



Curriculum Vitae

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Ph. D., Theology, Drew University, Madison NJ, USA

Current Positions

Rochester-Bern Executive Programs

Adjunct Faculty for the Leadership & Career Development course (since 2017)

Former Positions

Management Positions

Dec 2016 – Aug 2017

Barry Callebaut AG

Global Head Talent Development and Leadership Development

- Build a talent and development strategy ('Talent Mgmt Agenda'), defining what the main programs, processes and tools to be built in next three years
- Build from scratch the new talent and development process, including organizational and talent review, succession planning and key talent mgmt.
- Differentiate the talent and development process from the performance process and ensure that IT support tool (Success Factors) is aligned with change
- Revise current leadership development offering to reflect needs of the business to build management and leadership skills
- Supported the business in strategic business transformation programs (e.g., Finance) from the change mgmt. people side

April 2012 – Nov 2016

UBS AG

Global Head Talent & Development

- Manage all talent and performance management processes, including organizational and talent review, succession management, performance mgmt., global employee survey, promotion to managing and group managing director
- Direct responsibility for global leadership development offering (CHF 7 mm budget)
- Budget responsibility for professional development (budget of > CHF 70 mm)
- Direct leadership of 180 FTE

April 2012 – August 2015 UBS AG

Global Head of HR, Wealth Management

- Strategic alignment and risk free operations of all HR services to needs of the UBS WM division (> 16,000 EEs globally)
- Oversight and personal involvement in the hiring, development and, where necessary, the exit of executive and senior talent ('Top 200')
- Implementation of division wide change management project 'Client Promise' that served as the foundation for our WM business transformation
- Ensured that key talent had 2.5x better chance of career progression over against non-key talent
- Direct leadership of 40 FTE (indirect ca. 60 more)

April 2010 – March 2012 Novartis Pharmaceuticals AG

Global Head Talent Management and Organizational Development

- Global responsibility for all talent management and organizational development activities of Novartis across all divisions
- Managed organizational and talent reviews with Novartis CEO and Division Heads of all Novartis business lines
- Implemented specific leadership and key talent programs for top talent, especially in emerging nations ('Lead' program)
- Instituted a firm-wide leadership framework model that formed basis of all internal leadership development programs and external assessments
- Personally led management leadership training courses and offsites
- Head Integration Mgr for integration of Chiron acquisition into Novartis on HR fronts of talent, leadership development and culture
- Direct leadership of 8 FTEs, functional leadership of all talent mgmt / org development practitioners (ca. 100 more)

Sept 2007 - March 2010 Novartis Pharmaceuticals AG

Global Head Talent Acquisition and Development, Org and Leadership Development

- Integrated all talent management, org and leadership development and recruiting for Novartis Vaccines and Diagnostics globally (ca. 6,000 EEs)
- Introduced all HR practices into new Novartis division and streamlined recruiting practices globally
- Led management and leadership training courses and offsites
- Direct leadership of 30 FTE

April 2004 – Aug 2007

Novartis Pharmaceuticals AG

Global Head Talent Management and HR Head Novartis International

- Head HR for Global Functions Finance and Legal
- Responsible for seamless running of talent and succession process across all of Novartis
- Led management and leadership programs and change management offsites

2003 – 2004

Credit Suisse AG

Head Department, Talent Management and Assessment Services

- Established all succession planning, 360 feedback, performance management, and all assessment activities at group level for all CS
- Responsible for all internal assessment practices group wide (ca. 600 per year)

- 2000 – 2002 Credit Suisse AG
Head Sector, Learning Technology and Staff Development
- Head professional learning for CS, including e-learning
 - Implemented first learning management system for CS
- 1998 – 1999 Credit Suisse AG
Human Resources Manager, Technology and Services
- HR manager for part of IT (ca. 400 EEs), including all HR processes from hiring to exit
- 1993 – 1997 Credit Suisse AG
Head Internal English Program, Technology and Services

Education

- 1995 Ph. D., Theology, Drew University, Madison NJ, USA
Dissertation: 'Redaction and Chapters 1-4 of the Book of Revelation'
- 1986 Masters of Divinity and Philosophy, Colgate Rochester Divinity School, New York USA
- 1982 Bachelors of Science in Physics, State University of New York, Plattsburgh, New York USA