

# Dr. Monique M. Chouraeshkenazi

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## Curriculum Vitae

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## Overview

I have over 15 years' experience in public policy, government, military operations, security management, antiterrorism, homeland security, and national security as an Air Force veteran and senior professor.

## Expertise

Public Policy & Administration	Advanced Macro/Microeconomics
Political Science	Research Methods
Research & Development	Qualitative/Quantitative/Mixed Methodologies
Strategic Planning (military & civilian government)	Analysis & Consulting
Policymaking (educational institutions, military, & civilian)	Homeland/National Security
Online & traditional learning	Curriculum Development

## Education

- **Eisner Institute of Professional Studies**, Doctorate of Psychology, Forensic Psychology, Encino, CA (expected 2021)
- **American Military University**, Master of Psychology, Charles Town, WV (expected 2019)
- **Walden University**, Ph.D. in Public Policy & Administration, Minneapolis, MN, 2015
- **Syracuse University**, Business & Entrepreneurship for Veterans, Syracuse, NY, 2015
- **Noncommissioned Officer Academy**, McGhee Tyson Air National Guard, TN, 2016
- **Boston University**, Master of Criminal Justice, Boston, MA, 2013
- **Penn Foster College**, Career Diploma, Private Investigation, Scranton, PA, 2012
- **American Military University**, Bachelor of Arts, Homeland Security, Charles Town, WV, 2011
- **Community College of the Air Force**, Associate in Science, Information Resource Management, AL, 2010
- **Airmen Leadership School**, Anderson Air Force Base, Guam, 2006

## Research Interests

- F-35 Joint Strike Fighter acquisition program and weapons of mass destruction
- Homeland and national security objectives (understanding America's history)
- International and domestic extremism, terrorism and counterterrorism methodologies
- The militarization of law enforcement, public policy, and law

## Research

- How the F-35's Fight Against Unconventional Weaponry Economically Impacts American Homeland Security (proposed study)
- Qualitative Case Study on F-35 Production Delay Affecting National Security Guidance, *Dissertation*, May 2015

## Teaching Experience

- **School of Security & Global Studies, American Military University** **Charles Town, WV**
  - **Associate Professor** 2015 to present
  - Advises Faculty Director and Program Director on updates/revisions and ensures quality of academic studies for online public policy, national security, research design and analysis (graduate qualitative methods), terrorism, criminal justice (CJ) and homeland security (HLSS) courses as Subject Matter Expert (SME).
  - Teaches 500+ undergraduate and graduate students annually in public policy, government, national security studies, research design and analysis (graduate qualitative methods), CJ, and HLSS courses, ensuring students receive the highest quality academic courses in an online environment for three universities.



\*HLSS523 Domestic Terrorism & Extremist Groups  
 \*HLSS530 Global Terrorism  
 \*HLSS698 Comprehensive Examination in Homeland Security  
 \*HLSS699 Homeland Security Capstone  
 \*JUS515 Research Design & Analysis  
 \*JUS525 Legal & Ethical Issues in Criminal Justice  
 NSEC611 Covert Action & National Security  
 CJ500 Critical Issues in the Criminal Justice  
 CJ510 Ethical Leadership in Criminal Justice

## Course Revisions

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POL151 Introduction to National Security  
 HLSS300 Research Methods in Homeland Security  
 HLSS498 Comprehensive Examination in Homeland Security  
 JUS515 Research Design & Analysis  
 JUS525 Legal & Ethical Issues in Criminal Justice  
 NSEC611 Covert Action & National Security

## Collegiate Textbooks

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- Homeland & National Security: Understanding America's to Protect the Future, *Cognella Academic Publishing, Inc.*, January 2018 (Foreword by 25<sup>th</sup> United States Secretary of Defense Ash Carter, Endorsed by 32<sup>nd</sup> Deputy Secretary of Defense Bob Work)
- Co-edited: Terrorism: Strategic & Methodical Approaches with Kyle Kattelman & Francis Boeteng, *Cognella Academic Publishing, Inc.* November 2017 (preliminary edition available now, first edition, September 2018)

## Scholarly & Published Work

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- As North Korea Rattles Saber, the F-35 A is Now Combat-Ready, *In Homeland Security*, September 2017
- Podcast: America's f-35 Joint Strike Fighter Program, *In Homeland Security*, June 2017
- Italian Facility Unveils First Foreign-Made USAF F-35B Fighter, *In Homeland Security*, May 2017
- Trump's Chief Strategist Bannon has a Negative Effect on National Security, *In Homeland Security*, March 2017
- Evolution of the War in Syria: Is There End in Sight? *In Homeland Security*, January 2017
- Why General James 'Mad Dog' Mattis is a Great Pick as America's Defense Leader, *In Homeland Security*, December 2016
- Terrorist Arrests in Paris May Have Prevented Large-Scale Attack, *In Homeland Security*, December 2016
- America's Conflict Spectrum: How it affects National Security, *In Homeland Security*, October 2016
- Unjustified Police Killings: A New Homeland Security Threat? *In Homeland Security*, October 2016
- F-35 Fighter Sales Price Decreases: Savings for US and Coalition Forces? *IN Homeland Security*, August 2016
- Iraqis take Back Fallujah from ISIS, *In Homeland Security*, June 2016
- Does American Legacy Aircraft top the F-35 in Counterinsurgency Operations? *IN Homeland Security*, May 2016
- New ISIS 'Kill List' Names American Muslim Leaders, *IN Homeland Security*, April 2016
- Death of ISIS Leaders Continue to Rise: What is the Effect? *IN Homeland Security*, March 2016
- Is the F-35 Ready to Defeat ISIS? *IN Homeland Security*, March 2016
- Resiliency through Environmental Bureaucracy, *PA Times Magazine*, February 2016
- Combating Cyber Terrorism: The New War on Terror, *PA Times Magazine*, January 2016
- State Pension Funds: Unfunded or Fraud? *PA Times Magazine*, December 2015
- Educate Yourself! *The Dr. Show*, December 2015
- What is Mandatory Spending? *The Dr. Mo Show*, December 2015
- From Combat Boots to Business Suits, *PA Times Magazine*, November 2015
- The Evolution of "Jihadi John," *The Dr. Show*, November 2015
- The Implementation of Obamacare: What are the Issues? *PA Times Magazine*, October 2015
- When Disaster Hits, Are We Ready? *PA Times Magazine*, September 2015
- Online Learning: The Way of the Future, *PA Times Magazine*, August 2015
- Perspectives of a Student & Midcareer Professional, *PA Times Magazine*, July 2015
- Gender Equity Through Education and Public Policy, *PA Times Magazine*, June 2015
- Climate Change and U.S. National Security, *PA Times Magazine*, May 2015
- How ISIS Affects U.S. Government Policies, *PA Times Magazine*, April 2015
- Women in Federal Government: Is Gender Still an Issue, *PA Times Magazine*, March 2015

- Social Equity: How Can You Strengthen it if You Don't Understand it? *PA Times Magazine*, February 2015
- How Credit Cards Impact U.S. Households and the Economy, *ICE Magazine* (with Forbes), December 2014
- Preparing Our Veteran for Civilian Life in the Public Sector, *PA Times Magazine*, April/May/June (Quarter) 2014

## Professional Presentations/Podcasts/Radio Shows

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- Special Guest, "National Security Issues in America: Part II." *Divergent Thought*. Radio Show. Washington, DC. September 13, 2017.
- Podcast interview with *Jeffrey Lodick*, On the Other Side: Leadership after Transition." July 11, 2017.
- Podcast interview with *In Homeland Security News*, "The Future of the Fighter." June 15, 2017.
- Podcast interview with *Veteran ConnectUs*, "Veteran Entrepreneurship." June 15, 2017.
- Special Guest, "National Security Issues in America: Part I." *Divergent Thought*. Radio Show. Washington, DC. June 14, 2017.
- "Why Women Why Not" Tour 2014. Financial Freedom for our Fighters. *The LiSA Project*. The Tabernacle of Laurel, Maryland. September 27, 2015
- Podcast interview with *Executive Broadcasting Channel*, National Association of Distinguished Professionals. September 18, 2014.

## Features

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- Elite Magazine First Special Edition (Featured Member), Oxford University Press, 2017
- Does American Legacy Aircraft top the F-35 in Counterinsurgency Operations? *Real Clear Defense*, May 2016
- Oxford University's Who's Who Member Spotlight Feature, April 2016
- In Homeland Security's New Contributor: Dr. Monique Maldonado, *IN Homeland Security*, March 2016
- Worldwide Branding Feature as 2014 Woman of the Year, *National Association of Professional Women*, 2014
- Worldwide Branding Feature for Excellence in Educational Consulting, 2014

## Certifications/Training

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- Managerial Analysis, American Military University, 2018
- Brightspace Training Course, Southern New Hampshire University, 2017
- Formatting Your Manuscript, Cognella Academic Publishing, Inc., 2017
- Creating a Figure Program, Cognella Academic Publishing Inc., 2017
- Citing Work in an Academic Textbook, Cognella Academic Publishing, Inc., 2017
- Selecting Readings & Recording Excerpts, Cognella Academic Publishing, Inc., 2017
- Small Business Training, Community Business Partnership, 2016
- Federal Government Contracting Course, Community Business Partnership, 2016
- Executive Leadership Program for CREATE program, University of Southern California, 2016
- Global Management, American Military University, 2015
- Strategic Management, American Military University, 2015
- Sakai Training Course American Military University, 2015
- Faculty Candidate Training Southern New Hampshire, 2015
- Boots 2 Business, Entrepreneurship & Business Syracuse University, 2015
- Faculty Candidate Training, American Public University System, 2015
- Moodle Training Course, Tiffin University, 2013
- Lead Instructor Training Course, Tiffin University, 2012
- Faculty Training Course, Tiffin University, 2012
- Antiterrorism Level I, 2015
- Antiterrorism Level II, 2012
- Conventional Weaponing Fundamentals, 2009
- Intelligence Support to Force Protection, 2008
- Security Officials Course, 2006

## Professional Experience

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- **2015-present Associate Professor for the School of Security and Global Studies, American Public University System, Charles Town, WV**
- 2015-present Adjunct Professor (Part-Time) Southern New Hampshire University, Hooksett, NH

- 2012-present Lead Adjunct Instructor (Part-Time) for the School of Graduate and Degree Completion Programs, Tiffin University, Tiffin, OH
- 2014-present Chief Executive Officer, MD Educational Consulting Firm LLC, Springfield, VA
- 2015-2015 Military Executive Assistant to the Joint Improved Explosive Device Defeat Organization Director, Reston, VA
- 2012-2013 Subject Matter Expert for Undergraduate and Graduate Studies, Tiffin University, Tiffin, OH
- 2015-2012 Enlisted Military Assistant to the Deputy Secretary of Defense, Pentagon, Washington, D.C.
- 2012-2011 Personnel Security Special for the United States Air Force Weapons School, North Las Vegas, NV
- 2011-2010 Alternate Antiterrorism Officer & Senior Manager, Kandahar, Afghanistan
- 2010-2009 Personnel Security Specialist
- 2009-2006 Chief of the Special Security Office, Okinawa, Japan
- 2006-2005 Client Support Administrator, Yigo, Guam
- 2005-2004 Workgroup Manager, Kunsan, Republic of South Korea
- 2004-2002 Information Manager, San Angelo, Texas
- **U.S. Air Force (2002-2015 – individual positions noted above)**

## Major Awards and Decorations

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- Oxford University Press' Elite Magazine First Special Edition (Featured Member), 2017
- Certificate of Recognition, Wounded Warrior Project, 2017
- Top Tier of Excellence Lifetime Achievement, 2016
- Joint Service Commendation Medal (U.S. Army), 2015
- Joint Service Commendation Medal (U.S. Air Force), 2015
- Joint Meritorious Unit Award, 2015
- 2014 Top Pinnacle Professional Member, Continental Who's Who in Alliance with Forbes
- 2014 VIP Executive of the Year, Who's Who Worldwide
- 2014 VIP Woman of the Year, National Association for Professional Women
- Air Force Commendation Medal with one oak leaf cluster
- Air Force Achievement Medal with one oak leaf cluster
- Meritorious Unit Award
- Air Force Outstanding Unit Award with three oak leaf clusters
- Air Force Good Conduct with three oak leaf clusters
- National Defense Service Medal Afghanistan Campaign Medal with star
- Global War on Terrorism Service Medal
- Korean Defense Service Medal
- Air Force Expeditionary Service Medal with gold border
- NATO Service Medal
- Office of the Secretary of Defense Badge, 2013
- 57th Wing Staff Noncommissioned Officer of the Quarter, 2010
- 5th Air Force Enlisted Intelligence, Surveillance, & Reconnaissance Contributor of the Year, 2008
- 18th Operations Support Squadron Noncommissioned Officer of the Year, 2007
- Top Outstanding Performer, Pacific Air Forces Inspection, 2007
- Pacific Air Forces Enlisted Intelligence, Surveillance, & Reconnaissance Contributor of the Year, 2007
- 5th Air Force Enlisted Intelligence, Surveillance, & Reconnaissance Contributor of the Year, 2007
- 18th Wing Noncommissioned Officer of the Quarter, 2007
- 18th Operations Group Noncommissioned Officer of the Quarter, 2007
- 18th Operations Support Squadron Noncommissioned Officer of the Quarter, 2007
- Superior Performer, 2007

## Leadership

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- Founder & CEO, MD Educational Consulting Firm LLC
- Creator of Homeland & National Security Blog, *The Dr. Mo Show*
- Associate Professor for the School of Security and Global Studies in Homeland Security
- Lead Professor for the School of Degree and Completion Programs in Criminal Justice
- Military Executive Assistant to the JIEDDO Director
- Enlisted Military Assistant to the Deputy Secretary of Defense
- Lead Adjunct Professor, School of Graduate & Degree Completion Programs
- Chief Special Security Officer for 18th Wing

## Professional Affiliations & Service

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- Temple B’Nai Shalom
- University of Oxford Featured Member
- American Society for Public Administration
- Continental Who's Who in Alliance with Forbes
- ION Incorporated
- The LiSA Project
- National Association for Professional Women
- Pi Alpha Alpha National Honor Society
- Worldwide Who's Who International Organization
- Wounded Warrior Project

## Technical Skills

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- 17+ years’ expertise in advanced economics and micro/macroeconomics
- 15+ years’ in federal government and military affairs
- 15+ years of supervisory, leadership, training, & management experience
- 15+ years’ experience in public policy, homeland/national security, terrorism, antiterrorism/counterterrorism, government, military, research, and social sciences
- 9+ years teaching public policy, government, criminal justice, research, homeland/national security, social sciences, and terrorism
- 5+ teaching graduate qualitative research methods in public policy, homeland security, & criminal justice
- Skilled in identifying/diagnosing problems & making challenging decisions
- Competent in team development & mentoring
- Ability to evaluate and analyze data
- Strong oral communication skills, excellent writing capabilities, and a people-person!
- Self-motivated, confident in making independent/challenging decisions, well organized and able to meet deadlines
- Detail-oriented, ability to multi-task, and work well under pressure
- Strict time management skills, can work independently, & establishes effective/positive professional with colleagues