

Nicholas Alford is a highly accomplished security professional, military veteran, and training instructor with over 15 years of proven expertise in law enforcement, security operations, and personnel development. Currently serving as a Federal Services Division (FSD) Training Instructor for Walden Security, Nicholas designs, delivers, and evaluates high-quality training programs in compliance with federal contracts and Statements of Work. His responsibilities include curriculum development, onboarding and orientation for new employees, and maintaining certification and credential compliance through accurate Learning Management System (LMS) tracking.

Nicholas's U.S. Navy career spanned multiple high-impact leadership and operational roles, including Police Supervisor, Work Center Supervisor, and Tactical Operations Command Center Operator. In these positions, he led and mentored teams of up to 45 personnel in complex, high-pressure environments, managed multimillion-dollar logistics operations, and coordinated large-scale security efforts during high-profile events such as presidential visits and international dignitary appearances. His work also included tactical harbor patrols, nuclear weapons security, emergency services dispatch, and specialized anti-terrorism operations.

Academically, Nicholas holds an Associate of Science in Information Technology and is completing his Bachelor of Science in Cybersecurity at Full Sail University, maintaining a high GPA throughout his studies. He has earned multiple professional certifications and completed extensive specialized training in weapons instruction, crisis response, antiterrorism measures, and advanced leadership.

Recognized for his professionalism, attention to detail, and ability to inspire confidence in trainees and team members, Nicholas brings a unique blend of operational experience, instructional expertise, and technical knowledge. His commitment to excellence, both in the classroom and in the field, ensures that personnel under his instruction are fully prepared to meet the demands of their roles while upholding the highest standards of safety and performance.