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| Summary of Qualifications |  | Bold, dynamic leader, coach, published author and inspirational trainer with thirty years of proven excellence in multiple sectors. Clinically trained professional possessing outstanding relational skills. Passion for empowerment, excellence and results. Highly creative team player with a history of enthusiastic contribution to professional, organizational and human potential. |
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| Skills/Competencies |  | **Professional Coach** – *Boldness, Possibility, Self-Awareness, Action* 2009 - present Certified Professional Co-active Coach in private practice with national and international clients.   * Leverage clinical background and human relations awareness to design coach/client relationships laced with honesty, joy, truth-telling, possibility and resulting in bold action. * Expertise with emerging young leaders, mid-career professionals, values-led retirement, and diversity. * Sought out for ability to create connection, be deeply curious, connect the dots, and show up fully and fearlessly on behalf of clients/organizations. * Onboarding as Adjunct Staff (contract, part time) with the Center for Creative Leadership. Facilitate debriefs and coach executives in the Leadership Development Program. * *Client testimonials available upon request*.  **Leader/Senior Manager** -- *Vision, Inspiration, Optimism, Results* 2000 - present A catalyst and high functioning professional, consistently called upon to lead organizations in critical times.   * Navigated CEO transitions as Board Chair of both *First Congregational Church* and *Citizens Project*. * Recipient of national *“Excellence in Teaching”* award and the *Micah 6 Award* for leadership and impact. * Board Director during organizational restructure of *One to One Women Coaching Women*. * National Delegate to the *2008 Democratic National Convention*; interviewed and filmed by national and international press; featured subject in documentary, *Passion for Change*; formed trusted collegial relationships with local, state and national elected officials * Led *Planned Parenthood of the Rocky Mountains (PPRM)* Southern Colorado Region as Senior Program Manager during challenging political climate; effectively managed change while forging new collaborative partnerships. Motivated direct reports. Actively participated in affiliate-level leadership. Invited as inspirational speaker at PPRM Leadership Conference.  **Writer** – *Creative, Voice, Impact* 1983 - present Passionate, high-impact published author.   * Coauthor of award-winning, evidence-based sexuality education curriculum, implemented in school districts in forty states. * Co-author of two companion manuals for lifespan curricula. * Manuscript complete for book of empowering poetry. Publisher being sought. * Tapped by organizations to design, write and edit products for desired impact on target audience; signature writing style—fresh, clean and bold.     **Trainer/Consultant** - *Motivation, Inspiration, Connection* 1984 - present  Warm, enthusiastic trainer with consistently outstanding participant evaluations. Design and lead experiential workshops, creating a “container” where participants are challenged, take risks and grow.   * Launched national comprehensive sexuality education training program; emphasis on “being” and “presence” as facilitator competencies (as opposed to traditional content approach.). * Joined a cadre of trainers in leading Facilitator Trainings for national rollout of a lifespan education program; designed and facilitated “Training of Trainers” in the U.S. and Canada; lead experiential workshops throughout the U.S. * As a consultant for the Corporation for National Service, designed and facilitated inspirational trainings in Washington DC for Americorps\*VISTA; increased self-awareness and self-efficacy as participants embarked upon careers in the common good. |
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| Education/Certification and Licensure |  | **The Coaches Training Institute (CTI), California**  Certified Professional Co-active Coach 2012  Co-Active Leadership Program graduate 2011 **Institute for Life Coach Training, Colorado** Basic Life Coach Training 2001 **State of Colorado Department of Regulatory Agencies** Licensed Professional Counselor 1998-2011**University of Colorado at Colorado Springs** Master of Arts in Counseling and Human Services; *Outstanding Graduate Student Award* 1996  **University of Minnesota**  Bachelor of Science in Social Work, *magna cum laude* 1977 77 |
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| Publications |  | Rock, T. Michael and Young, Lynn (2009*). Sexuality and Our Faith: a United Church of Christ Companion to Our Whole Lives for Adults.* Cleveland: United Church of Christ  Rock, T. Michael and Young, Lynn (2008*). Sexuality and Our Faith: A Companion Manual to Our Whole Lives for Young Adults.* Boston: Unitarian Universalist Association  Kapp, L., Ferguson, G., Naughton, S. Palmer, J. & Young L. (1988). *Understanding Sexuality: Making Healthy Choices.* St. Paul: Health Start  Forliti, J., Kapp, L., Naughton, S. & Young, L. (1986) *Human Sexuality: Values and Choices.* Minneapolis: Search Institute |
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|  |  | **Current Memberships/Civic Engagement**  Member, International Coach Federation ~ Colorado Chapter  Board Director, Citizens Project  Member, Sycamore Leadership Tribe  Member, Artemis  Staging Location Director/Sighted Companion, 2012 DNC, *Obama for America*  Facilitator *“Dream City 2020,”* City of Colorado Springs |