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Professional Experience

- 2014 Present **Academic Director,** Brigham Young University Hawaii Willes Center for International Entrepreneurship <u>https://willescenter.byuh.edu/faculty</u>
- 2013 Present **Associate Professor**, Brigham Young University Hawaii Business Management Department teaching Strategic Management <u>https://bmd.byuh.edu/Faculty_Staff</u>
- 2007 Present **Corporate Training Consultant**, Capsim Management Simulations Lead Instructor for General Electric, Harvard Business School, ABB, and Illumina http://www.capsim.com/corporate/trainers/
- 2007 2013 **Assistant Professor**, Brigham Young University Idaho Business Management Department teaching Strategy & Entrepreneurship www.byui.edu
- 2006 2007 **Managing Director**, iCrete, LLC acquired by Pacific Capital Group (Winnick Capital) Beverly Hills, California <u>http://www.winnickco.com/transactions.html</u>
- 2005 2007 **President & Co-Founder**, StarStone and iCrete, LLC Santa Barbara, California <u>http://www.starstonellc.com/</u>
- 2001 2005 Director of Strategic Planning & Financial Analysis, World Minerals Inc. Santa Barbara, California www.worldminerals.com
- 1998 2001 Structural Engineer & Project Manager, Exxon Mobil Corporation New Orleans, Louisiana www.exxonmobil.com
- 1996 1998 **Research Associate**, Lockheed Martin (Department of Energy) Idaho Falls, Idaho <u>www.lockheedmartin.com</u>

Education

| Ph.D. | 2012 | Organization & Management, Capella University Minneapolis, Minnesota |
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| MBA | 2000 | Business Administration, Tulane University, A.B. Freeman School of Business New Orleans, Louisiana |
| MS | 1998 | Material Science & Structural Engineering, Brigham Young University Provo, Utah |
| BS | 1996 | Civil & Environmental Engineering, Brigham Young University Provo, Utah |

Academic Appointments

- 2014 BYU Hawaii, Academic Director for the Willes Center for International Entrepreneurship
- 2013 BYU Hawaii, Faculty Advisor for ENACTUS (formerly Students in Free Enterprise)
- 2012 Harvard Business School Publishing (HBSP), Advisor for Online Learning Initiative
- 2011 BYU Idaho, Academic Council for Course Curriculum at Brigham Young University Idaho
- 2010 **BYU Idaho**, Faculty Advisor for the Collegiate Entrepreneurship Organization (CEO)
- 2009 BYU Idaho, Academic Director for the Eastern Idaho Entrepreneurship Center
- 2008 BYU Idaho, Faculty Advisor for Advanced Internships in the College of Business & Communication

Corporate Training & Programs

- 2015 Illumina, Lead Instructor for Strategy Training as part of the iLeap Program
- 2015 ABB, Lead Instructor for Strategy & Finance Training as part of Rutgers Exec Ed Program
- 2010-14 General Electric (GE), Lead Instructor for Strategy Training at MDC Program
- 2010-14 Harvard Business School Publishing (HBSP), Advisor for Online Learning Initiative
- 2010-14 General Electric (GE), Lead Instructor for Operations Training at CLS Program
- 2010 Collegiate entrepreneurs Organization (CEO), Innovative Faculty Award
- 2009 BYU Idaho, Exemplary Faculty Award by the Administration
- 2009 BYU Hawaii, Visiting Instructor for the Business Management Department
- 2008 Idaho State University, Visiting Instructor for the Executive MBA program

Business Consulting & Teaching Experience

2009-15 Academic Training Programs

- Harvard Business School, HBS Campus (Boston) The Manager as Integrator (TMI)
- EDHEC University (Lille, France) Strategic Management & Strategic Planning
- Rutgers University (Newark, New Jersey) Strategic Planning & Financial Analysis

2009-15 Corporate Training Programs

- ABB, Tennessee (Memphis) Strategic Planning & Corporate Finance
- General Electric, Crotonville Campus (New York) Strategic Management & Leadership
- Linde Group, Princeton University (New Jersey) Strategic Planning & Analysis
- General Electric, India (Bangalore) Operations Management & Analysis
- Insperity, University of Texas (Houston) Business Acumen & Strategic Leadership
- General Electric, U.A.E. (Dubai) Operations Management & Analysis
- Marvell Industries, Israel (Tel Aviv) Financial Acumen & Analysis
- General Electric, China (Shanghai) Operations Management & Analysis
- Cooper Industries, Texas (Houston) Financial Planning & Analysis
- General Electric, England (London) Operations Management & Analysis
- General Electric, Crotonville Campus (New York) Human Resource Leadership

Entrepreneurial Leadership Experience

2011-15 Chairman of the Board, Trade Star Energy, LLC (<u>www.tradestarenergy.com</u>)

- Helped guide a management team from small leasing operation to technology company
- Revenue for 2014 was \$22.0M with operations in North Dakota, Wyoming, and Colorado
- EBITDA margins at 30% with cash flow over \$500,000 per month

2014-15 Board of Advisors, MWI (www.mwi.com)

- Helped guide a management team from small online marketing to online PR and content marketing
- Increased global presence with offices in Hong Kong, Phoenix, Chicago, and Salt Lake City
- EBITDA margins at 40% with cash flow over \$100,000 per month

2014-15 Board of Advisors, Well Africa (www.facebook.com/WellAfrica)

- Helped guide a management team from idea to functioning Non-Governmental Organization (NGO)
- Increased local impact for villagers in the Ivory Coast based on micro-financing and new schools
- BYU students involved in the project presented at ENACTUS Nationals and recently won 1st place

2013-15 Board of Advisors, Hele Huli, LLC (www.helihuli.com)

- Helped guide a management team from small moped operation to North Shore Adventure Center
- Increased product offerings at Turtle Bay Resort and new operations at Polynesian Culture Center
- EBITDA margins at 50% with cash flow over \$50,000 per month

2008-12 Board of Advisors, Eastern Idaho Entrepreneurship Center (www.idahoecenter.org)

- Private non-profit economic development organization for Southeast Idaho
- Helped train BYU-Idaho students to provide small business consulting services
- Center raised over \$10.0MM in financing to help support hundreds of small businesses

Dissertation/ Thesis

- Earl, Jason S. (2012). Online business simulations: A sustainable or disruptive innovation in management education? (Dissertation Abstracts International, 3517084). Minneapolis, Minnesota.
- Earl, Jason S. (1999). *Strategic business plan for an innovative structural engineering firm* (Master's Thesis, Tulane University A. B. Freeman School of Business). New Orleans, Louisiana.
- Earl, Jason S. (1998). Concrete columns reinforced with advanced composite grid structures (Master's Thesis, Brigham Young University). Provo, Utah.

Research Publications and Presentations

- Earl, Jason S. (2013). Harnessing the Power of Technology in Teaching. Academy of Management. Orlando Florida: <u>http://proceedings.aom.org/content/2013/1/14792.short</u>
- Earl, Jason S. (2012). Online Business Simulations: <u>The Next Wave of Disruptive Innovation</u>. Amazon/*Kindle*. Seattle, Washington:
- Jensen, David W. & Earl, Jason S. (1998). <u>Advanced composite grid structures</u>. *Proceedings, Structural Engineering World Congress.* San Francisco, California.
- Tsai, Stephen W., Jensen, David W. and Earl, Jason S. (1998). <u>Composite grids for reinforcement</u> of concrete structures. U.S. Army Construction Engineering Laboratories. Technical Report 98(81), 172. Champaign, Illinois.
- Lacy, Jeff W. & Earl, Jason S. (1997). <u>Conceptual design for a full-scale wind simulation center</u>. Proceedings, Idaho National Engineering and Environmental Laboratory. Idaho Falls, Idaho.

Professional Organizations

American Society of Engineering Serious Games & Simulations Collegiate Entrepreneurs Association Social Entrepreneurship and Education Consortium Southern California Tech Group Tech Coast Angels

Personal Information

Recently selected to lead a youth group for a church in the local community (Laie, Hawaii). Unit commissioner for 16 local Boy Scout units in the Los Padres Council (Santa Barbara). Hiked with my wife, Natalie, 50 miles through the Peruvian Andes to Machu Picchu. Led mountain climbing group safely to the top of the Grand and Middle Tetons in Wyoming. Professional Engineer (PE License No. 30158) in the State of Louisiana. Eagle Scout.

Personal References

Dr. Craig Watters, CEO Capsim Management Simulations 55 East Monroe Street, Suite 3210, Chicago, IL 60603 <u>craig@capsim.com</u>

Dr. Clark Gilbert, President & CEO Desert News & Deseret Digital Media 55 North 300 West, Salt Lake City, UT 84101 cgilbert@deseretdigital.com

Dr. Kim B. Clark, President Brigham Young University Idaho 525 South Center Street, Rexburg, ID 83404 clarkk@byui.edu

David Pimentel, Professor of Law and Fulbright Scholar Recipient University of Idaho, College of Law 711 South Rayburn Street, Moscow, ID 83844 <u>dtpimentel@gmail.com</u>

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