

## **NORMAN BALCHUNAS, COL, USAF (RET)**

**Colonel Norm Balchunas** commanded combat units to include B-52s, and deployed B-1, B-2 and B-52 operations in Iraq and Afghanistan. Assignments included joint tours with the Joint Warfare Analysis Center, and Joint Forces Command, leading Special Technical Operations for employment of offensive cybersecurity operations, and Information Operations during several combat operations. Prior to retirement, Norm directed the USAF ROTC program to include 128 Universities, and 984 JROTC high school units around the globe.



Following retirement Norm was the Executive Director (operations) for an international military trade association developing electronic warfare and cyber security capabilities. Norm then stood up the Drexel University Applied Informatics Group; as Chief Operations Officer for a university research business group, and was a Principal Investigator for DARPA, AFRL and NRL in Electronic Warfare, Connectivity and Informatic programs, while establishing a Master's curriculum and degree in Cybersecurity. Norm was then the Senior Vice President for a cyber analytics company that lead the engineering services for the USAF Air Operations Center modernization and directed the standup of the Security Exchange Commission Cyber Watch program, monitoring the major stock/trading centers in America.

Norm is currently the Honeywell Service and Connectivity business development senior director for electronic warfare, cybersecurity and digital transformation.