

# Richard A. Marquise

Mr. Richard A. Marquise is a senior research associate with the Institute for Intergovernmental Research (IIR). He was appointed as director of the State and Local Anti-Terrorism Training (SLATT) Program in September 2010, after serving as an instructor for the program since 2002. Before joining IIR, Mr. Marquise was employed by the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) for 31 years. During his last 3½ years with the FBI, he was the Special Agent in Charge of the Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, Division.

As SLATT director, Mr. Marquise manages the various components of the SLATT Program, including on-site delivery of training and the headquarters-based staff responsible for logistical support. In addition, he supervises the production of SLATT Program material, such as pocket guides, reference materials, and brochures. Finally, he supervises the research aspect of the program, which keeps SLATT instructors and constituents informed about terrorist events and trends worldwide. In addition to continuing to teach in the program, he is also involved as liaison with numerous outside agencies, including the Office of Justice Programs, the Bureau of Justice Assistance, the FBI, and the U.S. Attorneys' Offices.

Mr. Marquise's expertise is in the fields of counterterrorism and crisis management as an investigator and a manager. During the late 1980s, he was chief of the Terrorist Research and Analytical Center (TRAC) at FBI Headquarters. He also led a Middle-Eastern terrorism unit that managed FBI investigations worldwide.

Following the bombing of Pan Am Flight 103 over Lockerbie, Scotland, in 1988, Mr. Marquise was named to lead the American Task Force. He led the task force through the indictments in 1991 and continued to play an active role through the trial's successful resolution in 2001. In August 2001, he received the Attorney General's Award for Distinguished Service for this investigation. Mr. Marquise is the author of *Scotbom: Evidence and the Lockerbie Investigation*, an inside account of the Pan Am Flight 103 investigation, which was published in 2006.

Mr. Marquise is an expert in the fields of management and leadership, having served the FBI as a leader of squads, units, and divisions for more than 20 years. A veteran of numerous crises—including terror attacks, kidnappings, prison takeovers, and other significant events—he is well versed in crisis management.

In addition to domestic law enforcement training, he has made hundreds of presentations and provided training to international law enforcement officials on the topic of terrorism. He has taught at the International Law Enforcement Academies in Botswana, Hungary, and Thailand, as well as at the FBI Academy in Virginia. He assisted the governments of Kenya, Montenegro, Pakistan, the Philippines, and Serbia in creating and training their joint terrorism task forces.

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Mr. Marquise holds a master's degree from The George Washington University in Washington, DC, and an undergraduate degree from Saint Michael's College in Vermont. He has also attended numerous professional FBI training courses in the fields of leadership, management, and crisis management.

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