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SHAREHOLDER MINDSET | BUSINESS STRATEGY | LEADERSHIP

Influence organizations to align strategic direction with needs of shareholders; resulted in improved valuation and increased financial flexibility.

Recognized for achievements as ranked #1 by *Wall Street Journal*, *Institutional Investor*, and *IR Magazine*.

Offer exceptional interpersonal communication skills; articulate complex financial topics to all levels of the organization, external analysts, investors, and board members; lead teams to drive completion of highly visible projects.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

PRUDENTIAL FINANCIAL, INC. | VARIOUS

2018 TO PRESENT

CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER OF INTERNATIONAL BUSINESSES | TOKYO, JAPAN

2021 TO PRESENT

Lead the Finance function across the company's operations in Japan, Asia (ex-Japan), Latin America, and Africa. These businesses generate more than \$3 billion of annual operating income and employ more than 25,000 people. Influenced countries to elevate capital to the top priority.

HEAD OF INVESTOR RELATIONS | NEWARK, NJ

2018 TO 2021

Shaped the strategy to become less capital intensive and more nimble, aligning with key shareholder interests. Firm received its first ever award by *IR Magazine* as the #1 Investor Relations in Financial Services. Represented the company to equity and debt investors by crafting the story and proactively meeting with investors in the United States, Europe, and Asia. Frequently presented in various forums: Board and executive meetings, conferences, town halls, podcasts, and videocasts.

VOYA FINANCIAL, INC. (FORMERLY ING U.S.) | NEW YORK, NY

2011 TO 2018

HEAD OF INVESTOR RELATIONS AND ENTERPRISE FINANCIAL PLANNING & ANALYSIS

Established investor relations function from ground up for Voya Financial, the retirement, investment management, and insurance operations of ING Group, and helped take company public. Achieved #1 ranked Investor Relations Executive and #1 ranked Investor Relations Program per *Institutional Investor* magazine. Played critical role in a transformative transaction that significantly reduced the market risk for the firm.

DEUTSCHE BANK SECURITIES, INC. | NEW YORK, NY

2000 TO 2011

ASSOCIATE → VICE PRESIDENT → SENIOR EQUITY RESEARCH ANALYST

Recognized as #1 ranked Life Insurance Analyst by the *Wall Street Journal*. Progressively grew within the company, earning promotions to positions of increased challenge and complexity based on performance. Built the U.S. life insurance equity research franchise, and developed strong relationships with traders, sales professionals, and clients. Executed initial public and private offerings totaling over \$6.5B for Life and P&C insurers.

EARLY WORK HISTORY

ASSOCIATE | DONALDSON, LUFKIN & JENRETTE | NEW YORK, NY | 1999 TO 2000

ANALYST | ARTHUR ANDERSEN & COMPANY | WASHINGTON, DC | 1997 TO 1999

BOARD AND OTHER EXPERIENCE

REGIONAL CO-LEADER | US-JAPAN COUNCIL | TOKYO, JAPAN | 2022 TO PRESENT

TRUSTEE | NY CHORAL SOCIETY | NEW YORK, NY | 2021 TO PRESENT

BOARD MEMBER | NIRI NATIONAL | ALEXANDRIA, VA | 2020 TO PRESENT

BOARD MEMBER | NIRI NY | NEW YORK, NY | 2015 TO 2019

EDUCATION & PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

BACHELOR OF ARTS, ECONOMICS | THE JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY | BALTIMORE, MD

PHI BETA KAPPA; GRADUATED WITH HONORS; FOUNDED HAWAII CLUB; COMPETED ON CHAMPIONSHIP SHOOTING TEAM

JAPANESE LANGUAGE | PASSED JAPANESE-LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY TEST LEVEL N2

CHARTERED FINANCIAL ANALYST (CFA) CHARTERHOLDER; INVESTOR RELATIONS CHARTER (IRC) CHARTERHOLDER