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Administration

EXPERIENCE 1995 – Present Higher Education

**SENIOR MANAGEMENT AND EXECUTIVE POSITIONS
Prairie View A & M University, Prairie View, Texas.
During these past thirteen years I have served as VP
of Operations, Executive Director of Facilities,
Construction and Planning, Director of Campus
Planning and Space Management and Chief of Staff.**

- ***Vice President of Operations:*** responsible for supervision of the university's Physical Plant, Information Technologies Services, Department of Public Safety, the university's Athletics' Program and the Environmental Health and Safety Office.
 - Supervision of over 190 employees.
 - Management of a budget in excess of \$12.5 million.
 - Served as the university's primary POC with THECB and TAMUS for all construction and rehabilitation programs at PVAMU.
 - Development of PVAMU's Campus Master Plan, 2000.
 - Responsible for maintaining a safe, clean and well maintained environment.

- ***Executive Director of Facilities, Construction and Planning, Director of Campus Planning and Space Management:*** managed PVAMU's largest construction efforts in the last 30 years: \$150M in six new buildings and \$21.5M in rehabilitation efforts.

- ***Chief of Staff:*** served as the President's Chief Administrative Officer.
 - Assist the President with the day-to-day administrative, operational and fiscal activities of the University.

- Assist the President with the development and implementation of collaborative strategies and initiatives at the community level.
 - Supervise all persons assigned to the President's Office and worked with each vice president on all presidential tasks.
 - Serve as a member of the President's Cabinet.
- ***Director Campus Planning and Space Management***
 - Monitors, analyzes and reports on the status of the university's infrastructure
 - Advises and makes recommendations to PVAMU's leadership regarding future facilities growth.
 - Ensures the equitable and effect use of university space.

1993-1995 Community Management, Human Resource Development

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, VAL VISTA LAKES COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION, Gilbert, Arizona

- Managed the day-to-day operations of an organization serving the needs of 1600 households (6,000+ residents) and maintained a 900-acre property.
- Implemented the policy decisions of the Community Association Board of Directors and served as liaison to the residents and outside agencies. In 1994, oversaw the difficult transition from developer to homeowner control. Assisted the first Homeowner Board in developing initial policies and codifying rules, regulations and operating procedures.
- Served as Chief Personnel Officer with the authority to hire, terminate employment and set compensation for all 40+ regular personnel; awarded contracts and oversaw subcontractors. Provided professional training for all employees on a regular basis.
- Prepared and executed an annual budget (1995 = \$1.5). In 1994, undertook a multi-million dollar Reserve Fund Analysis, the first ever conducted for the Association in its seven-year history.

1991-1993 Administration, Community Management, Law Enforcement Education

**DIRECTOR OF ACADEMY ADVANCEMENT, UNITED STATES
MILITARY ACADEMY (USMA), West Point, New York**

- Planned, coordinated, supervised and executed all USMA alumni affairs and managed the private fundraising for USMA.
- Identified long-term institutional needs requiring funding from private sources and developed strategies for obtaining that funding.
- Planned, coordinated and supervised the expenditure of several million dollars of private monies for USMA facilities and activities.

**CHIEF OF STAFF/ADMINISTRATION, Ft. McClellan,
Alabama**

- Directly supervised and coordinated all support services for a community of 80,000 active duty, retirees and family members.
- Supervised over 3,000 military and civilian personnel in all aspects of community management to include: community-based policing, security, public safety, housing/building maintenance, childcare, recreation, volunteer activities and inter-community relations.
- Integrated the requirements, programs and operations of the Military Police School, the Chemical School and fourteen tenant activities.

**DIRECTOR, COUNTER-DRUG TRAINING AND OPERATIONS,
MILITARY POLICE SCHOOL, Ft. McClellan, Alabama**

- Updated and implemented the military training portion of the President's National Strategy for the "War on Drugs"
- Developed and resourced an innovative program utilizing military personnel to train civilian law enforcement agencies nation wide.
- Implemented Mobile Training Team instruction and obtained nearly \$1M in federal funding to resource this program.

1982-1991 Law Enforcement, Security Development,
International Relations, Education

**COMMANDER, MILITARY POLICE COMMAND, Republic of
Panama during Operation Just Cause**

DIRECTOR, INTERNATIONAL FELLOWS PROGRAM, ARMY WAR COLLEGE (AWC), Carlisle, Pennsylvania

COMMANDER, CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION DISTRICT (CID), Stuttgart, Germany

OPERATIONS OFFICER, DRUG SUPPRESSION OPERATIONS CENTER, Mannheim, Germany

Prior to 1982 held military positions in the following areas: Corrections, Recruiting, Leadership. Held three positions in the U.S. Army's Recruiting Command (USAREC) to include Commander, Dallas Recruiting District and Investigative Inspector General (IG); held positions in three different U.S. Army correctional facilities and served as an Operations Officer in Korea and an Infantry Platoon Leader in Vietnam.

EDUCATION:

Master of Arts: Criminal Justice and Corrections, Sam Houston State, 1974
Bachelor of Arts: Sociology, Park College, 1971
Army War College, 1987
Anti-Terrorism Training, 1978
Inspector General School, 1978
Command and General Staff College, 1978
FBI National Academy, 1977

**AWARDS AND
COMMUNITY
INVOLVEMENT:**

Professional Affiliations: FBI National Academy Association, American Society for Law Enforcement Trainers (ASLET), International Narcotic Enforcement Officers Association, Kiwanis, The Retired Officers' Association

Military Awards: Two Legions of Merit, five Meritorious Service Medals, Purple Heart, Combat Infantryman's Badge. Retired Army Colonel with 28 years of active service. Member, Infantry OCS Hall of Fame (1987).

Community Service/Recognition: Coached high school football teams, youth basketball and youth swimming. Family selected as Stuttgart, VII Corps and U.S. Army Europe "Family of the Year" (1986); Named as one of "South Central Pennsylvania's Most Vital 101 People" (1988); Volunteer Family Award, Panama (1991) Distinguished Alumni, Bryan Station High School, Lexington, Kentucky (2007)

**PVAMU
INVOLVEMENT**

- Advisor to PVAMU's LULAC Chapter and Hispanic Fraternity
- Supervised PVAMU's Athletic Program 1996 – 2002
- Escorted the Marching Storm Band to the Inaugural Parade in Washington, D.C.
- Provide requested lectures for various classes
- Received the Student Government Association Awards for Best Administrative Unit and Leadership (1999, 2000, 2001)