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Summary of Qualifications

Extensive experience supporting the occupational safety and health, risk management, and emergency preparedness efforts of organizations seeking to identify and implement opportunities for improvement. Documented success in the development and implementation of enterprise risk management (ERM) systems, effective EHS programs, and emergency operations and business continuity plans designed to ensure adherence to recognized consensus standards, industry best practices, and governmental regulations.

Successfully support clients in manufacturing, service industries, construction, government, higher education, and the insurance and consulting industries.

Proven ability to incorporate organizational values into the culture at all levels, increasing operational effectiveness, eliminating employee injuries and property losses, and maximizing the protection of corporate assets and the reputation of the enterprise.

Expertise in strategic planning, budgeting, and the development of effective training programs. Respected educational and motivational speaker and trainer and provider of expert witness services including case research and court testimony.

Professional Experience

1994 to Present *Vice President, Safety Management Resources Corporation*

Provide risk management, safety consulting, and emergency planning services for a broad base of clients. Support these organization's efforts to develop and implement programs designed to effectively address relevant issues while improving the efficiency of operations.

Clients successfully served include mid-sized companies to Fortune 100 corporations, governmental agencies, educational institutions, and industry associations. Provide direct services and manage large contract agreements to develop and implement comprehensive safety and risk management programs.

2011 to 2013 *Chief Risk Officer, The Ohio State University*

Responsible for the development of an enterprise-wide risk management program and support staff dedicated to identifying and managing potential and existing liabilities, while enhancing the ability to identify opportunities for growth and improvement. Developed and implemented a university-wide compliance program, led changes in state legislation enabling the university to self-insure for workers compensation insurance resulting in continuing savings of millions of dollars per year, directed business continuity efforts for enhanced efficiency, implemented a captive insurance program, and directed efforts to address previously unmanaged property and financial liability exposures. Managed the operation and staff of the university's insurance, business continuity, and risk management efforts, including university-wide strategic and operational planning and the administration of all insurance and risk management-related business operations, while successfully managing a \$50 million budget.

2000 to 2010 *Risk Manager, The University of Illinois*

Developed, implemented, and administered a comprehensive risk management program, including policy and program development, implementation of risk management practices throughout the enterprise, and assessment of the university's exposures, including property, liability, employment practices, and student-centered issues. Served as a member of the Division of Public Safety's Senior Management Team, the group responsible for directing operations of the division, including 55 sworn law enforcement officers and support staff.

1986 to 1994 *Senior Loss Control Representative, Continental Insurance Company and Safeco Insurance Company*

1983 to 1986 *Safety Consultant, California State Automobile Association*



Educational Background

Bachelor of Science, Illinois State University

Technology of Industry, Safety and Accident Prevention

Recognized as a Distinguished Alumni in 2009 for services to the safety profession

Professional Designations

Certified Safety Professional, The Board of Certified Safety Professionals

Comprehensive Practice Specialty, October 1991

Construction Safety Specialty, October 2000 First individual to earn this certification

Associate in Risk Management, The Institutes Risk & Insurance Knowledge Group

Authorized Instructor, Department of Homeland Security

Multi-Hazard Emergency Planning for Higher Education

Homeland Security Planning for Campus Executives

Homeland Security Planning for Campus Presidents

Authorized Instructor, United States Department of Labor, OSHA

Occupational Safety and Health Standards for the Construction Industry

Authorized Instructor, United States Department of Labor, OSHA

Voluntary Compliance in Safety and Health for General Industry

Professional Affiliations

University Risk Management and Insurance Association

Conference Planning and Membership Committees, Presenter at Annual Conference for the past eight years,

Presenter of educational webinars, Planning Committee for Midwest Regional Meetings

American Society of Safety Engineers

Professional Member, Past Administrator of the Consultant's Practice Specialty, Past Chapter President, Member of the Risk and Insurance Practice Specialty, Presenter at Numerous Annual and Regional Conferences

Risk and Insurance Management Society Professional Member

International Association of Campus Law Enforcement Administrators

Member, Office of Domestic Preparedness, U.S. Department of Homeland Security, U.S. Department of Education and U.S. Department of Justice, Risk Assessment and Emergency Planning Work Groups

Awards, Honors, and Activities

Adjunct Faculty, Illinois State University, Health Sciences/Safety

Chair, Safety Program Advisory Board, Illinois State University

Distinguished Alumni, Illinois State University

Commissioned as a Kentucky Colonel as recognition for service to the Commonwealth of Kentucky

Primary contributor to FEMA's *Multi-Hazard Emergency Planning for Higher Education*

Served the U.S. Olympic Committee as a member of the Public Safety Command Staff

Frequent presenter and keynote speaker at state, regional, and national conferences for professional associations, governmental agencies, corporations, and organizations

Invited participant in the development of numerous programs and materials in cooperation with the U.S. Department of Homeland Security, the Department of Education, and the Department of Justice

Faculty, College Business Management Institute, University of Kentucky and the Southern Association of College and University Business Officers





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Speaking and Training Engagements
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American Society of Safety Engineers, Professional Development Conference <i>Wild, Wacky and Highly Effective Training</i>	Denver, CO Dallas, TX
Indiana Governor's Safety Conference, Closing Keynote Presentation <i>Engaging Every Employee with Effective Safety Training</i>	Indianapolis, IN
OSHA Voluntary Protection Program Participants' Conference <i>Wild, Wacky and Highly Effective Training</i>	Mobile, AL
United States Air Force, Whiteman Air Force Base <i>Creating a Safe Work Environment</i>	Knob Noster, MO
Morton Salt Company Annual Safety Meeting <i>Wild, Wacky and Highly Effective Training</i>	Rittman, OH
U.S. Department of Justice, Law Enforcement Conference on Terrorism <i>Protecting Critical Facilities, Infrastructure Security</i>	Washington, DC
Louisiana Governor's Safety and Health Conference, Keynote Presentation <i>Effective Safety Training – Fun AND Effective</i>	Baton Rouge, LA
U.S. Department of Homeland Security, Federal Emergency Management Agency <i>Multi-Hazard Emergency Planning for Executives</i>	Raleigh, NC Spokane, WA
International Conference on the Environmental Health & Safety of Jet Fuel <i>Safe Fuel Cell Entry Procedures</i>	San Antonio, TX
National Conference on Workplace Safety and Health Training <i>Prioritizing Training Needs</i>	St. Louis, MO
U.S. Department of Education, U.S. Department of Homeland Security <i>Emergency Preparedness and Response on College Campuses</i>	Washington, DC
U.S. Federal Emergency Management Agency <i>Multi-Hazard Emergency Planning</i>	Emmitsburg, MD
Public Risk Management Association, Annual Conference <i>Predictive Analytics: Moneyball for Risk Managers</i>	Kansas City, MO
Mid-America Safety, Health and Environmental Conference <i>Creating a Safe Work Environment</i>	Lake of the Ozarks, MO
National Association of State Universities & Land-Grant Colleges, United States Department of Justice and Department of Homeland Security Higher Education Summit on Homeland Security <i>Current Challenges Facing Campuses of Higher Education</i>	Washington, DC
University Risk Management & Insurance Association, Annual Conference <i>Effective Risk Management in University Research Parks</i>	Phoenix, AZ



Marathon Petroleum's Behavioral Based Safety Conference <i>Safety Training They'll Never Forget</i>	Robinson, IL
Association of University Research Parks Spring Training <i>Navigating the Diverse Risks Affecting University Research Parks</i>	Phoenix, AZ
Bombardier Aircraft's Safety Standdown 2017 Keynote Presentation <i>Managing Every Risk</i> and Workshop on <i>Hangar Safety</i>	Wichita, KS
University of Kentucky and the Southern Association of College and University Business Officers, College Business Management Institute <i>Introduction to Insurance and Risk Management</i>	Lexington, KY
University Risk Management & Insurance Association, International Fellowship <i>Risk Management from a U.S. Perspective</i>	London, England
California State University Auxiliary Organizations Association <i>Managing the Risks of Minors on Campus</i>	Pasadena, CA
Society for Collegiate Travel Management, Annual Conference <i>What Travel Managers Should Know About Areas of Key Exposure</i>	Point Clear, AL
Higher Education Risk Management Conference <i>Risk Management in Research</i>	Austin, TX
University Risk Management & Insurance Association, Regional Conference <i>Minors on Campus: Developing Risk Management Strategies</i>	Boston, MA
Builders Association, Associated General Contractors, Annual Safety Dinner <i>Safety as a Profit Center</i>	Chicago, IL
Office of Domestic Preparedness, U.S. Dept. of Homeland Security International Association of Campus Law Enforcement Administrators Campus Risk Assessment Focus Group <i>Preparedness and Response, The Risk Management View</i>	College Station, TX
Associated General Contractors Annual Conference <i>Controlling the Soaring Cost of Workers' Compensation Insurance Cost Containment through Safety</i>	Chicago, IL
OSHA Occupational Safety and Health Day <i>Proactive Management of Corporate Liability Exposures Cost Containment through Safety</i>	Peoria, IL
Mid-America Safety, Health and Environmental Conference <i>Creating a Safe Work Environment</i>	Lake of the Ozarks, MO`
Employer's Association of Illinois <i>Safety for the Non-Safety Professional Top Ten Reasons Your Workers' Compensation is Costing Too Much</i>	Chicago, Rockford and Peoria, IL
U.S. Department of Homeland Security, Federal Emergency Management Agency <i>Emergency Management in Higher Education</i>	Seattle, WA
Proctor and Gamble Corporation <i>OSHA Construction Regulations Overview</i>	Cincinnati, OH

