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Areas of Expertise:

- Higher Education Benefits for Military Personnel

Lt. Col. (ret.) Lizotte is Director of Post University Military Programs and Veterans Affairs. He has been with Post University for three years, and has been the driving force behind Post's ability to provide active duty, veterans and Military dependents access to a high quality college education.

Mr. Lizotte is an Army/Army National Guard Retired Lieutenant Colonel with 25 years of service. He enlisted in 1978 in the Massachusetts Army National Guard and earned his commission as a 2nd Lieutenant from the University of Massachusetts ROTC program in 1981. In July 1983, he served in Germany as an Infantry Platoon Leader, Infantry Company Executive Officer and Brigade Personnel Officer. In 1987, he was an instructor at the United States Army Infantry School training new 2nd Lieutenants how to be Infantry Platoon Leaders. In 1988, he left the Active Army and went back to the Massachusetts Army National Guard as an Active Guard/Reserve Officer. There, he was an Infantry Company Commander, Battalion and Brigade Operations Officer, Recruiting Battalion Commander, and finally the State of Massachusetts Logistics Management Officer. He retired from the Army National Guard as a Lieutenant Colonel in 2003.

In 2010, Mr. Lizotte co-authored a book entitled, *Military Education Benefits to College: A Comprehensive Guide for Military Members, Veterans and Their Dependents*. He also is a member of the Manchester Community College Veterans Council and provides information and serves as a liaison to other community colleges on Veterans issues.

Mr. Lizotte is married and has two sons. Daniel is a Marine stationed in Camp Pendleton, and Chris is in the Army National Guard in Massachusetts. Both completed a deployment to Iraq. Chris also served in Afghanistan.

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