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Tara Conway is Director of Operations for SIGMA Threat Management Associates LLC. At SIGMA, Ms. Conway coordinates all training and case consultation operations. She also oversees all strategic review projects, both for clients developing new threat assessment programs and for those looking to evaluate existing programs. She has experience collaborating with national and international intelligence agencies, Department of Defense elements, as well as local, state and federal law enforcement agencies to analyze threats and coordinate efforts in the areas of response and prevention. Ms. Conway has a diverse background in threat assessment, having worked in the areas of protective intelligence, safety in schools, preventing targeted terrorist violence, and biometrics. Prior to joining SIGMA, she worked with the U.S. Secret Service for ten years in threat assessment and protective intelligence, where she served as a senior analyst in the Intelligence Division and National Threat Assessment Center. She was responsible for the case management of subjects considered dangerous to U.S. Secret Service protectees. Additionally, she was responsible for the research, development, and preparation of threat assessments on numerous protectees, visiting Heads of State, and foreign dignitaries. She developed and presented training in support of protective intelligence investigations and provided intelligence support in the coordinating centers of major events, such as the Democratic National Convention and the World Trade Organization. Ms. Conway also managed a program designed to enlist the support of psychiatrists contracted by the U.S. Secret Service to consult on cases involving subjects with mental illness who were likely to conduct violent action against U.S. Secret Service protectees. In this role, she established a liaison between the mental health community, law enforcement agencies, and protective intelligence subjects. She has conducted research and analysis for Department of Homeland Security and Department of Defense initiatives in the areas of: bio-surveillance, first responder capabilities for disaster and emergency response, law enforcement and corrections requirements for new technologies and policy/doctrine development, trends in global and domestic terrorism to inform and facilitate corresponding policy and training, combatant commands policy development, securing the nation's border and ports of entry, and training cadre design and development for behavioral intelligence teams. Ms. Conway has a B.A. and an M.A. in Psychology.