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Peter Romary is a Senior Consultant with SIGMA Threat Management Associates, as well as an attorney licensed to practice law in North Carolina, the District of Columbia and before the US Supreme Court; and, a Certified Arbitrator and Mediator. He holds both British and American law degrees. Originally from the UK, Romary is also a naturalized US citizen. In his practice, Romary has concentrated on civil and criminal litigation, alternative dispute resolution and risk management. Starting in 1996, Romary represented pro bono over 100 victims of domestic, sexual or interpersonal violence per year and continued until he moved to academe. In 1998 Romary obtained a \$525 Million wrongful death jury verdict, at the time a world record and still the largest jury verdict in North Carolina. In 2002, the National Law Journal named Romary one of the “Top 40 Trial Lawyers under 40 Years Old in the USA” and awarded him their Pro Bono Attorney of the Year Award. In 2003 Romary was one of 52 men from around the world honored in the Times Square Project for their work combating violence against women. In 2004, Romary received a Knighthood and the Ellis Island Medal of Honor (highest civilian honor sanctioned by the US House and Senate). In addition, Romary has been honored by 14 States with an array of honors that include Honorary Colonel of Alabama, Honorary Lt. Governor of Alabama, and Honorary Lt. Governor of Oklahoma. He is a Life Member of the Million Dollar Advocates Forum and has received the Honor Medal for Distinguished Public Service from the American Police Hall of Fame. In 2007, Romary was appointed Honorary Consul for the Republic of Namibia to North Carolina and opened the first diplomatic mission for any African nation in that State. In 2010 the UNC Association of Student Governments gave Romary their highest honor, the “John Sanders Award for Student Advocacy”. Peter Romary now serves as Director of Student Legal Services and Adjunct Lecturer at East Carolina University. He designs courses on personal, corporate, and educational safety as well as threat assessment and lectures frequently on legal, risk management, threat assessment and management, detection of deception and conflict resolution topics around the US and overseas.