

SANDRA WARMOTH

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- *Focus* – Counter-terrorism; homeland, national security; nuclear terrorism, CBRN; Sunni, Shi'a terror groups
- *Research Emphases* – Greater Middle East, Africa, Latin America; Arab-Israeli conflict; Iran
- *Assessments* – States: failing, criminalizing, rogue; political leadership; terrorism threats, trends
- *Specialized Maps* – Geopolitical and terrorism landscaping
- *Doctrines and Ideologies* – Abrahamic religions
- *Business and Nonprofit Experience* – development; policymaking; program, project implementation; administration
- *Communications* – organizational, mass, breaking, crisis

UPPER-DIVISION EDUCATION:

The Interdisciplinary Center (IDC) Herzliya, Herzliya, Israel

Master of Arts – Government with Specialization in Counter-Terrorism and Homeland Security Studies

IDC GPA 93.89/100.00 45 Semester Hours

Graduated – 5/2014, Magna Cum Laude

University of Central Florida (UCF), Orlando, Florida

Bachelor of Arts – Political Science, International Relations track; Major GPA: 3.90/4.00

Bachelor of Arts – Journalism + Radio and Television minor; Major GPA: 3.28/4.00

UCF GPA: 3.546/4.000 50 Semester Hours

Phi Kappa Phi Scholastic Honorary Award, 4/1984

Graduated – 12/1984; Cum Laude, both degrees

GRADUATE-LEVEL PRODUCTS:

“A Double-Barreled Nuclear Jihad?” – Current book project

Available upon request: Table of Contents, samples

“Jumping on the Caliphate Caravan – Overview of the Jihadi Bandwagon Effect Traversing Asia and Africa,”

Center for Security Policy monograph – 3/31/2015

Available at Amazon books,

<http://www.amazon.com/Jumping-Caliphate-Caravan-Bandwagon-Traversing/dp/1511431644>

“Jordan: In the Balance,” International Institute for Counter-Terrorism Working Papers Series – 9/02/2013

Available at ICT WPS Articles,

[http://ict.org.il/web101.virtualbox.co.il/Article/74/Jordan In the Balance](http://ict.org.il/web101.virtualbox.co.il/Article/74/Jordan%20In%20the%20Balance)

“Agents of Destruction: Hizb'allah – A Primer on the Party of Allah,” *Small Wars Journal* – 8/02/2012

Available at *Small Wars Journal*, <http://smallwarsjournal.com/author/sandra-warmoth>

Archived: Military Education Research Library Network, Terrorist Profiles, National Defense University,

<http://ndu.libguides.com/content.php?pid=546452&sid=4496934>

“Iran's Expanding Footprint in Latin America,” *Small Wars Journal* – 5/29/2012

Available at *Small Wars Journal*, <http://smallwarsjournal.com/author/sandra-warmoth>

Special Citation: Cited in the expert testimony of Homeland Security Policy Institute Director Frank J.

Cillufo, George Washington University, “A Line in the Sand: Assessing Dangerous Threats to

Our Nation's Borders – Hearing Before the Subcommittee on Oversight, Investigations, and

Management of the Committee on Homeland Security,” House of Representatives, 112th

Congress, 2nd Session, Serial No. 112-123; 11/16/2012

Archived: Homeland Security Digital Library, <https://www.hsdl.org/?view&did=726378>

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RELEVANT WORK EXPERIENCE:

Co-owner

8/2002 – 4/2010

Conquest Contracting – Oviedo, Florida

Commercial contracting business: \$900,000 annual sales; national brand clientele

Business Development:

Developed business plan, policies, office procedures, information security measures, company image

Devised and managed bookkeeping, inventory, accounting systems; designed business implements

Established and administered company programs; created company manuals, handbooks, forms

Office Administration:

Scheduling, staffing, employee reviews; vendor and subcontractor pre-qualification

Payroll; accounts payable, receivable; budgeting; financing; purchasing; government compliance

Workplace Training:

Created, implemented drug-free workforce supervisory and employee awareness training programs

Organized employee educational advancement program; Best Practices training

Operations Support:

Supportive Project Management, up to 50 workers

Enforced compliance: OSHA, MSDS, safety policies, insurances; jointly conducted safety meetings

Established work zones; oversaw hazard materials operations; performed quality control inspections

RELEVANT PRO BONO SERVICE:

International Coordinator

2/1996 -12/2000

Project Shofar – Oviedo, Florida

Developed 501(c)(3) U.S. tax-exempt organization for Nir College of Judaic Studies, Kiryat Arba, Israel

Organizational Development:

Developed mission's goals; devised organizational structure, program content, prospectus

Set up mission as a corporation; secured federal, state tax exemptions, permits; met filing requirements

Obtained bulk rate, automated mailing certification; prepared stakeholder information

Refined and designed logos; created organizational implements, promotional material

Public Relations and Fundraising:

Program publicity:

Developed mission's public face, expanded Nir College's cross-cultural profile, grew donor base

Built themed exhibits for transcontinental events, delivered presentations

Expanded mailing lists; launched mail-outs; secured community charitable gift funds

Conducted volunteer drives, fund-raising campaigns, transcontinental emergency fund-raiser

Agenda advocacy:

Arranged speaking engagements, developed itineraries, liaised with ministry leaders

Set up media interviews, wrote and disseminated press releases; created tour to Israel

Executive image consulting:

Coached on communication skills, speaker's performance, media interchanges

Editor-in-Chief:

Production and publication of *The Call of the Shofar* quarterly, cross-cultural newsletter

Edited submissions; reported on news of relevance; designed layouts, promotional material

Devised news budgets to accommodate news, analyses, editorials, commentaries, and artwork

Designed Executive Director's Page and President's Page to showcase articles by executives

Created News in Perspective section with coverage of Israel, Middle East, international news

Treasurer:

Built non-profit accounting system; devised donor tracking system; managed finances, donor records

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OTHER PRODUCTS:

Product Samples accessible via personal Web site and hard copy portfolio; additional access as specified

Newspaper and magazine articles –

Florida: *Sun News*, *News-Gazette*, *Central Florida* magazine

Assessments – Connecting the Dots Series; also accessible via Scribd digital library

“Revolutionary Islam and the Arab-Israeli Conflict”

“Revolutionary Islam in the Americas: An Open Source Threat Assessment”

Video productions, newsmaker interviews – Zionists Series; also accessible via Shelby.tv; AllVoices.com

“Roundtable Discussion with Daniella Weiss and Fellow Activists”

“Interview with Daniel Luria, Executive Director, Jerusalem Reclamation Project”

Company manuals, handbooks –

Safety and Hazard Communication – site-specific plans, OSHA compliant

Drug-free Workforce Program – Florida certified, NIDA compliant

Emergency Management Plan – per Florida Division of Emergency Management guidelines

Implements for businesses and nonprofits –

Newsletters, brochures, information packets; stationery, business cards; logos, logotype, logo-wear

Forms: general business, HR, OSHA-compliant

PowerPoint and hardcopy presentations and stakeholder reports

Executive profiles; executive and promotional VOM messaging

Radio and television copy, press releases, PSAs

B2B and B2C ads for print media, Internet, direct mail; fliers; jingles; promotional CDs

Conference booths, signage, photomontage, maps

Web sites: WordPress; Adobe Photoshop Web gallery

OTHER WORK EXPERIENCE:

General Assignment Reporter, *Sun News*, daily, DeLand, Florida, 1989

Crime News Reporter, *News Gazette*, weekly, Kissimmee, Florida, 1985

OTHER RELEVANT SKILL SETS:

Profiling terrorist entities, mergers, leaders

Assessing capabilities of state actors

Analyzing cooperation between state and armed non-state actors

Tracking terrorism financing and resource networks, narco-terrorism pipelines

Forecasting terrorism trends

Islamic religio-geopolitical analysis

Newsgathering, interviewing, news photography

Video production in Final Cut Pro 6

Presentations in PowerPoint

Themed stationary and mobile exhibits

OTHER CREDENTIALS:

University of South Florida (USF), Titusville, Florida – OSHA Safety Certification, 2004

The Door Ministries, Summerville, South Carolina – Certificate of Ordination, permanent status, 2002