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Jerome T. Sebastyn is a senior lecturer for the Defense Resources Management Institute (DRMI). DRMI is a Department of Defense sponsored education team located in Monterey, California at the Naval Postgraduate School. (November 2015 to Present) At DRMI, he teaches the science of sound decision making in resources constrained environments under conditions of uncertainty.

Education

M.A., Naval War College, 2003

B.A., School of Management, University of Massachusetts, 1985

Work Experience

2015 to present: Naval Postgraduate School, Monterey, California
Senior Lecturer, Defense Resources Management Institute (DRMI).

2014-2015: Camp LeMonnier, Djibouti
Chief Staff Officer, (CSO) for Joint Special Operations Task Force (JSOTF).

2013-2014: Naval Support Activity (NSA) Bahrain, Manama
Chief Staff Officer, (CSO) for Commander Navy Region forward organization in Bahrain and the United Arab Emirates (UAE) area of operations.

2012-2013: ISAF Joint Command, Kabul, Afghanistan
Senior Advisor, Served as a senior advisor to Afghanistan National Army (ANA) Ground Forces Command (GFC) Headquarters G5 Plans Directorate.

2009-2011: Camp SHIELD, Baghdad, Iraq
Tier One Advisor, Served as US Forces Advisor to the Government of Iraq (GoI) Ministry of Interior (MoI) in Baghdad, Iraq.

2008-2009: Program Executive Office (PEO) C4I, San Diego
Manager, Design Center, Business Manager for PMW-750 Design Center and Blue in Support of Green (BISOG) / Amphibious Integrated Process Team (AMPHIB IPT) Leader for PEO C4I.

2006-2008: Forward Operating Base DIAMONDBACK, Ninewa, Iraq
Deputy Leader, served as Ninewa Provincial Reconstruction Team (PRT) Deputy Team Leader.

2001-2005: Space and Naval Warfare Systems Command, San Diego
West Coast Installation Manager, served as senior manager responsible for the planning, programming, and budget activity processes for all aircraft carriers, surface ships, and amphibious platforms assigned to Pacific theater.

1985-2000: U.S. Navy, United States of America

U.S. Navy, served in variety of assignments as division officer, department head, classroom instructor, and staff officer assigned to major acquisition command.

Academic concentrations and research interests

My academic concentration is business administration and organizational management. My current areas of interest include international/global management and public policy, decision analysis, risk management, as well as quality assurance. I have maintained my professional area of expertise in project management and program management.

I have written following technical information papers:

- Sebastyn, J.T. “ White paper 1” NPS, The Course Management Process for The DoD Financial Management Certification Program: Program Overview, Competencies, Certification Requirements, and Course Alignment
- Sebastyn, J.T. “white paper 2” NPS, The DoD Financial Management (FM) Certification Program: Roles and Responsibilities (R&R) of the Course Manager Position

Professional certifications or registrations

Business Analyst (BA), Project Management Institute (PMI), since 2018

Quality Analyst (QA), American Society of Quality (ASQ), since 2018

Project Management Professional (PMP), Project Management Institute (PMI), since 2011

Civil Affairs Officer Qualification Course (CAOQ), Fort BRAGG, in 2007

Advanced Joint Professional Military Education (A/JPME), Joint Forces Staff College (JFSC), in 2006

Program Management – Level 3, Defense Acquisition University (DAU), in 2002

Systems Planning, Research, Development & Engineering (SPRDE) – Level 3, DAU, in 2001

Joint Professional Military Education (JPME) Phase 1, Naval War College, in 2001