

Harry W. Trombitas

Born – Alliance, Ohio

B.A. Criminal Justice, The Ohio State University – 1978

Police Officer/Detective at Northwestern University in Evanston, Illinois – ‘78-‘79

Supervisor/Director of Public Safety at Creighton University, Omaha, Nebraska – ’79-‘83

Masters Degree in Counseling/Psychology in ’82 at Creighton University

Became an FBI Agent in 1983. Assigned to the Omaha, St. Louis, and New York Divisions before transfer to the Columbus Office in December 1991. Worked predominantly violent crime including bank robbery, kidnapping, serial murder, crimes against children, criminal profiling, threat assessment, and served as the FBI’s spokesperson since 2003. Retired from the FBI on April 30, 2012.

Current Positions:

System Vice President, Security Operations at OhioHealth

Director of the Police Executive Leadership College (PELC) for the Ohio Association of Chiefs of Police

Sociology Lecturer at The Ohio State University

Personal:

Married for 34 years to wife – Barb, also an OSU alum

Two children – Matt and Kristen, both graduates of The Ohio State University