

Charles K. Redlinger

Qualifications

- 26 years experience in military, law enforcement and private security sectors
- 10 years working overseas to include austere, hostile and challenging environments

Work Experience

2004 – PRESENT

PROTECTION SPECIALIST / INVESTIGATOR / PROJECT MANAGER

Conducted continual work throughout the Middle East on various projects and in various roles. Work included the following:

- Protection Detail / Site Security for U.S. State Department personnel in Iraq
- Protection Detail for Regional U.S. Ambassador in Basra
- Security Manager for General David Petraeus and 9 coalition Generals in Baghdad
- Country Manager for support operations in Jordan (Support of U.S. Government)
- Special Investigator for U.S. State Department
- Held various leadership positions at the King Abdullah II Special Operations Training Center in Jordan
- Provided security consulting for various Western companies operating in the Middle East

1994 - 2004

DETECTIVE SERGEANT, DEKALB COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT METRO-ATLANTA, GEORGIA

Involved in the investigation of over 300 homicides and thousands of armed robberies and violent assaults while assigned to the Major Felony Unit (Robbery-Homicide). Hand selected by the Chief of Detectives to reorganize, train and command (Captain's Billet) the Vice Unit which after 8 months of leadership became an effective and efficient investigative unit. Initially served as a patrol officer in South Precinct and later as a sniper team leader for the Special Weapons and Tactics Team (SWAT). Temporary assignments included the FBI Atlanta Bank Robbery Task Force, Assassination of Sheriff Derwin Brown Homicide Task Force and police protection for the 1996 Olympic Games (Atlanta). Received over 20 commendations for actions in the line of duty. Twice selected as the Robbery-Homicide Unit's nomination for department-wide detective of the year.

1988 - 1994 ACTIVE DUTY

SERGEANT, U.S. MARINE CORPS, MULTIPLE LOCATIONS

Served as a Close Quarters Battle (CQB) Instructor assigned to Marine Security Forces Training Center and Joint Task Force Six (Counter Drug Operations) as well as an Assault Team Leader and Assault Breacher assigned to Fleet Anti-Terrorism Security Team (Norfolk, VA). Later served in the Marine Reserves (1999 - 2001) with the Military Police Detachment (Atlanta, GA). Received two meritorious promotions and various awards/commendations.