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Mr. Konkus was awarded the Air Force Association of Florida’s Congressional Staff Member of the year in 2008 for his service to military members, veterans and their families. Mr. Konkus was awarded a full scholarship by the University of Maryland, where he holds a degree in government and politics, to study abroad in the Republic of Vietnam in 1998. Mr. Konkus is native Washingtonian.

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