

RILEY FOSTER

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EDUCATION

Georgetown University, McDonough School of Business
Master of Business Administration, Non-Market Strategy

Washington, DC
May 2025

- Military Association- *Vice President*; Healthcare Business Alliance- *Executive Vice President*

Marywood University, Center for Natural and Health Sciences
Bachelor of Science, Biology

Scranton, PA
May 2015

EXPERIENCE

Bristol Myers Squibb

Princeton, NJ

Technology Rotational Development Program - Summer Intern

June 2024 - August 2024

- **Statistical Analysis and Data Intelligence:** Created a library of time-series data for clinical drug development study start up sites to diagnose timeline statistics more accurately; performed a series of linear regression analyses on timeline segments to identify a potential \$2M savings from reducing a single step of the process by one day
- **Predictive Modeling for Insight:** Created a Monte Carlo simulator in Python to better forecast drug development timeline expectations; the simulation pulled data direct from a customized local library and ran 10,000 iterations in <60 seconds

Office of The Surgeon General

Washington, DC

Policy Staff Officer & Executive Assistant

May 2022 - May 2023

- **Strategic Liaison and Transformation Catalyst:** Appointed and served as the personal aide for the Surgeon General's chief of operations; later transitioning to a medical operations & policy staff officer, collaborating on the Army's Suicide Recovery Strategy
- **Diplomatic Engagement Management:** Scheduled and maintained numerous diplomatic engagements with senior members of the Department of Defense and the White House
- **Policy Creation & Implementation:** Reviewed and analyzed national medical policy to be published by the Surgeon General, receiving the Meritorious Service Medal for distinguished contributions to army medicine

10th Mountain Division & U.S. Forces- Afghanistan

Parwan Province, Afghanistan

Company Commander & Medical Operations Director

July 2019 - May 2022

- **Strategic & Cross-Functional Leadership:** Instated for early command above 30 peers; spearheaded a logistics company of 250 personnel augmented by 400 NATO partners and contractors while on mission for thirteen months
- **Multimodal Logistics Expertise:** Planned, resourced, and executed over 80 combat airlift missions to close three forward operating bases, major parts of Kandahar Airfield, and closed Bagram Airfield
- **High Stakes Asset Management:** Relocated and secured over \$4.5B worth of US and NATO property via airlift out of Afghanistan; conferred the Meritorious Unit Citation directed by President Biden
- **Pandemic Response Strategy:** Oversaw the formation of the first quarantine facilities on Fort Drum in response to the COVID-19 pandemic. Maintained feeding plans, medication deliveries, and physician assessments for over 200 personnel.

101st Airborne Division & U.S. Forces-Afghanistan

Various Locations, Afghanistan

Executive Officer

March 2018 - July 2019

- **Operational Deputy and NATO Strategist:** Selected for position over ten peers, second in command for a 200-personnel company augmented by 600 NATO partners and contractors while deployed to Afghanistan. Concurrently served as a NATO staff officer during the defense of Afghan forces against ISIS-K
- **Unconventional Problem Solving:** Specially requested by senior NATO staff to design a self-sufficient strike cell package to halt ISIS-K invasion of Northwestern Afghanistan; directly enabled mission success by denying insurgent seizure of over 300 square miles of strategic terrain

DISTINCTIONS

Achievement

Awarded the Bronze Star Medal and Joint Service Commendation Medal (Combat Device) for achievement in Afghanistan; honored by the Bosnian Army for combat leadership.

Technical Skills

Full MS Office Suite, GPT Specialized Prompt Writing, Python, SQL, Tableau, Power BI