

About the Instructor



Dr. Kevin D. Sly was born in Hodge, Louisiana on February 16, 1960. He grew up in Kansas City, Missouri, and graduated from East High School in 1978. He is the second child of six of Sanford and Patsy R. Sly (Robinson). He is married to Catherine (nee Carter), with 3 adult children, and 9 grandchildren.

He has over 40 years of Information Technology experience. Upon graduation from college, he worked for over 12 years as a Software Development Officer in the United States Air Force as a Computer Programmer/Analyst, Advanced Weapons System Operational Test and Evaluation Manager, Project Manager, and Aerospace AFROTC Instructor. Upon leaving the Air Force in 1996, he taught over 6000 students in a variety of courses in higher education. He also has 3 years of teaching experience in elementary, junior high, and high school.

In addition to teaching, he has served in various capacities at Grambling State University to include: the first University and College of Business Web Administrator, and University Computer Security Administrator. He also worked for several years as Director/Instructor of First Year Experience.

He holds a Bachelor's degree in Computer Science from Grambling State University, a Master's degree in Computer Resource and Information Management from Webster University, and a Doctorate in Education, specializing in Developmental Education from Grambling State University. He has taken Quantitative Analysis courses from Louisiana Tech University, and Human Resource Management courses from the University of Oklahoma.

Dr. Sly is the president/CEO/founder of Slyconian Logic LLC. He is experienced in the use of Advanced Participative, Interactive and Engagement (PIE) Techniques using Visual Basic for Applications (VBA) computer programming language in the Microsoft Integrated Development Environment (IDE).

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He is an ordained Baptist Minister, and also a proud member of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc.