Warrior  
Policeone.com, 05/2011,
- **Article:** Shooting Center Mass, The Dangers of Denial Policeone.com,  
04/2011
- **Article:** Shooting Center Mass, I'm Told We kill Everyone, Policeone.com,  
04/2011
- **Article:** Shooting Center Mass, Shooting to Kill or Stop?  
Policeone.com, 04/2011
- **Article:** Reviving the Female Warrior, Policeone.com, 02/2011
- **Article:** Are you Ready to Explain an Officer Involved Shooting?  
Policeone.com, 12/20110
- **Article:** Ambush in the Brush Policeone.com, 02/10
- **Article:** Turning the Oh Sh\*t moment into if/when thinking 01/2010
- **LIVE PD**, Television series, (298 episodes) Consultant, A&E
- **World's Wildest Police Videos**, *Television Series, Field Segment Producer*,  
(13 episodes) SPIKE TV, Spring 2012
- **Cajun Blue**; *Television Series, Consultant, (13 episodes) A&E, Spring 2102*
- **Unleashed: Broward County K9**: *Television Series (6 episodes), TLC and  
Discovery Channel, Spring 2011*
- Mattson, G, **The Way of Uechi Ryu Karate** (2009),  
Peabody Publishing  
Bedard, R., Editor
- **How to Choose a Reality Fighting Instructor**, *Black Belt Magazine*; Nov  
2009, *Co-author*
- **Florida FDLE CJSTC Video Production for Defensive Tactics: Set  
Director, Show Release April 2008**
- **The Eddie Griffin Show**: *Television Pilot, Consulting Producer, VH1, Pilot*



- **Female Forces:** *Television Series (13 Episodes), Consulting Producer, The BIO Channel, Airing Spring 2008*
- **Rookies – Tampa:** *Television Series (8 episodes), A&E, airing Summer 2008*
- **Operation Wild:** *Television series, Consulting Producer, Boutique TV, Planet Green (DISCOVERY CHANNEL), Six episodes*
- **Landmark Use of Force Cases:** *Interactive DVD, Writer and on camera host. Summer 2007*
- **FDLE CJSTC BRC CMSII:** *(Training Manual; Ground Defense section, contributing to other sections)*
- **FDLE CJSTC BRC CMS:** *(Training Manual; Chemical Agents section contributing to other)1991*
- **Meeting the Demands of the Contemporary Ground Encounter:** *The Law Enforcement Trainer, Volume 12 number 7; Jan/Feb 1998*
- **Using the Tools of Persuasion:** *The Law Enforcement Trainer; Volume 20, number 2, Apr/May 2005*
- **Center Mass Shooting to Kill:** *The Law Enforcement Trainer; Volume 20, number 4, Nov/Dec 2005*
- **Exploring Criminal Justice:** *contributing author, college level textbook set for publication in 2006 by McGraw-Hill.*
- **The Rapid Rotation Baton:** *Training Manuals, (basic, basic-experienced, intermediate, advanced, Instructor); 1996 (Translations in Spanish, German and Korean)*
- **The Rapid Cuff:** *Training Manual (Instructor) 1998 (Translations in Spanish and German)*
- **GROUND FIGHT!:** *Training Manual (Instructor) 2000*
- **Oleo-Resin Capsicum (OCI)** *Training Manual (Instructor) 2000*
- **PepperBall:** *(Instructor Course, SA-200, SA-10 Armorer's Manual), 2002*
- **Defensive Tactics Instructor (DTI):** *(Instructor Manual) 1996*
- **PROTECTORS Occupational Fitness** *(Instructor Manual) 2008*

- **Managing the Middle: Police and Media Relations in the New Age of Technology 2010**

### ***JOURNAL ARTICLES I HAVE REVIEWED***

- Frontiers in Psychology, reviewed article on Mental Skills Training for Military Soldiers (2019)

### ***MEMBERSHIPS***

- Society for Police and Criminal Psychology (SPCP)
- Association of Applied Sports Psychology (AASP)
- American Society for Industrial Security (ASIS International)
- National Sheriff's Association (NSA)
- International Association of Chief's of Police (IACP)
- National Rifle Association (NRA - *Life Member*)
- National Tactical Officers Association (NTOA)
- Police Executive Research Forum (PERF)
- Tallahassee, Committee of Ninety-Nine
- International Law Enforcement Educators and Trainers Association (ILEETA)
- 1996 USA Karate World Team (WUKO)

### ***RELEVANT UNIVERSITY COURSEWORK***

- PET6224 Exercise Effects on Cog and Behavior
- EDF6937 Neuroscience: Cognition & Perception
- EDF6937 Performance Psychology
- SOP6939 Evolutionary Psychology
- EDF6937 Genetics and Performance
- PSB5057 Neuroscience Methods: Behavior
- PSB5341` Systems and Behavioral Neuroscience



- SOW5125 Psychopathology in Clinical Practice
- MHS5400 Intro to Counseling Theories & Techs
- SYP5105 Theories of Social Psychology
- PET5216 Sport Psychology
- PET5255 Social Bases of Sport Psychology
- PET5390 Measurement Sport and Exercise Psych.
- PET5235C Motor Skill Learning
- PET 6217 Stress and Performance in Sport
- PET5240 Applied Sport Psychology
- EDF5215 Cognitive Processes in Sport Psych.
- EDF5481 Methods of Educational Research
- EDF6937 Exercise and Cognition
- EDF6937 Expert Performance
- EDF6937 Ethics
- EDF5401 General Linear Modeling
- EDF5400 Descriptive/Inferential statistics
- CCJ2020 Introduction to Criminal Justice
- PHI2630 Ethical Issues and Life Choices
- PSY2012 General Psychology
- CCJ3101 Law Enforcement
- CCJ3011 Criminology
- POS1041 American Government: National
- CJT4100 Crime Detection & Investigation
- PHI2100 Reasoning and Critical Thinking
- PHY 1020 Fundamentals of Physics
- PHY21020L Fundamentals of Physics Lab
- CCJ3301 Corrections
- CCJ4280 Legal Aspects of Law Enforcement
- CCJ4905 Use of Force
- CCJ3200 Courts
- CCJ4131 Individual Rights in Criminal Justice
- CCJ4905 Less Than Lethal Force
- CCJ3653 Drugs, Alcohol & Crime
- CCJ4110 Police Problems and Practices
- CCJ4822 Public and Private Security
- CCJ4520 Juvenile Justice
- CCJ4700 Introduction to Research Methods
- CCJ4938 Sp. Topic: Youth Management 2
- CCJ4938 Science, Evidence and Law
- AMH3042 Law and Criminal Justice Since 1877
- CCJ4905 Police Discretionary Force
- CCJ4938 Prison Officer Training