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*"Success doesn't get  
you better friends,  
but it does get you  
a better class of  
adversary"*

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A TRAILBLAZER IN COUNTERINTELLIGENCE AND INNOVATION

## CYRUS C. MIRYEKTA

A JOURNEY OF SERVICE, INNOVATION, AND IMPACT

Cyrus Miryekta is a highly decorated counterintelligence professional and entrepreneur who protects innovators from the predatory practices of our adversaries.

Cyrus Miryekta serves as the CEO of Ravelin US, a small national security advisory firm focused on fortifying America's innovation backbone through threat identification and removal. In the last 12 months Ravelin's work has generated policy from the White House debarring a massive foreign conglomerate, removing adversarial funds from five startups, expelling four infiltrators, and saving a CEO from hostile takeover by a foreign tech transfer agent. Cyrus also sits on the advisory board of five companies and has ensured their strategic longevity.

Cyrus is a plank holder at DIU, and established the counterintelligence programs for AFWERX, SPACEWERX, and USAF Innovation. He broke a 70-year run of USG counterintelligence "support" via fiat, instead leveraging American virtues of trust, patriotism, and openness to establish a whole-of-country approach to preserving technology while disrupting threats. For his impact to national security, Cyrus received an unprecedented 9 national intelligence awards.

Cyrus's distinguished military career includes his service as a paratrooper with the 82nd Airborne. In 2004 he was decorated for his actions under fire and for saving a civilian in Fallujah, Iraq. Throughout his career, he has been assigned to numerous task forces both in the US and abroad, including attachments to the 19th Group and collaborations with several foreign intelligence services.

Cyrus earned a Master of Arts in Statecraft and National Security from the Institute of World Politics, a Bachelor of Arts in Political Science and Government from California State University, and a Certificate for Space Business Leadership and Policy from Arizona State University. Additionally, he has completed several government mil-space courses from The National Security Space Institute and has published works on Hezbollah in South America.

Cyrus's legacy is one of service, innovation, and impact. His contributions to counterintelligence and national security have left an indelible mark on the field, and his work continues to inspire and guide future generations.