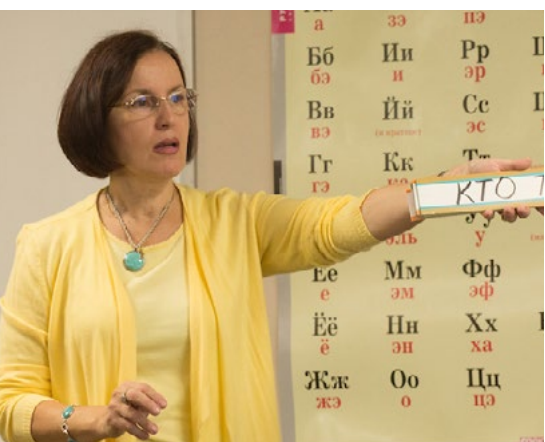


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ACADEMIC FACTS

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AVERAGE CLASS SIZE

- ▶ Student to Faculty Ratio 17:1
- ▶ All classes are taught by faculty; none are taught by teaching assistants
- ▶ Our faculty and curriculum are balanced between academic and professional training; many of our faculty members are scholars with doctoral degrees and active research agendas, while others bring decades of experience as safety professionals in the government and/or private sector

STUDENT FACTS

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APPROXIMATE NUMBER OF GRADUATE STUDENTS

- ▶ 37% Veterans
- ▶ 35% Women
- ▶ Average age of students is 30

NETWORKING EVENTS

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- ▶ Fall Career and Industry Expo
- ▶ Spring College of Security and Intelligence Career Fair
- ▶ National Security and Intelligence Symposium
- ▶ Cyber Symposium
- ▶ Distinguished Speaker Series

EXTRACURRICULAR EVENTS

OPEN ONLY TO GRADUATE STUDENTS AND FACULTY

- ▶ Distinguished Speaker Luncheons
- ▶ Off-Campus Socials
- ▶ Reception with the Embry-Riddle Prescott Chancellor, Dr. Frank Ayers, and his wife, Deborah Ayers



LOCATION FACTS

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ACRE CAMPUS

- ▶ 5,350 feet high in the Bradshaw Mountains; Natural beauty and outdoor adventure is all around
- ▶ 50-mile Prescott Circle Trail goes right through campus
- ▶ Prescott has easy air access to Los Angeles, Las Vegas; Phoenix, Flagstaff, Grand Canyon and Sedona can be reached within two hours

GRADUATE DEGREE PROGRAM

- ▶ Residential Master of Science in Security and Intelligence Studies

Available Areas of Concentration:

- Security
- Intelligence



MILITARY AND VETERAN FRIENDLY CAMPUS

Veterans can find community and support in the Student Veterans Organization and in the Veterans Affairs Office; Embry-Riddle Prescott has active military undergraduate, graduate, and veteran students.

After the attacks of September 11, 2001, Embry-Riddle Prescott decided to take on a leadership role in creating an academic program that focuses on training individuals who would become experts in global security and intelligence studies in a national, as well as a global, arena.

Today, national and international security continues to be an important, critical issue to governments, companies, and the public, with a growing need for knowledgeable security and intelligence professionals. Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University invites you to earn your master's degree at the nation's first College of Security and Intelligence in scenic Prescott, Arizona.

Why Study Security and Intelligence at Embry-Riddle Prescott?

- ▶ Strong faculty ties with members of the Intelligence Community and regular recruiter visits from various federal agencies.
- ▶ Security relationships with corporate and law enforcement entities that position graduates for unique internships and intriguing careers.
- ▶ Cyber intelligence and security electives that provide a competitive edge with future employers.
- ▶ Employers who have hired our graduates include agencies within the Intelligence Community, state intelligence agencies, military intelligence and security commands, national and multinational corporations (i.e. GE Digital), as well as private companies such as Pinkerton Security and BSI Supply Chain Services and Solutions.



ONLINE VIDEO LIBRARY
Visit our online video library to see Embry-Riddle in action.
prescott.erau.edu/video

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Our Faculty

**DR. PHILIP JONES**

Dean, College of Security & Intelligence

Ph.D. in International Relations from The Fletcher School at Tufts University

Dr. Jones is a former CIA intelligence analyst and an international security expert. His research is centered on Pakistan and broader military-political connections with India, Kashmir, Pakistan, Afghanistan, and China.

**DR. THOMAS FIELD**

Chair, Dept. of Global Security and Intelligence Studies

Ph.D. International History from London School of Economics and Political Science

Dr. Field, author of *From Development to Dictatorship*, specializes in the history of development and covert operations, especially in the context of U.S.-Latin American relations.

**DR. JON HAASS**

Chair, Dept. Cyber Intelligence and Security Studies

Ph.D. in Mathematics from Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Dr. Haass' research focuses on cyber threat information sharing in a multi-sector public-private setting and the threat vectors in emerging semi-automated transportation systems.

**DR. J. FURMAN DANIEL, III**

Ph.D. in Government with concentration in International Relations from Georgetown University

Dr. Daniel is the editor of the recent U.S. Naval Institute book *21st Century Patton: Strategic Insights for the Modern Era*. His research focuses on the nexus of international relations, political theory, and military history.

**THOMAS FOLEY**

J.D. in Law from Indiana University at Bloomington

Professor Foley's research interests concentrate on active shooter events and physical security in schools and universities.

**DR. TYRONE GROH**

Ph.D. in Government with concentration in International Relations from Georgetown University

Dr. Groh's research interests focus on the intersection between national security policy and strategy.



The Master of Science in Security & Intelligence Studies is specifically designed to shape graduates suited for jobs with government agencies such as the FBI, CIA, and the U.S. Department of Homeland Security, among others.

Private companies and corporations are experiencing a greater need than ever for security and intelligence personnel, which is why Embry-Riddle's formation of the nation's first College of Security and Intelligence (CSI) could not have taken place at a better time.

The College of Security and Intelligence has been recognized for the excellence of its graduates, who go on to become leaders for public, private, and non-profit entities across the country. Our students benefit from a vast network of industry contacts forged by our experienced faculty, and many seniors have the opportunity of signing contracts of employment before graduation. The faculty and curriculum are balanced between academic and professional training. Many of our faculty members are scholars with doctoral degrees and active research agendas, while others bring decades of experience as intelligence and security professionals in the government and/or private sector.



The 36-credit Master of Science in Security and Intelligence Studies program provides students and career professionals with the requisite skills and knowledge to excel in the areas of intelligence analysis, operations, regional military-political studies, criminal justice and law enforcement, corporate security, and cyber intelligence.

The program allows students to choose Intelligence or Security Areas of Concentration Courses, which enable students to follow their own individual interests for unique, in-depth exploration. The two-year program provides students access to advanced intelligence and security courses to ensure that upon graduating, they are capable of clear and deliberate leadership in an increasingly crucial profession.



What Our Alumni & Current Students Have to Say

I really appreciate the accessibility of professors and faculty within the MSSIS program. Not only can I seek out their expertise on academic and professional matters, but I have the opportunity to build personal relationships with them as well.

— KARISSA O. '18

I truly appreciate the one-on-one interaction with my professors and the small class size. I never have more than eight students in each class. My advice: Be ready to read, read, and read a little more.

— ROSA V. '17



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RECENT DISTINGUISHED SPEAKERS

FRANK ARCHIBALD

Former director of the CIA's National Clandestine Service. His 31 years of CIA service included assignments in Latin America, Africa, the Balkans, Southeast and Southwest Asia.

WENDY J. CHAMBERLIN

Ambassador (ret.) Wendy Chamberlin has been president of the Middle East Institute since 2007. A 29-year veteran of the U.S. Foreign Service, she was ambassador to Pakistan from 2001 to 2002.

YAËL EISENSTAT

Ms. Eisenstat is a thought leader in the global political, social and security space, having spent 17 years as a CIA analyst, a national security advisor to Vice President Biden, a diplomat, and the senior intelligence officer at the National Counterterrorism Center.

LARRY P. GOODSON, PH.D.

Dr. Larry P. Goodson holds the General Dwight D. Eisenhower Chair of National Security at the U.S. Army War College, where he serves as Professor of Middle East Studies.

DAVID C. ISBY

David C. Isby is a veteran observer of Afghanistan and Afghan wars. He is the author of four books on Afghanistan.

LINDA R. MEDLER

General Medler is the chief information security officer at Raytheon Missile Systems in Tucson Arizona, and retired brigadier general with the US Air Force.

RONALD E. NEUMANN

Ambassador (ret.) Neumann is the President of the American Academy of Diplomacy. Formerly he was a Deputy Assistant Secretary of State and served three times as Ambassador; to Algeria, Bahrain and finally to Afghanistan from July 2005 to April 2007.

KENNETH WILLIAMS

Kennth Williams is a Phoenix FBI Special Agent and author of the "Phoenix Memo".



MURRAY HENNER

J.D. in Law from Western New England College

Professor Henner's primary area of research involves post World War II legislation and revisionism in Europe.



STEVEN HOOPER

M.A. in Criminal Justice from St. Joseph's University

Professor Hooper's 30+ years of experience as the Head of Intelligence and Counterterrorism at the FBI Phoenix Field Office gave him a deep understanding of how the Intelligence Community operates and the impact it has on national security.



DR. GEOFFREY JENSEN

Ph.D. in History from University of Arkansas at Fayetteville

Dr. Jensen's research explores the history of using the American military as an instrument of social reform as it pertains to issues of race and class.



KAREN MEUNIER

M.A. in Criminal Justice from Boston University

Professor Meunier studies effective ways to put more science in the field of forensic science. For this reason and to also further advance justice policies, she initiated the launch of the *Institute for Justice Research* at Embry-Riddle's Prescott campus.



REGINALD P. PARKER

C.A.S. and M.S. in Instructional Design and Industrial & Labor Relations from Syracuse University

Professor Parker's research explores international supply chain security intelligence and structured program management. His focus on risk/threat analysis to corporate intellectual property (IP) includes developing control methodologies to enhance Brand Protection, loss prevention and anti-counterfeit initiatives. He has worked for GE, Motorola, STERIS and NXP Semiconductors in managerial roles.



DR. BROOKE SHANNON

Ph.D. in Information Science and Learning Technology from University of Missouri at Columbia

Dr. Shannon's research focuses primarily on knowledge and information practices and includes a regional interest in East Africa, primarily Kenya. She is investigating a range of research methodologies, including discourse analysis, phenomenology, and hermeneutical analysis. Dr. Shannon's most recent publication was "Storing and Sharing Traditional Knowledge in the Library," International Federation of Library Associations and Institutions 41:3 (2015).

ACADEMIC DISTINCTIONS



- ▶ Embry-Riddle founded the nation's first College of Security & Intelligence.
- ▶ Students gain from one-on-one collaboration with their professors for practical exercises, classroom studies, and field training.
- ▶ With an emphasis on reading and writing, students graduate with a comprehensive background and understanding of historical and political events which is crucial for completing effective assessments and analyses of conflicts and emergency situations.
- ▶ Study abroad programs offer once-in-a-lifetime opportunities to experience security and intelligence studies within a worldly context in destinations such as China, India, England, Pakistan, Israel, and more.
- ▶ Innovation and research are encouraged. Before graduating, students have the option to develop an experimental research project or traditional thesis on a subject of their choosing and pertaining to their unique skillsets and interest.

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GRADUATE PROGRAMS



Arizona Campus

Master of Science Security and Intelligence Studies

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CONTACT US

Schedule your visit and learn more about Embry-Riddle.

Call: 800.888.3728
Email: prescottgradinfo@erau.edu
Website: www.prescott.erau.edu

COME VISIT

A campus visit lasts about two hours and includes:

- ▶ Walking tour of campus
 - Monday through Friday, 9 am and 1 pm
 - Summer tours: Monday through Thursday, 9 am and 1 pm
 - Select Saturdays at 10 am
- ▶ Meeting with an admissions counselor
- ▶ You can also request a meeting with a professor, a financial aid counselor, or to sit in on a class.

HOW TO APPLY

Submit the following:

- ▶ Application (apply online at www.prescott.erau.edu)
- ▶ Official college/university transcripts from all institutions attended
- ▶ \$50 non-refundable application fee
- ▶ Three letters of recommendation
- ▶ Statement of Goals Essay
- ▶ Résumé
- ▶ Optional: GRE scores
- ▶ We evaluate applications on a rolling basis. Once all documents have been received, we will notify you of your admissions status.



INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

The admissions process is the same as outlined to the left, except for these additional requirements:

- ▶ If English is not your primary language, you must take the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) and score a 79 or higher on the Internet-based exam, or at least a 6 on the International English Language Testing System (IELTS) exam. Students not meeting the TOEFL or IELTS minimum scores can fulfill this requirement by studying English at the *Embry-Riddle Language Institute (ERLI)* at the Prescott Campus. It is also possible to complete Level 112 at an ELS Language Center.
- ▶ Proof of funding is required for the first year of study.

FINANCIAL AID

To apply for need-based financial aid:

- ▶ Fill out the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) at www.fafsa.ed.gov. FAFSA is now available on October 1.
- ▶ Include Embry-Riddle's federal school code on the FAFSA: 001479.

- ▶ Notification of your complete financial aid package will arrive 3-6 weeks after FAFSA submittal. Federal and state financial aid programs are available to U.S. citizens or permanent residents who qualify.

SCHOLARSHIPS

- ▶ Are based on student abilities both inside and outside the classroom.
- ▶ Do not have to be repaid.
- ▶ Are sometimes need-based and require a FAFSA be submitted (see Financial Aid).
- ▶ Priority due dates to be considered for a scholarship:
Fall Admission (March 15)
Spring Admission (October 15)