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Personal Statement: My parents drilled into my head that if you are going to do a job, do it right the first time. Having adopted that philosophy, it causes me to ask two questions each and every day:

- 1) "What can I do to make ___ (my boss) look good today?" and,
- 2) "What is the right thing to do for the ___ (unit, program)?"

In my opinion, that keeps everything in perspective and focused. The Fightin' Fifty-Fifth and BIG SAFARI have always remained focused. I live each day thankful for having had the opportunity to associate with the past and present reconnaissance professionals.

Biography:

Dec 05 - Present Defense Contractor, SCITOR Corporation, supporting BIG SAFARI Programs for the Director, Information Dominance Programs, Assistant Secretary of the Air Force for Acquisition, Headquarters United States Air Force, Pentagon, Washington, D.C.

Jun 01 - Deputy Chief & Chief, Operational Readiness Division, Operations & Training Directorate, Deputy Chief of Staff, Air & Space Operations; Chief, Remotely Operated Aircraft Branch & Deputy Chief, Airborne Reconnaissance Systems Division, Intelligence, Surveillance, & Reconnaissance Directorate, Deputy Chief of Staff for Air & Space Operations, Headquarters United States Air Force - Pentagon, Washington, D.C.

Jun 95- Operations Officer, 38th Reconnaissance Squadron; Chief, Operations Group Training (OGT) Division, 55th Operations Group; Commander, 338th Combat Training Squadron (CTS); Assistant Deputy Commander, 55th Operations Group, 55th Wing (ACC), Offutt AFB, NE

Oct 92 - Reconnaissance Operations Officer and Exercises & Contingency Plans Officer, 2nd Air Force/12th Air Force Global Operations Center (ACC), Beale AFB, CA

Jun 89- RC/KC/EC-135 Instructor/Evaluator Navigator & Command Evaluation Scheduler, 1st Combat Evaluation Group/3909th Strategic Aircraft Evaluation Squadron (SAC Stan/Eval), Headquarters Strategic Air Command (SAC), Barksdale AFB, LA

Dec 85- RC-135 Navigator/Instructor Navigator, 38th Strategic Reconnaissance Squadron; Wing Scheduler & RC/KC-135, Instructor/Evaluator Navigator, 55th Strategic Reconnaissance Wing (SAC), Offutt AFB, NE

Jun 81- KC-135 Navigator, Instructor/Evaluator Navigator, 92nd & 43rd Air Refueling Squadrons, 92nd Bomb Wing (SAC), Fairchild AFB, WA

Jun 80- Undergraduate Navigator Training/UNT (ATC), Class 81-06, Mather AFB, CA; KC-135 Combat Crew Training Squadron/CCTS (SAC), Castle AFB, CA