

## CURRICULUM VITAE

### David John Schwendiman

International Prosecutor  
 Deputy Chief Prosecutor  
 Head, Special Department for War Crimes  
 Prosecutor's Office of Bosnia and Herzegovina

### EDUCATION

College- University of Utah, Honors Bachelor of Arts, *magna cum laude*, American Studies (1974)

Honors Program  
 Intercollegiate athlete (NCAA) - athletics (track and field) - varsity letter  
 1971  
 Phi Kappa Phi academic honor society  
 Rhodes Scholarship candidate

Graduate School - University of Utah College of Law, Juris Doctor (1976) (emphasis in international law)

Book Review Editor - *Journal of Contemporary Law* (1975 - 1976)  
 Moot Court Honor Board (1975 to 1976)  
 Bar and Gavel Society (1976)

United States Navy, Judge Advocate General's School, Newport, Rhode Island, 1977

### PROFESSIONAL

Bar certifications and licenses

Admitted to practice before Section I for War Crimes of the Criminal and Appellate Divisions of the Court of Bosnia and Herzegovina – 2006 to present  
 Utah State Bar - 1976 to present (inactive while on service in Bosnia and Herzegovina)  
 United States District Court for the District of Utah - 1976 to present (inactive while on service in Bosnia and Herzegovina)  
 United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit - 1976 to present (active)  
 United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit - 1980 to present

(active)  
United States Supreme Court - 1987 to present (active)  
United States Court of Appeals for the Armed Forces - 2005 to present  
(active)

#### Professional employment

15 May 2006 to present – International Prosecutor, Special Department for War Crimes, Prosecutor’s Office of Bosnia and Herzegovina

27 September 2006 to 17 September 2007 – Registrar, Special Department for War Crimes, Special Department for Organized Crime, Economic Crime and Corruption, Prosecutor’s Office of Bosnia and Herzegovina

15 November 2007 to present – Deputy Chief Prosecutor, Head of the Special Department for War Crimes, Prosecutor’s Office of Bosnia and Herzegovina

1987 to present - United States Attorneys Office, District of Utah/United States Department of Justice

2006 to present – On leave from the United States Attorneys Office, District of Utah/United States Department of Justice while acting as an International Prosecutor, Special Department for War Crimes, Prosecutor’s Office of Bosnia and Herzegovina

1998 to 2006 - Assistant United States Attorney/Counsel to the United States Attorney (violent crime, terrorism, homeland security, criminal appeals)

United States Attorney General’s representative to Games of the XXVIIIth Olympiad, Athens, 2004 - 2003 to 2004

Local Department of Justice Coordinator and United States Attorney General’s representative for Olympic security planning, preparation and operations for the XIXth Olympic Winter Games, Salt Lake City, 2002 - 1998 to 2002

Deputy Director, Utah Olympic Public Safety Command (UOPSC), 2000

United States Attorney General's representative to Games of the XXVIIth Olympiad, Sydney, Australia, 2000 - 1999 to 2000

Assignments with Department of Justice office for Overseas Prosecutorial Development Assistance and Training (OPDAT) - Thailand (2002), Bangladesh (2003, 2004, 2005, 2006), Bahrain (2004), Maldives (2002), Vietnam (2005), Bosnia and Herzegovina (2005)

Member, United States Attorney General's Attorney Critical Incident Response Group (ACIRG) - 1995 to 2005.

United States Attorney's representative to the Governor's Homeland Security Advisory Council - 2005 to 2006

1998 - Interim United States Attorney for the District of Utah

Attorney General's Advisory Committee - Subcommittees on Native American Affairs, Terrorism, Immigration

1993 to 1998 - First Assistant United States Attorney (administration, violent crime, terrorism, hate crime coordinator, criminal appeals)

1990 to 1993 - Chief, Organized Crime Drug Enforcement Task Force (drug crime, organized crime, criminal appeals)

1987 to 1993 - Assistant United States Attorney (violent crime, hate crime, general crime, criminal appeals)

1983 to 1987 - Assistant Utah Attorney General (violent crime, fraud, public corruption, appeals, including death penalty appeals)

1983 to 1987 - Special Assistant United States Attorney, District of Utah (fraud, violent crime, prison corruption)

1977 to 1983 - Active duty, United States Navy, Judge Advocate General Corps (prosecute and defend military general and special courts-martial, command adviser)

Highest rank achieved - Lieutenant Commander (O-4)

Served on active duty in assignments on Midway Island (1977 to

1978), Guam (1978 to 1981) and Whidbey Island, Washington (1981 to 1983)

1982 to 1983 - Special Assistant United States Attorney, Western District of Washington (prosecuted civilian crimes committed on naval reservations)

1979 to 1980 - Special Assistant United States Attorney, District of Guam (prosecuted civilian crimes committed on military reservations, advise regarding Fisheries Conservation Management Act, defended medical malpractice actions)

Completed service in the United States Naval Reserve in 1991 as Lieutenant Commander assigned to duty with Naval Intelligence (CINCPAC)

1976 to 1977 - Assistant Utah Attorney General (violent crime, appeals, including death penalty appeals, antitrust)

#### Academic appointments

1994 to present - Adjunct Professor of Law, SJ Quinney College of Law, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, Utah

Trial Advocacy  
Forensic and Scientific Evidence  
Legal Responses to Terrorism

#### Professional organizations

Federal Bar Association - President (1995)  
International Association of Prosecutors  
American Society of International Law

#### Boards, committees and commissions

Utah Supreme Court Advisory Committee, Criminal Procedure - 1986 to 1990

Governor's Commission on Grand Jury Reform - 1984 to 1986

Westminster College, Criminal Justice Studies Advisory Board - 2005 to present

Utah Valley State College, Institute for Homeland Security, Advisory Board -  
2005 to present

SJ Quinney College of Law Alumni Board of Directors - 1998 to 2000

## **AWARDS/HONORS**

1997 - Executive Office for United States Attorneys Director's Award for Superior Performance as an Assistant United States Attorney (Lebaron crime family investigations and prosecutions)

2002 - United States Attorney General's Award for Outstanding Contributions to Community Partnerships for Public Safety (Olympic planning, preparation and operations)

2002 - United States Attorney's Award (Olympic planning, preparation and operations)

2002 - Olympic Torch - Salt Lake Organizing Committee for the Olympic Games (service to the 2002 Games and the Olympic Movement)

2002 - Peter Billings Distinguished Teaching Award, SJ Quinney College of Law, University of Utah

2003 - American Bar Association Minister of Justice Medal

## **PRESENTATIONS**

"Developing and Testing District Crisis Response Plans: Intradistrict and Multi-Jurisdictional Planning," United States Department of Justice Crisis Management Coordinators Conference, National Advocacy Center, Columbia, South Carolina, October 1999

"Development of Upgraded Crisis Response Capabilities," United States Department of Justice Crisis Management Coordinators Conference, National Advocacy Center, Columbia, South Carolina, October 1999

"Survivor Dynamics in the Prosecution of Catastrophic Crimes," Utah Council on Victims of Crime, Thirteenth Annual Crime Victim's Conference, Salt Lake City, Utah, April 27, 2000

“Anti-Terrorism and Counter-Terrorism Grand Strategy: The State and Local Government,” National Governor’s Association, Western Regional Terrorism Policy Forum, Snowbird, Utah, June 19, 2000

“Public Safety, OPSEC and the 2002 Olympic Winter Games,” National Operations Security Conference and Exhibition, Snowbird, Utah, May 16, 2002

“Collection, Analysis and Dissemination of Criminal Intelligence in Multi-Agency, Mutli-Jurisdictional, Multi-Task Law Enforcement Environments: Intelligence for the 2002 Olympic Winter Games,” United States Department of Justice Anti-Terrorism Coordinators Conference, San Diego, California, April 17, 2002

“The Role of the Legal Advisor/Prosecutor in the Planning and Management of Large Scale Public Events and Incidents Involving Civil Disorder,” Senior Criminal Justice Executive Program Session IX, International Law Enforcement Academy, Bangkok, Thailand, June 25, 2002

“Pre-Event Planning and Coordination Among Police, Prosecutors and Other Public Safety Service Providers in Connection with Major Planned Events and Incidents Involving Civil Disorder,” Senior Criminal Justice Executive Program Session IX, International Law Enforcement Academy, Bangkok, Thailand, June 25, 2002

“Human Rights, Humanitarian Law and the Management of Major Planned Events and the Response to Incidents Involving Civil Disorder,” Senior Criminal Justice Executive Program Session IX, International Law Enforcement Academy, Bangkok, Thailand, June 26, 2002

“Legal Considerations Surrounding the Collection, Analysis, Dissemination and Use of Intelligence in Connection with Police Planning and Response to Major Planned Events and in Case of Incidents Involving Civil Disorder,” Senior Criminal Justice Executive Program Session IX, International Law Enforcement Academy, Bangkok, Thailand, June 27, 2002

“Attacking Gangs in Context: Prosecution Approaches to Organized Criminal Conduct,” Salt Lake Gang Conference, Salt Lake City, Utah, April 24,25, 2003

“Security Risk Theory: Sizing It Right and Managing It Well,” 2003 National OPSEC Conference and Exhibition, San Diego, California, May 22, 2003

“Homeland Security Issues and Concerns for State Attorneys General,” Conference of Western Attorneys General, Summer Meeting, Park City, Utah, July 27, 2003

“Homeland Security for the Reservation,” Four Corners Law Enforcement Conference, Albuquerque, New Mexico, August 29, 2003

“Security Risk: Identifying and Managing Security Risk,” International Sports Law and Business in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century, 9<sup>th</sup> International Association of Sports Law Congress, Marquette University Law School, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, September 25, 2003

“Strategic Education and the Law School,” Johns Hopkins University School for Advanced International Studies, Center for Strategic Education, Teacher’s Workshop, Stowe, Vermont, July 2004

Lecture, Opening Statements, Orrin G. Hatch Distinguished Trial Lawyer Lecture Series, J. Reuben Clark Law School, Brigham Young University, November, 2004

Lecture, Expert Witnesses, Orrin G. Hatch Distinguished Trial Lawyer Lecture Series, J. Reuben Clark Law School, Brigham Young University, November 2004

“Investigating and Prosecuting Drug Trafficking: An Examination of United States Best Practices,” Hanoi, Socialist Republic of Vietnam, June 15 through June 28, 2005

## PUBLICATIONS

David Schwendiman, “The Charging Decision: At Play in the Prosecutor’s Nursery,” 2 Brigham Young University Journal of Public Law 35 (1988)

David Schwendiman, “Changing the Face of Hate: Hate and Hate Crime - An Introduction,” published in *Conference Report, The Changing Face of Hate: A National Symposium (May 18 - 19, 1999)* (Salt Lake City, Utah: United States Attorneys Office, January 2000)

David Schwendiman, “The Bar, The Courts, Criminal Justice and the Olympics: Handling the Impact of the Olympic Games on the Courts, Law Practice and Criminal Justice in Utah,” 14 Utah Bar Journal 8 (November 2001)

David Schwendiman, *Utah Olympic Legal Affairs Handbook* (3 volumes) (Salt Lake City, Utah: Utah Olympic Public Safety Command, 2001)

David Schwendiman, *CICAD Working Library* (Salt Lake City, Utah: Utah Olympic Public Safety Command, 2001)

David Schwendiman, Post-Event Assessment, Legal Affairs/Criminal Justice (Salt

Lake City, Utah: Utah Olympic Public Safety Command, 2002)

David Schwendiman, Post-Event Assessment, Federal Olympic Affairs (Salt Lake City, Utah: Utah Olympic Public Safety Command, 2002)

Wayne McCormack, David Schwendiman, *Teacher's Manual: Legal Responses to Terrorism* (Newark, NJ, LexisNexis, 2005)

David Schwendiman, *Investigating and Prosecuting Drug Trafficking: An Examination of United States Best Practices (Vietnam Version)* (Washington, DC: United States Department of Justice, Office of Overseas Prosecutorial Development, Assistance and Training (OPDAT), 2005)