

# Zahirudeen Premji

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## EXPERIENCE

Founder, Director, Manager, Engineer in multiple companies.

## EDUCATION

EE Masters Program( NC) - F.I.T Florida - 1980. BSE - USF, Florida 1974. Training in neural nets - UCLA, Optics - R.I.T. SolidWorks, FEA, EMA, Xcode, Swift, SwiftUI

## SKILLS

Many. Some I'm actually good at.

Developed many Program and Project Managers. I hold PMI PMP and PE - Ret (FL).

I'm creative in multiple ways. I like to work with people individually and in teams. In intra-company teams program and customer facing, have worked extensively in OEM sales. At NPI and NPRC, I was in RnD for an extensive period with international teams.

As company founder, worked with international OEMs and a software partner to market, sell, install and maintain products.

Currently create IOS apps, GitHub. Multi-lingual.

## AWARDS

9 patents. Best Manager - StorageTek Documentation. High Performance achievement - Nikon Precision, "Who I'd like to run the business" - NPI employees, IBM Fast Track program.

## BACKGROUND

To teach and help with knowledge transfer to others for them to succeed in industry is a worthwhile endeavor.

With multi-disciplinary international teams, projects with international teams, created very successful shipping products. Personally led RnD, at different time scales. Many instances of working with individuals and teams, bringing products to market.

Significant experience in remote work and "telecommuting" at LSI, IBM, NPI, STK. Recognized at LSI, IBM, NPI as a good manager and team leader. Creating ideas and making them products is something worth doing.

As founder of Red Hill Dezinz, with a development team I founded, I created a drop in replacement storage virtualization product for wafer steppers - with no changes to product SW or HW. Customers immediately removed the limitations of storage and lack of networking they were previously experiencing. Shipped and installed over 110 units at fabs of TI, Intel, Inmos, NEC, Matsushita. Acquired partner and IP. Self financed, followed by an initial round with VC financing.