

# **R. Paul Maiden**

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## **Biography**

Dr Maiden joined the school's Virtual Academic Center as a full time teaching faculty in August 2017 teaching in both the DSW and MSW programs. Prior to his 'migration to the clouds,' from 2010-17, Dr Maiden served as Executive Vice Dean and Professor with operational responsibility for a top-ranked, and the largest graduate school of social work in the United States, with 3,200 MSW students in five academic centers. He is also a faculty member in the Department of Social Change and Innovation. He spearheaded the development of the school's military social work, created the San Diego Academic Center, expanded the school's annual global immersion offerings and led the development of the school's Virtual Academic Center, the first fully synchronous and asynchronous web-based MSW program serving a national and international student population. He also lead the development of the DSW, a professional doctorate in Innovation, Leadership and Advanced Social Work Practice Management Complex Systems.

Dr. Maiden brings 30 years of expertise to the field of workplace human services. He was Editor-in-Chief (2000-2015) of the Journal of Workplace Behavioral Health, the only peer-reviewed journal in employee assistance research and practice. Dr. Maiden has published extensively in the areas of employee assistance programs, substance abuse and workplace legislation, trauma management, as well as the evaluation of work-based human services, AIDS in the workplace, alcohol abuse and domestic violence at work, and managed behavioral health care. In addition, he has authored numerous articles and book chapters on employee assistance, workplace behavioral health, occupational social work and international program development.

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## **Industry Expertise**

Mental Health Care, Education/Learning, Health and Wellness

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## **Areas of Expertise**

Technology Enhanced and Online Learning, Hiv/Aids, Workplace Trauma, Violence, Higher Education, Substance Abuse, Managed Care, Employee Assistance, Work/Life and Wellness

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## **Affiliations**

Council on Social Work Education , National Association of Social Workers , Society for Social Work Research, Employee Assistance Professional Association

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## **Education**

**University of Maryland**  
PhD Social Work

**University of Tennessee**  
MSSW Social Work

**Angelo State University**  
BA Communications and Psychology

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## **Accomplishments**

**2017 Lifetime Achievement Award**  
Employee Assistance Professionals Association

**2015 Outstanding Leadership in the Profession**  
Employee Assistance Society of North America

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