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*Corporate finance professional with 30+ years' experience in the US, Asia and Europe, specializing in M&A, strategic investments, joint ventures and new business development across industries in emerging markets. Successful execution across diverse sectors including cleantech, healthcare, technology, banking, and finance. Multi-cultural and multi-lingual. US citizen, with prior experience working and living in China, Taiwan, Hong Kong, Thailand, Singapore and London. Fluent in written and spoken English, Mandarin Chinese as well as conversational Japanese and French.*

### **PUBLIC COMPANY – BOARD ROLES**

<b>Fanhua, Inc. – Guangzhou</b> Independent director: China's largest independent insurance brokerage (ticker: FANH)	<b>2007 - present</b>
<b>Jinko Solar – Shanghai</b> Independent director: world's largest solar PV manufacturer (ticker: JKS)	<b>2009 –present</b>
<b>Kingwisoft – Hong Kong</b> Independent director: Chinese call center firm (ticker: 8295)	<b>2016 - present</b>
<b>UGE – New York</b> Independent director: community solar developer (ticker: UGE.V)	<b>2021 - present</b>
<b>Monterey Capital – California</b> Independent director: cleantech SPAC (ticker: MCAC)	<b>2020 - present</b>
<b>Hexindai – Beijing</b> Independent director: Chinese P2P lender (ticker: HX)	<b>2017 – 2022</b>
<b>TKK Symphony – Hong Kong</b> Independent director: SPAC (ticker: TKKSU)	<b>2018 - 2020</b>
<b>Ener-Core – Irvine, California</b> Independent director: cleantech company (ticker: ENCR)	<b>2016 - 2020</b>
<b>China Ming Yang Wind Power Group – Zhongshan, China</b> Independent director: Chinese wind turbine company (ticker: MY)	<b>2011 – 2016</b>
<b>ChinaCast Education Corporation – Beijing</b> Independent director: Chinese education company (ticker: CAST)	<b>2011 – 2018</b>
<b>China Integrated Energy Corporation – Xian</b> Independent director: Chinese bio-diesel company (ticker: OTCBB: CBEH)	<b>2011 – 2014</b>
<b>China Clean Energy Corporation – Fuzhou</b> Receiver appointed by Delaware Chancery Court	<b>2014 - 2018</b>

**ADVISORY BOARD ROLES**

<b>Cenntro</b> – <i>New Jersey</i> Manufacturer of commercial electric vehicles (Nasdaq: CENN)	<b>2021 – present</b>
<b>Nulyzer</b> – <i>San Francisco</i> Green hydrogen electrolyzer manufacturer	<b>2021 – present</b>
<b>LitePulse</b> – <i>Seattle</i> Solar power in space	<b>2021 – present</b>
<b>Dysrupt</b> – <i>Melbourne, Australia</i> Prediction markets	<b>2009 – present</b>
<b>Broadline</b> – <i>Miami</i> Private equity company	<b>2021 – present</b>
<b>Raycom</b> – <i>Tel Aviv</i> Secure private 5G telecom networks	<b>2022 – present</b>
<b>Nanograf Technologies</b> - <i>Chicago</i> Innovative anode material for lithium-ion batteries	<b>2018 - present</b>
<b>Intelligent Generation</b> - <i>Chicago</i> Operating system for renewable energy grid	<b>2017 – present</b>
<b>Seedsprint</b> - <i>Paris</i> Advisory board; connecting IP with corporate tech scouts	<b>2017 - present</b>
<b>Evergreen Climate Innovation</b> – <i>Chicago</i> Renewable energy NGO, mentoring young companies, judge annual competition	<b>2011 –present</b>
<b>Kearsarge Energy</b> – <i>Boston</i> Solar developer	<b>2011 - present</b>
<b>Princeton-in-Asia</b> – <i>Princeton, NJ</i> Trustee of NGO which provides transformative, service-oriented experiences for bright, talented graduates that serve the needs of its Asia partners	<b>2012 - 2018</b>

**EXECUTVE ROLES**

<b>Childwise</b> – <i>Chicago &amp; Guangzhou</i> CFO – early childhood education training	<b>2020 – 2022</b>
<b>KX Power</b> - <i>London</i> Chairman/Emeritus - UK based renewable energy developer	<b>2019 – present</b>
<b>Wilton Partners</b> - <i>Shanghai</i> Partner - Execute M&A assignments for Shanghai based boutique investment bank	<b>2014 - 2017</b>
<b>Lake Forest Graduate School of Management</b> - <i>Chicago</i> Professor - Global Business & Cultural Diversity	<b>2014 - 2015</b>

**Synergz BioScience – Chicago & Hong Kong** **2007 – 2011**  
*CEO* - Commercialize innovative technology for Hong Kong based genomics company. Create effective partnerships with genotyping platforms, reference laboratories, consumer genomics firms

**HuaMei Capital Company, Inc. - Chicago** **2006 - 2007**  
*CEO* - Managed and lead a start-up boutique investment bank. HuaMei was co-founded by Adlai Stevenson III and Leo Melamed.

**GE Healthcare Financial Services - Chicago** **2003 - 2006**  
*Senior Vice President – Global Risk*  
 Risk review / due diligence lead for M&A transactions; risk input into new product introductions; enterprise risk management

**GE China - Beijing** **2001 - 2002**  
*Director of Business Development – GE Capital*  
 Originate China M&A transactions across GE Capital businesses

**GE Capital – Asia Pacific - Singapore** **1998 - 2001**  
*Director of Business Development – ERC Asia Pacific*  
 Created strategic plans for business; lead teams in identifying and executing strategic investment transactions throughout Asia Pacific; lead due diligence, deal negotiation, and target integration.

**Boston Consulting Group - Hong Kong** **1994 - 1997**  
*Case Leader*  
 Consulted to major multinational corporations and local financial institutions on a broad range of strategic issues, client relations, new business development, and project management, as well as recruiting, career development, and office administration.

**First Chicago Bank - Hong Kong, London, Chicago, New York** **1988 - 1993**  
*Vice President*  
 Corporate finance, trade finance, and M&A assignments for Chinese clients

**Chase Manhattan Bank - New York, Hong Kong, Beijing** **1984 - 1988**  
*Vice President*  
 Product development and marketing, corporate finance, trade finance, consulting

**US China Business Council - Beijing, Washington D.C.** **1978 - 1983**  
*Representative*  
 Investment research, negotiation support and liaison activities on behalf of US multinationals. Created programs and led Chinese delegations on commercial development visits to the US.

## **EDUCATION**

MBA **Columbia University** **1991**  
*Class Valedictorian*

MA **Johns Hopkins University - SAIS** **1980**  
*International Affairs & Economics*

BA **Princeton University** **1976**  
*East Asian Studies*

**LANGUAGES** Fluent Chinese, Conversational Japanese and French