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ELEVATING EXPERTS TO BUILD A VIBRANT FUTURE

Three-time inaugural director of initiatives that last, using evidence-based approaches to build infrastructures in support of thriving organizations and communities. Over a decade of leadership experience across academic, service, and government sectors. Multihyphenate expert, with experience as a federal technology executive, the elected treasurer of a multi-national nonprofit, an award-winning scholar and author, and a juggler who has performed professionally around the world.

EDUCATION

2019 **MSc Data Science** Indiana University Blooomington

School of Informatics & Computing

2009 BA History of Science Minor Computer Engineering University of Florida

EXPERIENCE

Leadership

Change Management Financial Management (\$10m+) Fundraising (Raised \$16m+) International Event Organization Nonprofit Board Membership Policymaking Servant Leadership Strategic Planning

Academic & Library

Curriculum Development Digital Archiving & Preservation Digital Publishing Collection Development Public Speaking (Int'I Keynotes) Research (Humanistic, Qual, & Quant) Resource Management Service Coordination Teaching Writing (Public, Scholarly, & Technical)

WORK HISTORY

National Endowment for the Humanities Federal Chief Data Officer (Inaugural)

Jan 2023 - now

Executive and policy maker responsible for data infrastructure across the federal agency; evidence-informed decision making; research and data analysis; and performance measurement. Keep the United States public informed of the state and value of the humanities.

- <u>Leadership</u>. Direct the Office of Data and Evaluation. Advise presidential appointees. Shape policies impacting \$170 million in national initiatives. Partner in strategic planning.
- <u>Technologies</u>. Build and oversee master data management plan and artificial intelligence capacity, ensuring agency operations remain smooth, nimble, and forward-facing.
- Programs. Direct multimillion-dollar grantmaking and contracting program.
- <u>Partnerships</u>. Build partnerships and coalitions with other federal agencies, private philanthropies, and non-profits. Represent NEH on Federal Chief Data Officer Council.

University of Notre Dame

Mar 2021 - Dec 2022

Navari Family Center for Digital Scholarship Director (Inaugural)

Senior leader directing a center charged with preparing researchers across the university

- for tomorrow's emerging technologies and advanced computational methods.
- Associate librarian and faculty affiliate of Lucy Family Institute for Data & Society.
- Served on the Library Cabinet (senior administrative body of Hesburgh Libraries).
- Oversaw strategic planning assessments related to digital and technical strategy.

Details of the Navari Family Center for Digital Scholarship:

- 11,500 ft², \$10+ million endowed research and service center.
- 15+ faculty and staff (including the heads of Architecture and Business branch libraries).
- Services including scientific cloud computing environment; data science support; hardware and software lending library; research data management, and fellowship program.
- Specialized facilities including a makerspace, VR room, legacy video game and technology collection, tech-enriched classrooms, computer lab, and a data visualization wall.

EXPERIENCE

Technical

Cybersecurity Cloud Computing (AWS / Azure) Data Governance Data Management Data Modeling Data Security **Data Visualization** Database Design & Querying Deep Learning / Artificial Initelligence **Docker & Kubernetes** Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) **High Performance Computing** IT Support & Helpdesk **Ontology Development** PowerBI & Tableau Scientific Coding (R/Python) **Technical Strategy** UX Design Web Coding (HTML/CSS/JS)

Methodological

3D Modeling & Fabrication Agent-Based Modeling Bayesian & Frequentist Statistics Citation Analysis GIS & Web Mapping Machine Learning & Linear Algebra Natural Language Processing Network Science

Grantmaking

Compliance Monitoring Evidence-Informed Philanthropy Grant Operations & Processing Program Development Program Evaluation & Assessment

SCHOLARSHIP

Author of two books and dozens of publications spanning the humanities, social sciences, and natural sciences. Collectively, these have been translated into eight languages and cited more than 3,500 times. Recipient of prestigious Paul Fortier Prize in Digital Humanities.

WORK HISTORY (CONTINUED)

Carnegie Mellon University Digital Humanities Program Director (Inaugural)

Feb 2015 - Mar 2021

Leader directing a \$2 million library-centered program to make CMU globally recognized

for its computationally- and statistically-sophisticated humanities research initiatives.

- Managed faculty, developers, students, and interns on dozens of digital projects.
- Administered \$100k/year internal grant and fellowship program.
- Designed and implemented technical infrastructure supporting research across campus.
- Stanford University
 Data Scientist

Jun 2014 - Dec 2014

Developed technically innovative projects alongside scholars, librarians, and developers at Stanford University Libraries.

Indiana University Research Associate Jun 2009 - May 2014

Project managed scholars and developers to create scientific infrastructure, software, and documentation at the Cyberinfrastructure for Network Science Center.

SELECTED OTHER ROLES

Sinai Synagogue Chief Technology Officer

2024 - now

2023 - now

Volunteer technology lead overseeing computers, software, security system, sound system, and communication technologies.

 University of Edinburgh Research Affiliate

External affiliate researching and publishing on historiographic methods, the history of digital humanities, and other scholarly topics.

Posen Library of Jewish Culture and Civilization 2022 - 2024 Board Member

Primary technical advisor on matters related to the redevelopment of Posen Library's web platform, digital publication chain, and online outreach strategy.

U.S. Copyright Office, Library of Congress
 2021 - 2023
 Advisory Committee Member

Public member of the Copyright Public Modernization Committee, advising on technology modernization of the U.S. Copyright Office and its associated data and service platforms.

Alliance of Digital Humanities Organizations
 2021 - 2022
 Treasurer

Elected treasurer of multinational nonprofit and professional society, focused on migrating the organization from spreadsheet bookkeping to modern accounting software.