

# Matthew Stephen Young

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## Experience

### **SPECIAL AGENT, FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION, 1998-2018**

- My experience spans investigative and leadership roles in criminal, cyber, counterintelligence, counterterrorism, national security, and international operations. My responsibilities have included leading investigations into prominent members of congress, senior executives within multiple branches of the US government, managing top tier undercover operations into state and local legislators, deploying internationally to conduct investigative operations in conjunction with foreign law enforcement.

- I am recognized as an investigative expert specializing in sensitive corruption situations; government/corporate fraud, international fraud; Foreign Corrupt Practices Act (FCPA) matters; cyber crime and intrusion investigations; source/informant identification and development; information extraction and analysis. I am accustomed to high stress, fast paced situations requiring flexibility and the ability to adapt.

- I successfully planned, organized and led a diverse team of investigators from multiple agencies into Congressman Randel "Duke" Cunningham's bribery scheme resulting in guilty pleas from all subjects. I advised, briefed and communicated all aspects of the case to senior executives within multiple agencies.

- I was highly lauded and recognized for devising, organizing, leading, a multiagency and multinational team on multiple international corruption investigations that led to the convictions of all subjects. I deployed to Athens, Greece and led a small team charged with identifying violations of the Foreign Corrupt Practices Act (FCPA). Partnered with host nation law enforcement to acquire the data and evidence to open cases.

- I have substantial and unique operational experience working National Security Executive Order 12333 (Technical Assistance) cyber matters with United States Intelligence Community agencies. I am a certified FBI Cyber Investigative Agent.

- I have a proven ability to identify and recruit HUMINT (human intelligence) sources for both domestic and international investigations.

**DATA SYSTEMS OFFICER, UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS, RESERVE AFFAIRS, HEADQUARTERS, WASHINGTON D.C., 1996-1998**

- I was recognized and decorated for seeking out and receiving advanced database training in order to revise and rewrite the computer program utilized for setting Marine Corps Reserve recruiting and retention goals. I trained my replacement who went on to be recognized as Marine Reservist of the Year for his work implementing the new recruiting system.

**ADJUTANT, UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS, COMBAT SUPPORT SERVICES DETACHMENT, EL TORO AIR STATION, CALIFORNIA, 1993-1995**

- As Headquarters Platoon Commander in-charge of 45 Marines and Sailors, I led the unit to the highest rating on the Marine Corp Administrative Analysis Team (MCAAT) inspection. I also served as the Detachment's Legal Officer, Substance Abuse Control Officer, and the instructor for W. Edwards Deming's Total Quality Management (Leadership) initiative.

**Education**

**West Virginia University** - BA - Political Science / International Politics (1991)

**United States Marine Corps** - Officer Course (1991) / The Basic School (1992)

**Federal Bureau of Investigation Academy** - Special Agent (1998)

**Skills, Certifications, Clearances**

Team organization; strategic programs; project management; risk identification and mitigation; computer security/network; cyber investigations; interpersonal skills for elicitation of information.

**United States Marine Corps:** Unit Security Provisions and Operations (1994); Security Breach Investigations (1994); Total Quality Management (1995)

**Federal Bureau of Investigation:** Undercover Agent Certification (2000); Training and Licensing (2004); Advanced Interrogation and Interviewing (2005); Aviation Surveillance Operations (2006); Cyber Investigator Certification (2017); Adjunct Faculty Instructing for International Investigations (2018)

I have a current TS/SCI security clearance.

**References** - Available to principals upon request