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Summary of Qualifications

- Highly advanced skills overseeing all facets of fundraising.
- Strong success record in winning state and federal grants, as well as those from foundations and corporations.
- Strategic planner on fundraising terms to increase stakeholder recognition, partnership growth, and scale up planning and implementation to reach a broad audience of stakeholders.
- Publications and presentations in all areas of education.

Education

- B.A. with Honors, University of California Los Angeles, English and Speech
- M.A. in Education, Stanford University
- Ph.D. program completed in Education with a minor in Law, Stanford University

Professional Experience in Fundraising (sample listing)

- Northern California PGA Foundation 2017-current
Grant writer for NCPGA Foundation to help disabled Veterans with rehabilitation through the game of golf.
- XQ Initiative 2016-2017
XQ Initiative is a national initiative to redesign the American high school, with the ten finalist teams each receiving \$10,000,000. I served as a judge selecting winning proposals.
- Campbell Union High School District 2014-current
Awarded over \$1,000,000 in grants for California Careers Pathway Trust, Silicon Valley Community Foundation In School and Out of School Mathematics grants.
- Boys & Girls Club of the Coastsides 2014-current
Grants awarded from Genentech, Kaiser, Sand Hill, Atkinson, Wells Fargo Bank, David & Lucile Packard, Safeway, Hugh Stuart Center Trust and others. Completed funding for the \$12,000,000 Capital Campaign for the Indoor Gymnasium/Multi-Purpose Facility.
- Wildlife Associates 2015-current
Awarded over \$100,000 for Next Generation Science Standards curriculum unit for elementary school children, and multiple grants for the at-risk and foster youth program, and environmental education programs.

- Sequoia Union High School District 2008-2014
Raised over \$6,000,000 in six years. Sample awards include \$433,000 from Silicon Valley Community Foundation for CCSS Mathematics: Spotlight on Success (2014), two 21st Century Community Learning Centers ASSETS grants, each for \$1,250,000 (2009 and 2014), TUPE state grant for \$447,000 (2013), CA Community Colleges Middle College Fund for Student Success. Hewlett-Packard Innovation in Education grant for \$265,000.
- Center for Research on Education Outcomes, Stanford University 2008-2010
Helped develop new reviews/ratings for the U.S. Department of Education and Office of Innovative Guides, and secure grants for expanding services across the United States.
- Cabrillo Unified School District 2009-2011
Convened a Leadership Council of school representatives and business partnerships. Wrote a five-year Career Technical Education Plan launched in 2009. Awarded a grant from Silicon Valley Community Foundation to fund a Math Planning Institute.
- Belmont-Redwood Shores School District 2006-2010
Funded multi-year annual science and technology projects with grants from Oracle Foundation (over \$1,000,000). Awarded \$265,000 from Electronic Arts Foundation for a technology laboratory. Funded a math collaborative partnership with Silicon Valley Community Foundation.
- Project Lead the Way
Fundraising consultant. Published "Advances in STEM Curriculum, Initiatives, and Resources," distributed nationally.
- Lucile Packard Children's Hospital at Stanford
Served as Director of Development, and successfully directed and raised funds for a Capital Campaign. Directed their first national telethon with KRON-TV, Channel 4.
- Piedmont High School
Served as Principal of Piedmont High School and led a successful Capital Campaign for construction of the new high school while serving as Principal.

Presentations (sample listing)

- White House Initiative on Educational Excellence for Hispanic Americans: "Excelencia en Education: The Role of Parents in the Education of Their Children."
- "National, State Standards, and Assessments: How Far the Promised Land?" Annual Western Regional Meeting of the College Board.
- "Essential Elements for a Successful Non-Profit Organization," Stanford Business School, The World Business Forum.
- "Creating World-Class Academic Standards," Senate Forum on Education.
- "Update on Academic Standards Development," Assembly Education Committee, CA State Assembly.
- "National Standards," United States Department of Education, panelist IASA.
- P-16 Conference Presenter, a workshop specifically designed to describe the conditions and experiences College Track students have that make it possible for them to graduate from high school and complete college.

- CLIC/Haku Joint Policy Summit Session Chair, responsible for planning and presenting Section IV: Implementing and Managing Aid Programs: “What’s Working? What Needs to be Done?” sponsored by the Hispanic Association of Colleges and Universities and the California Chicano-Latino Intersegmental Convocation.
- “Characteristics of a Successful Non-Profit Organization,” Alumni Consulting Team, Stanford University.
- “Academic Standards for California Schools,” Thrust for Educational Leadership, ACSA.
- “Synchronicity Between Community Foundations and Education Foundations,” Technology Grant News.
- “Advances in STEM Curriculum, Initiatives, and Resources,” Project Lead the Way.
- “The Expanding Role of Local Education Foundations,” Technology Grant News.

Volunteer Experience

- Member, Olympic Club Foundation, Grants Committee and Marketing Committee
- Member, Education Committee, San Francisco Symphony
- Member, San Francisco Auxiliary of Fine Arts, Co-Chair Corporate Giving for Bouquets to Art
- Member, Stanford Professional Women-Bay Area
- Advisory Board member, Wildlife Associates
- Former Board member, College Track

Prior State Commission Service:

- Chair, State of California Commission for the Establishment of Academic Standards
- Vice Chair, State of California Postsecondary Education Commission
- Member, Western Interstate Commission for Higher Education
- Member, California Education Round Table on Expanding Information, Dissemination and Outreach
- Member, Teacher Credentialing Commission
- Planning Committee member, Chicano/Latino Intersegmental Convocation

List of references available upon request