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Employment

Consultant and Director Nominee, Elliott Management 2025
Consultant, Blue Wolf Capital Management 2006-10, 2021-22
Director (CEO), US Pension Benefit Guaranty Corp. 2010-14
Chapter 11 Trustee (CEO), Hawaiian Airlines 2003-05
CEO & Executive Director, The September 11th Fund 2001-02
Exec. Associate Director & Controller, US Office of Management & Budget 1997-2001
Asst Secretary for Economic Policy, US Dept of Treasury 1995-97
Asst Secretary for Economic Security, US Dept of Defense 1994-95
General Partner/Managing Director, Lazard 1981-94
Associate Director (Economic Policy), White House Domestic Policy Staff 1980-81
Assistant to the Chairman, Council on Wage & Price Stability 1978-80
Special Assistant, White House Energy Staff/US Dept. of Energy 1977-78
Consultant, US Department of Transportation 1975-76

Other Professional

Director, Elara Caring, Inc. 2025-Present
Trustee (former Chair), Maryland Small Business Retirement Savings Board 2017-Present
Trustee, Commonwealth of Puerto Rico Pension Reserve Trust 2022-Present
Nominee for Starbucks Board by Strategic Organizing Center 2024-5
Participant, Aspen Institute Financial Security Forum, various dates
Discussant, "Retirement & Health Benefits in the Public Sector", NBER Conference 2015
Member, Advisory Committee, BlackRock Retirement Institute 2016-2018
Member, Harvard Corporation Committee to Visit the Harvard Kennedy School, Various dates
"Pension 40: 40 Who Will Affect the Future of Pensions", *Institutional Investor* Nov 2013
Director, Thornburg Investment Management 2019-2024
Director, PulteGroup 2016-2018
Director, TD Bank 2009-10
Director, Safety-Kleen Systems, Inc. 2003-06
Consultant, Pittsburgh Symphony Orchestra Musicians & Management 2016

Education

MPP, Harvard Kennedy School, 1978
JD, Harvard Law School, 1978
AB, Sociology, Stanford 1973