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Rotary Club of Tampa | District 6890 Member Number 2532280

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**EDUCATION**

**Institute for Educational Management (IEM) | Harvard University, 1997**

**Doctor of Philosophy in Curriculum and Instruction | University of South Florida, 1995**

Emphasis: Interdisciplinary Leadership; cognate area: marketing.

Dissertation: *An Assessment of Service Quality in a Postsecondary Setting*

**Master of Arts in Education | Bowling Green State University (OH), 1981**

Major: College Student Personnel

**Bachelor of Science in Education (Summa Cum Laude) | Ashland College (OH), 1980**

Majors: English and Social Science Certification: Reading Education

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

**The University of Tampa, Florida**

*Vice President for Operations and Planning, 1995-2022*

Member of senior leadership team in a highly successful independent institution, responsible for operations and planning functions. Determined priorities for agendas for University's Senior Staff, University committees for planning and budgeting, retention, emergency management, safety and security, and other campus-wide work groups. Ascertained institutional research priorities, supported outcomes assessment and program review, assisted trustee committees on board cultivation, development, and planning, and designed trustee orientation and enrichment programs. Developed and communicated institutional and area plans and action-oriented strategies and initiatives targeting special subpopulations and campus issues. Led regional accreditation initiatives. Wrote successful \$1.3 million grant for student success initiatives.

*Assistant to the President, 1994-95*

*Dean of Students, 1990-94*

*Associate Dean of Students, 1988-90*

*Director of Residence Life, 1986-88*

*Director of Student Program Development, 1985-86*

*Director of Student Activities, 1983-85*

*Residence Hall Director and Assistant to the Dean of Students, 1981-83*

**Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green (OH)**

*Unit Director, 1980-81*

**Lorain County Joint Vocational School (OH)**

*Classroom Teacher, 1980*

## ROTARY ENGAGEMENT

(dates approximated)

### *Rotary Club of Tampa, 1995-present*

#### *Club level offices*

Attendance Chair, 1997-98

Sergeant at Arms, 1998-99, 2012-13

Board of Directors, 2000-02; 2019-present

Foundation Board, 2012-19, Foundation President, 2015-18

Planning Committee, 2012-15

President-Elect, 2020-21

President, 2021-22

Immediate Past President, 2022-present

#### *Club Committees*

Diversity, Equity, Inclusion

Flags for Hillsborough Heroes

Gasparilla Bash

Gift of Life

Giving Day

Holiday Gift Project

Invocations

Luncheon Programs

Membership

Mentoring & Orientation

Service Above Self

Speech Contest

Rotaract Club, University of Tampa

Rotary International Grants

#### *District level*

Assistant Governor, 2022-present

Team to establish Rotary E-Club of South Tampa, 2021-22

Rotary Peace Fellows, 2018-21

District Governor Selection Committee, At Large Member

District Speech Contest Chair, 2018, 2019

District Chair of Rotaract Committee, 2002-04

Seminar for Tomorrow's Leaders, volunteer, 2000-02

#### *Awards and Recognitions*

Paul Harris Fellow +3

1914 Club - Silver (Club Foundation recognition)

2022 District 6890 Rotarian of the Year

Rotary District 6890 Certificate of Appreciation, 2021

Rotary District 6890 Governor's Shining Star Award, 2016

Rotary Club of Tampa, Rotarian of the Month, 2016

## SELECTED OTHER PROFESSIONAL AND COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

- The University of Tampa (UT) Alumni Leadership Award, 2022
- DeSoto Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution Appreciation Certificate, 2018
- NASPA Bob E. Leach Award for Outstanding Service to Students, 2017
- UT National Alumni Association Service and Recognition Award, 2011
- Tampa Bay Workforce Alliance Recognition for Service, 2011
- Tampa Bay Business Woman of the Year; Winner, Education Sector, 2011; Finalist, 2007
- Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Commission on Colleges, 1995-2022
  - Institutional liaison since 1995; Committee member for on-site, off-site, special committee, and fifth year reader committees (institutional effectiveness, governance) since 2002; member of 2008 and 2009 Annual Meeting Program Planning Committee, Chair of 2010 Annual Meeting Program Planning Committee
- Frameworks of Tampa Bay, Inc., Founder; Board Member, 2006-20; Chair, 2013-15
- Athena Society, President, 2004-05; Board Member, 2002-06; Past Presidents, 2006-present
- Junior League of Tampa Community Advisory Board, 2018-22
- Ye Loyal Krewe of Grace O'Malley, 1993-present
- Tampa Bay Workforce Alliance (Region 15 Workforce Board, State of Florida), 2005-11
- Leadership Tampa, Class of 2010; Leadership Tampa Alumni group 2010-22
- Chamber of Commerce, 2000-10, various committees
- Florida Association for Women in Education, President, 1991-92; Certificate of Recognition for commitment to FAWE, January, 1997
- American College Personnel Association, 1981-present
- National Association of Student Personnel Administrators, 1983-present; Region III Conference Host, 1985; Certificate of Distinguished Service, 1987
- UT Outstanding Contribution to Student Life Award, 1995
- American Council on Education/National Identification Program, 1991-93
- Children's Museum of Tampa, Board of Directors. 1988-93; Vice President, 1991-92
- Tampa Connection, 1987-88
- Southern Association for College Student Affairs, 1985-90
- Association of College and University Housing Officers, 1981-84
- First Reformed Church of Tampa, 1987-present; deacon and Treasurer, 2002-08; 2010; Sunday School instructor, 2004-07; Women's Guild, Secretary, 1997-2002