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EDUCATION

PhD The University of Buckingham – Education September 2020
Dissertation: *Utilizing Distributed Ledger Technology to Integrate Anglophone and Indigenous Pedagogies – The Case for Hawaii*
Committee Chair: James Tooley – Vice Chancellor

MBA The Thunderbird Graduate School at Arizona State University June 1975
Master of International Management: Major: Finance/Accounting
Graduated with High Honors

BA Brigham Young University August 1973
Majors: Chinese (Mandarin) and Asian History
Minors: Japanese and Asian Studies,
Graduated Magna Cum Laude with Highest Honors

Diploma in Chinese Law - University of East Asia, Hong Kong March 1987

HONORS AND AWARDS

Title of Award: *Presidential Award of Excellence – Utah Valley University* 2019
Brief description: Award for Outstanding Service to the University and Community in the area of fundraising and student academic research and support services

Title of Grant: U.S. Department of Education --CCAMPIS – Support for child care for college students Amount: \$825,960 over 4 years. 2018

Title of Grant: U.S. Department of Education - *Gaining Early Awareness and Readiness for Undergraduate Programs (GEAR UP)- Utah GEAR UP (Statewide)* 2017
Amount: \$24,500,000 over 7 years -- K7 to First Year of College Low Income and disadvantaged and minority academic support and research initiative.

Title of Grant: U.S. Department of Education- Educational Opportunity Center (EOC) – UVU EOC Grant Amount: \$1,180,000 over 5 years) 2016

Title of Grants: State of Utah- Department of Workforce Services and Utah State Office of Education - *Four Afterschool Quality Improvement* 2015

and STEP UP Ready Grants (4) totaling \$288,000 for K-12 academic support

Title of Grants: State of Utah-Department of Workforce Services 2014
and Utah State Office of Education Grants-- UVU PReP and STEM Link
Programs for three Middle/High School student academic research and support
Programs - Amount: \$446,421.

Title of Grant: U.S. Department of Labor – TAACT Grant – Cyber Security 2013
Education at Utah Valley University—Amount: \$3,000,000

Title of Grants: (1) Three State of Utah - Education Impact Grants (\$192,356) 2012
for Hispanic, Pacific Islander, and Stop-Out college student programs. (2) National
Science Foundation Computer Education in 21st Century Grant – (\$403,420)

Title of Grant: U.S. Department of Education - Gaining Early Awareness and 2011
Readiness for Undergraduate Programs (GEAR UP)-Utah GEAR UP (Statewide)
Amount: \$26,021,224 over 7 years –K7 to First Year of College Low Income and
disadvantaged and minority academic support and research initiative.

Title of Grant: National Science Foundation – CI-TEAM Implementation Grant 2010
Native American Regional IT Workforce Development Project-Amount: \$873,878

Title of Grant: U.S. Department of Labor- Community Based Job Training Grant 2009
Central Utah –Four Corners IT Skilled2Succeed Project -Amount: \$2,269,465
Over 3 years – Science and IT skills development of Navajo Nation and other
Native American, Hispanic, and Pacific Islander students in Utah/Arizona

Other Grant Awards: Participated as the main writer of major grant applications 1995-
2008 or as Principal Investigator- Co-PI for a total of 16 other grant awards from the U.S.
Department of Education, National Science Foundation, U.S. Departments of Agriculture,
Health and Human Services and other Private Foundation funded initiatives totaling over \$32
million: Funding and Research supported STEM, K-12 student college preparation,
distance learning infrastructure, mental health and suicide prevention, Title III programs
to strengthen University/College educational advancement and other initiatives focused on
minority and low-income disadvantaged student advancement in school, and career
preparation.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE HIGHER EDUCATION SECTOR

UTAH VALLEY UNIVERSITY, OREM, UTAH CURRENT POSITION: Director – Grants and
Development – (7/2003 to Present) – *In-charge and Director of Development* for the Student
Services Division areas of the campus. Over \$100 million in major grants and donations
personally procured raised (see a partial list of awards in Honors and Awards Section)
Occasional Adjunct Instructor in Finance/Business and education.

Past Appointments:

- ◆ ***Fiscal and Reporting Manager:*** Utah’s Statewide GEAR UP Education Program (2005-2019)
- ◆ ***Director- Strategic Partnerships, Grant Development, and Administration-*** (2/2001 to 7/2002)- Responsible for development, facilitation, and procurement for the entire college; in tandem with the academic schools and UVU Institutional Development Office.
- ◆ ***Director - The Year 2000 Project (Y2K) -*** (1/1998 to 1/2001). Led and managed the college-wide effort for computerized systems transformations in preparation for the year 2000. Budget: \$1.8 million. Coordinated State Higher Education legislative and technical initiatives with Utah State Government.
- ◆ ***Director - Electronic Campus Projects - Utah Valley State College –*** (10/1996-12/1997) Responsible for overseeing content and course development, integration of computer/Internet systems for community-wide delivery via a network of external distance learning centers and systems to 180 locations. (State of Utah Education Network - Western Governors University)
- ◆ ***Administrative Director -- The Intermountain Manufacturing Education and Training Partnership (IMET) -*** (1994-1997) - \$800,000 National Science Foundation-funded consortium Grant Project). Project Manager- IndusNet – Educational training consortium in Utah, Idaho, Wyoming, 10-state online Internet guide to Education, Training, and Employment opportunity in 4 western states. One of the very first Internet-centered education projects in the Western United States.

OTHER NON-PROFIT SECTOR AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

Hei Whiringā Charitable Trust, New Zealand (2020 to present) **Role:** Founder, Board Member, and Research and Educational Advisor – **Organization:** Maori Community Educational Research/Career Skills Development and Open Source Technology Services

Pacific Indig.e.Net Foundation, Hawaii and Tonga - (2009 to present) **Role:** *Executive Director and Board Member* **Organization:** Education and Economic Development in the Pacific Rim Island Nations and communities

The San Juan Foundation, San Juan County, Utah, U.S.A. (2012-present) **Role:** Board Member and fundraising advisor **Organization:** Serves the educational and economic needs of individuals and schools in the Four Corners Area of the United States

Four Worlds Foundation, Republic of Panama (2009 to Present) **Role:** Co-founder and Board Member – **Organization:** Support services for Indigenous populations of Panama, Central and South America

A Child’s Hope Foundation (2004 to 2009)—**Role:** Member of Board of Directors; strategic planning and fundraising consultant, Director, China/Asian adoption project **Organization:** Adoption support services in Haiti, Mexico, and Asia.

The Quest for the Gift of Life Foundation (2000 to 2003) **Role:** Executive Director - **Organization:** Promotion and support to donors/recipients of Organ Donation

New Vista International Foundation - (1992 to 1999) *Role:* Chairman and Executive Director – **Organization:** International Education Foundation - Supervised community projects in 5 countries including Micro-credit and micro-enterprise management. (Mongolia, China, Hong Kong, Honduras, Mexico)

The Parent Project for Muscular Dystrophy - (1994-1997) *Role:* Co-Founder; Executive Vice President, Treasurer & Director – **Organization:** International medical research organization now with 16,000 members in 30 countries.

PROFESSIONAL CORPORATE BUSINESS EXPERIENCE AND EMPLOYMENT

17 years of increasingly responsible management and results-oriented experience in the International banking and financial service sector with Fortune 500 companies (1975-1992)

JP Morgan & Chase Bank (formerly First City Texas) – Houston, Texas

Position/Role: *Senior Vice President and Group Manager, Asia/Pacific*

Responsible for Singapore Branch, Tokyo, Hong Kong, and Houston Asia/Pacific Group administration and bottom-line results of entire division –Accomplishments. Led division to 400% earnings growth in 3 years. Supervised staff of 200 in four countries.

Bank of America Corporation (Formerly Security Pacific Corp) - Los Angeles

Security Pacific Asian Bank, N.A. Los Angeles, California

Position/ Role: *C-Level Executive - Vice Chairman and Chief Operating Officer*

Accomplishments: Responsible for all line departments, marketing, and credit results of the entire banking organization with over 1800 employees and offices in 12 countries. Grew U.S. banking operations with a focus on middle-market sales and services over 100% in 2 years.

Security Pacific National Bank - Asian Bank Headquarters - Hong Kong.

Position Role: *First Vice President & Regional Manager, China, Taiwan, and Chinese banking Groups. Concurrently Executive Vice President and Alternate Bank Director*

Accomplishments: Negotiated and established the first Sino-U.S. joint-venture banking organization; established a new branch in Taiwan with 400% growth and profitability.

Bank of Canton Ltd., Hong Kong

Position/Role: *Executive Vice President and Deputy Head*

Accomplishments: \$6 billion Subsidiary Banking organization of Security Pacific Bank (Los Angeles). Led the strategic growth of the organization from \$6 million to over \$100 million net profit over 5 years.

Security Pacific National Bank, Tokyo Branch, Japan

Position/Role: *Vice President and General Manager, Japan Country Manager*

Accomplishments: Served as major corporate “change agent”; led 150 people branch/division to transition to a new successful financial sales and marketing environment.

Security Pacific National Bank, Hong Kong Branch

Position/Role: *Vice President & General Manager – Country Manager – The People’s Republic of China and Hong Kong* – Accomplishments: Joined new banking group and led the establishment of 2 new offices and full new-business start-up in a highly competitive market; profitable after 18 months.

Chemical Banking Corporation - Chemical Bank (New York and Hong Kong)

Position/Role: *Assistant Vice President, Credit Manager, Manager China Relations, Hong Kong Branch.* Accomplishments: Established all Human Relations HR, Credit Management, and Training systems, control, and processes for brand new banking operation.

LANGUAGES

English: Native Language

Chinese (Mandarin) – Fluent, Superior Levels in Listening, Speaking, Reading

Chinese (Cantonese) – Advanced – Distinguished levels in Listening and Reading

Japanese - Advanced --Distinguished levels in Listening, Speaking, Reading

Spanish: Intermediate Listener, Novice Speaker, Advanced Reading, and Writing

German - Intermediate Listener, Novice Speaker, Intermediate Reading.

Computer Skills

Applications: All Microsoft Office Suite Applications: Word, Excel, Powerpoint, Teams
Adobe Cloud Applications: Adobe DC, Dreamweaver, Photoshop

Platforms: All Apple and Microsoft Windows systems

OTHER

Citizenship: United States

Residency and Work Status: Republic of Panama

REFERENCES

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