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Dr. Robert M. Brzenchek is a distinguished expert in public service leadership, criminal justice, and cybersecurity. As the founder of the Brzenchek Foundation Corp, he has dedicated his career to advancing research and policy development in gang-related issues, emergency management, intelligence, and risk assessment. Having successfully completed his PhD program with a research focus on gangs, Dr. Brzenchek brings a wealth of knowledge and expertise to the fields of security and law enforcement. He holds a Master's in Strategic Intelligence and Terrorism from the American Military University, as well as an undergraduate degree from George Mason University.

With extensive experience across both public and private sectors, Dr. Brzenchek has worked with national agencies, governments, and international organizations on security matters, information sharing, and advanced technologies to combat transnational threats. His contributions to the development of the **International ISO 27k standard** alongside Michael Penders have shaped innovative risk assessment methodologies.

Dr. Brzenchek's background as a law enforcement officer in Washington, DC, a military intelligence specialist, an emergency management expert at state and federal levels, and an academic instructor has provided him with a multifaceted perspective in policy development. His expertise has been sought after for **gang situational awareness presentations** to prestigious audiences, including International Fellows at the **National Defense University** and the **Marines 3D Civil Affairs Group** at Naval Station Great Lakes.

He has authored **numerous articles and books** on emergency management, threat assessments, and security, including *Transnational Organized Crime – Prevention, Intervention, and Suppression of Cybersecurity* (Roman and Littlefield) and *The Gang Life: Laugh Now, Cry Later – Suppression and Prevention* (CRC Press, Taylor and Francis).

Dr. Brzenchek is the Managing Director of Sentinel Force Global Solutions, an active member of prominent professional organizations such as the OSS Society and Masonic Lodges and has played a key role in the Bureau of International Narcotics and Law Enforcement for the Department of State as an international law enforcement consultant, and ASIS Investigative Technical Committee, contributing to the development of Security Management Systems (SMS) standards. He has served on several boards, including SERAPH, Infragard, the Philadelphia Crime Prevention Council, and the Congressionally mandated Strengthening the Mid-Atlantic Region for Tomorrow (SMART) Cyber Group.

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