

# Isaiah J. Berg

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## EDUCATION

- Spring 2017      **TUCK SCHOOL OF BUSINESS AT DARTMOUTH**      Hanover, NH  
*Executive Education Program, Next Step: Transition to Business, March 2017*  
Coursework Includes: Financial Analysis, Business Analytics, Strategy, Operations, and Entrepreneurship.
- 2007-2011      **DARTMOUTH COLLEGE**      Hanover, NH  
*A.B. Geography with a minor in Economics, June 2011*  
President of Sigma Phi Epsilon Fraternity, Dartmouth's largest fraternity with \$100K annual budget.  
President of Dartmouth Cycling, directed collegiate championship race event with 500 racers and \$20K budget.  
Angulo World Experience Award scholarship winner for excellence in foreign study in the Czech Republic.
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## EXPERIENCE

- 2012-present      **THE BASIC SCHOOL, USMC**      Quantico, Virginia  
*Staff Platoon Commander (2017-present)*
- Commanded 49 newly-commissioned Marine officers, providing six months of intensive instruction in tactics, leadership, and decision making in settings ranging from classrooms to forests to live-fire weapons ranges.
  - Built ethical decision making case with LAPD Homicide Detective John Skaggs from the book *Ghettoside*.
  - Designed and implemented new method of tracking and evaluating student performance at The Basic School which was adopted voluntarily by five independent student companies, saving 500+ instructor-hours and improving the quality and specificity of feedback to student officers.
- Warfighting Instructor (2016-2017)*
- Instructed 1000+ newly-commissioned Marine officers in infantry tactics and small unit leadership.
  - Supervised and conducted hundreds of hours of instruction in tactical planning and decision making.
  - Created two decision making case studies based upon Marine and Army infantry units fighting in Vietnam, which received the highest ratings of any other lecture by students during their first phase of instruction.
- FIRST BATTALION, FIFTH MARINE REGIMENT, USMC**      Camp Pendleton, California  
*Rifle Company Executive Officer (2015-2016)*
- Served as second-in-command for a 165-Marine infantry unit operating in California and Southeast Asia.
  - Planned and executed over 30 training exercises for hundreds of Marines alongside foreign military personnel from Singapore and South Korea, resulting in award of Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medal.
  - Managed operational readiness of weapon, vehicle, and equipment set totaling more than \$1M in value.
  - Supervised the deployment and retrograde of all equipment to and from SE Asia without any lost items.
  - Mitigated risk for complex, high-risk training events across domestic and overseas military installations and amphibious US Navy vessels, resulting in perfect safety record for over 30 major training events.
- Rifle Platoon Commander (2014)*
- Commanded a 40-Marine infantry unit in training and deployment throughout California and Australia.
  - Planned and executed military training exercises for hundreds of Marines and Australian service members, building bilateral relationships with our partners and improving interoperability of infantry and artillery units.
  - Employed weapons, optics, and other equipment totaling more than \$200K in value.
- 2011-2012      **BOUND SOUTH**      The Americas  
*Writer*
- Lead a 16,000-mile independent bicycle expedition from Alaska to Argentina with two brothers.
  - Raised \$50,000+ in donations and built single-family home through Habitat for Humanity in North Dakota.
  - Documented journey at [www.BoundSouth.org](http://www.BoundSouth.org), awarded "Freshly Pressed" by editors of Wordpress.
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## PERSONAL

- Public Affairs Officer for the Dartmouth College Uniformed Service Alumni.
- Published writing in the *Marine Corps Gazette*, the professional military journal of the Marine Corps.
- Locally renowned grain cart operator on Berg family farm and cattle ranch in North Dakota.