

## Curriculum Vitae

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#### Education

- Ph.D. The University of Texas at Austin. Financial Institutions and Corporate Financial Theory, 1990.
- M.B.A. The University of Texas at Austin. Management and Corporate Financial Theory, 1983.
- M.S. Florida Institute of Technology. Transportation Management, 1975.
- B.A. Tulane University. Political Science, 1969.

#### Experience

**Distinguished Senior Lecturer, The University of Texas at Austin. 2007-Present**

Recognized for extraordinary service and performance. Full-time position (four courses per semester). Responsibilities include teaching graduate, undergraduate and executive education courses in corporate finance and international finance.

**Senior Lecturer, The University of Texas at Austin. 2000-2007**

Full-time position (four courses per semester). Responsibilities include teaching graduate, undergraduate and executive education courses in corporate finance and international finance.

**Assistant Dean, Graduate School of Business, The University of Texas at Austin. 1997-2000**

Responsible for external areas supporting the MBA Program, including admissions, alumni affairs, diversity and external communications and corporate relations. Also teaching a course in international finance.

**Senior Lecturer, The University of Texas at Austin. 1996-1997**

Full-time position (four courses per semester). Responsibilities include teaching graduate, undergraduate and executive education courses in corporate finance and international finance.

**Lecturer, The University of Texas at Austin. 1989-1996**

Full-time position (four courses per semester). Responsibilities include teaching graduate, undergraduate and executive education courses in corporate finance and international finance.

**Assistant Instructor, The University of Texas at Austin. 1986-1989**

Half-time position (one course per semester). Independent instructor for upper division corporate finance course. Also assisted faculty members in their courses and research.

**Teaching Assistant, The University of Texas at Austin. 1981-1986**

Half-time position. Assisted in instruction for graduate and undergraduate courses in Financial Theory, Corporate Finance and Organizational Behavior and The Option II Executive MBA Program.

**Transportation Manager. 1977-1979**

Responsible for transportation planning and fleet operations of custom institutional furniture manufacturing company. Supervised packing and loading of furniture components, scheduling of fleet movements, and maintenance of vehicles and equipment.

**President, Solar Energy Company. 1977**

Responsible for operation of company manufacturing solar energy devices. Supervised manufacturing, sales and installation efforts. Also responsible for planning and raising capital.

**Major, U.S. Army Reserve. 1977-1991**

Part-time reserve duty. Participated in mobilization training planning at Forscom Level. Mobilization company commander in U.S. Army Transportation School. Retired in 1991.

**Captain, Regular U.S. Army. 1969-1977**

Infantry and Transportation Corps. Full-time active duty in combat and logistics positions worldwide.

**Academic Awards**

Regents' Outstanding Teaching Award, Board of Regents of the University of Texas System. Medallion and cash. Offered annually in recognition of faculty members at the nine University of Texas System academic institutions who have demonstrated extraordinary classroom performance and innovation in undergraduate instruction, the Regents' Outstanding Teaching Awards are the Board of Regents' highest honor. 2011

Nominated for the 2019-2020 CBA Foundation Advisory Council Award for Teaching Innovation.

Nominated for the 2018-2019 CBA Foundation Advisory Council Award for Teaching Innovation.

Nominated for the 2017-2018 CBA Foundation Advisory Council Award for Teaching Innovation.

The Hank and Mary Harkins Foundation Teaching Excellence Award for Effective and Innovative Teaching in Undergraduate Classes, College and Graduate School of Business Administration, The University of Texas at Austin. 2003-2004  
Plaque and Cash. Chosen by faculty as the outstanding teacher of undergraduate classes in the College of Business Administration/Graduate School of Business.

The Hank and Mary Harkins Foundation Teaching Excellence Award for Effective and Innovative Teaching in Large Undergraduate Classes, College and Graduate School of Business Administration, The University of Texas at Austin. 1992-1993  
Plaque and Cash. Chosen by faculty as the outstanding teacher of large undergraduate classes in the College of Business Administration/Graduate School of Business.

The Fred Moore Award for Excellence in Teaching by Assistant Instructors, College and Graduate School of Business Administration, The University of Texas at Austin. 1987-1988

Plaque and Cash. Chosen by faculty as the outstanding Assistant Instructor in the College of Business Administration/Graduate School of Business.

Outstanding Faculty Award, Engineering Management Program, College of Engineering, The University of Texas at Austin. Fall 2011.

Chosen by the graduating students in the Master of Science in Engineering Management program as the outstanding instructor in the Engineering Management Program.

Outstanding Faculty Award, Engineering Management Program, College of Engineering, The University of Texas at Austin. Spring 2011.

Chosen by the graduating students in the Master of Science in Engineering Management program as the outstanding instructor in the Engineering Management Program.

Outstanding Faculty Award, Engineering Management Program, College of Engineering, The University of Texas at Austin. 2010.

Chosen by Graduating students in the Master of Science in Engineering Management program as the outstanding instructor in the Engineering Management Program.

Member, Faculty Honor Roll, Texas Evening MBA Program. 2009

Recognized by the TEMBA students as one of the outstanding graduate teachers.

Favorite Professor Award, Undergraduate Graduating Class of 2009. Selected by graduating class in a survey conducted by the McCombs BBA Alumni Network.

Outstanding Faculty Award, Engineering Management Program, College of Engineering, The University of Texas at Austin. 2009

Chosen by graduating students in the Master of Science in Engineering Management program as the outstanding instructor in the Engineering Management Program.

Services for Students with Disabilities, Office of the Dean of Students. 2009

Nominated for special recognition by disabled students and received recognition as a faculty member who has “positively contributed to their academic endeavors at The University.”

Member, Faculty Honor Roll, The McCombs School of Business. Spring Semester 2008

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Finalist, Texas Excellence in Teaching Award, The University of Texas at Austin. 2006

Established by the Texas Ex-Students Association and sponsored by the Texas Exes Student Association, the Senate College of Councils and The McCombs School of Business to recognize excellence in teaching.

Member, Faculty Honor Roll, The McCombs School of Business. Fall Semester 2006

Recognized by the students and administrators of The McCombs School of Business as one of the outstanding undergraduate teachers.

Favorite Professor Award. 2005

Awarded by the Beta Alpha Psi Business Fraternity for dedication to the students at the University of Texas at Austin.

Services for Students with Disabilities, Office of the Dean of Students. 2004

Nominated for special recognition by disabled students and received recognition as a faculty member who has “positively contributed to their academic endeavors at The University.”

Undergraduate Teaching Excellence Award. 2004

Awarded by the Undergraduate Business Council, The Red McCombs School of Business.

Nominated for 2004 Innovative Instructional Technology Awards Program—

Teaching With Technology.

A University program that recognizes practices, processes, implementations, and successes in teaching through the innovative and effective use of digital technologies (hardware/software) combined with sound pedagogical strategies, in class or as an extension of class instruction.

Undergraduate Teaching Excellence Award. 2000-2001

Awarded by the Undergraduate Business Council, The Red McCombs School of Business.

Outstanding Professor Award, Alpha Kappa Psi Business Fraternity. 1999

Awarded by the Iota Chapter, Alpha Kappa Psi Business Fraternity.

The Eyes of Texas Award. 1998

Awarded by The Eyes of Texas for Excellence in service to the University of Texas at Austin.

Finalist, Texas Excellence in Teaching Award, The University of Texas at Austin. 1996

Established by the Texas Ex-Students Association to recognize excellence in teaching.

Outstanding Professor Award, Alpha Kappa Psi Business Fraternity. 1993

Awarded by the Iota Chapter, Alpha Kappa Psi Business Fraternity.

Professor of the Year, University of Texas Finance Association. 1992-1993

Awarded by the University of Texas Finance Association as recognition for efforts in the support of undergraduate education.

## **Publications**

Deposit Insurance in the American Savings Industry: Analysis and Extension of the Contingent Claims Approach, Doctoral Dissertation, 1990.

Develops and uses a contingent claims model for pricing deposit insurance for savings associations.

Instructor's Manual with Transparency Masters to accompany *Financial Management Concepts and Applications*, 3rd Edition (South-Western Publishing Co., 1995) by Ramesh K.S. Rao.

Instructor's Manual with Transparency Masters to accompany *Fundamentals of Financial Management* (Macmillan, 1987) by Ramesh K.S. Rao.

The Auto-Train and Military Unit Movements, Captain Charlyn R. Duvic, USA, and Captain Robert C. Duvic, USA, *Transportation Journal*, Penn State University, Vol 18, No 1 (Fall 1978).

## **Academic Activities**

### **Undergraduate classes**

**Finance 357: Business Finance:** A large core class required of all business undergraduate students. Provides a rigorous and quantitative introduction to corporate finance and examines two major managerial decisions: The investment decision: How do managers look into an uncertain future and decide what assets the firm will acquire based on their view of their competitive markets? The financing decision: How will the managers obtain the capital necessary to purchase the assets they require?

**Finance 320F: Foundations of Finance-Online:** Develops the insights and skills necessary to be an effective decision maker in a market environment. Making good economic decisions involved integrating behavioral, economic and political information into a qualitative and quantitative decision process. The course shows that the market-valuation approach is essential for all market participants, including investors, governments, and non-profits. Students must understand the major aspects of markets, how markets guide managerial decisions, and ultimately how markets determine success or failure of any

endeavor.

**Finance 376: International Finance:** This upper division finance elective examines the foreign exchange markets and how they shape the environment within which corporate wealth-maximizing decisions are made. This course develops a market-based understanding of exchange rates and show how exchange rate volatility affects corporate decision-making. Four major areas are covered: The International Environment, The Foreign Exchange Derivative Markets, What Factors Affect Exchange Rates, and Foreign Exchange Exposure and the Firm

**International Corporate Management: Global Business Leadership Institute:**

The Global Business Leadership Institute has evolved over more than a decade into a unique business learning challenge for UT students and exchange students from several universities in Europe, Asia and Latin America. Students operate in a realistic business environment in which they build and run companies that compete with each other in a dynamic international marketplace. These companies are evaluated on many aspects: managing costs and revenues to maintain solvency; developing products that are desirable in both features and price; balancing short-term requirements with long-term value creation; effectively managing both real and human resources; and dealing with political and exchange rate uncertainty. In addition to the simulation, this course also contains discussions of major international issues and technical business tools useful in the simulation.

**Finance 373.1: Advanced Studies in International Finance:** ASIF is an internet-based, multi-university undergraduate research course in which students at UT and partner schools, ITESM in Monterrey Mexico, Belgorod State University in Russia, and Shanghai Jiao Tong University in PRC use Blackboard to form themselves into small international groups and pursue research in international finance. Students use the Internet to pursue specific topics with more depth and sophistication that is possible with large, standardized courses.

**Graduate classes**

**Fin 394.3: Global Finance.** This is an elective in the Texas Evening MBA Program. It focuses on the effects of the rapidly changing global economic and political environment on corporate decision making. The students were exposed to the Foreign Exchange market and pricing currencies; factors affecting exchange rates; and how exchange rates affected business cash flows. Students were evaluated on a series of take-home cases.

**ENM 384: Engineering Economics.** Engineering Economics as part of the CLEE's Master of Science in Engineering Management. This executive course meets one weekend a month for five months. In this course students from around the Nation and from many companies study the major economic aspects of engineering projects, including the structure and goals of a corporation, the development of accounting and economic information flows, cash flow analysis, time-value-based decisions, types of capital budgeting projects, international

investment issues, risk and the use of opportunity costs to make economic decisions.

**ME 397: Engineering Economics-Online.** Engineering Economics as part of the CLEE's Master of Science in Mechanical Engineering. This is an online course similar in nature to ENM 384.

#### **Executive Seminars and Classes**

**SK 2012 Global Team Leader Program,** Texas Executive Education, McCombs School of Business. The Global Team Leader Program was sponsored by SK Holding, one of the largest companies in South Korea. The program is a highly interactive 12 week program involving lectures, discussions, case studies, simulations and role playing exercises. It also involved an Action Learning Project that allows the participants to apply the skills learned in the classroom to projects that may be undertaken by SK. In addition to conducting classes on market structure, valuation, corporate decision-making, risk management and foreign exchange transactions. I also conducted the Marketplace International Corporate Management Simulation. This simulation placed the participants in the role of managers who had to create a new company and compete in a global market.

**SK 2013 Global Team Leader Program,** Texas Executive Education, McCombs School of Business. Taught two classes in the GTLP: Markets and Economic value; The International Monetary System.

**ENM 384: Engineering Economics.** Supervisor for graduate student summer research projects and masters theses.

**Texas Evening MBA Program (TEMBA). BA 385T:** Financial Management. A core course in the TEMBA program, and involves the major issues of financial management: the investment and financing decisions that are faced by corporate financial managers.

**Texas Executive MBA Program (TEMBA). Fin 394.6:** Special Topics in Corporate Finance. Supervised independent research by graduate students in specialized areas of corporate and international finance.

**"Integrated Project Management"** Conducted a four-day class for engineers and executives at Dell Corp. for The Center for Lifelong Engineering Education, The University of Texas at Austin.

**International Accounting and Finance Conference.** Sponsored by the UT Center for International Business Education and Research in Laredo, TX. Developed program on relations between US and Mexico. 1996

**Internationalizing Business Education Symposium.** Conference in San Antonio, TX sponsored by Texas A&M University. Presented an analysis of issues involved in teaching International Finance. 1994.

**Seminar Presenter, Texas Statewide Telephone Cooperative, Inc.**

Conducted seminar on Principles of Financial Decision Making for accountants of member telephone exchanges at the TSTCI's annual conference in San Antonio, Texas. 1992

**"Financial Decision Making: Integrated Strategies for the Non-Financial Manager"**

Conducted seminars for Management Development Programs, The University of Texas at Austin. 1987

**Other academic service**

Faculty Advisory Committee, The University's Services for Students with Disabilities. Advise SSD office in relationship with faculty concerning students with disabilities.

McCombs School of Business Dean's Faculty Advisory Committee. Provided input on academic and administrative policies for the McCombs School of Business.

International Education Fee Scholarship Selection Committee. Evaluated applications and selected recipients for scholarships from The University of Texas at Austin International Education Financial Fee Fund.

Member, Non-tenure Track Merit Review Committee. Participated in a college-level development of merit-review procedures for non-tenure track faculty at the McCombs School of Business.

Member, BBA Curriculum Ad Hoc Committee. Participated in a college-level complete review of the BBA curriculum at the McCombs School of Business.

Consortium for Graduate Study in Management, Member of Board of Directors, 1997-2000, representing The University of Texas at Austin. Responsible for guiding the activities of the CGSM, which is devoted to fostering graduate business education among U.S. minorities.

Member, University Reserve Officers Training Corps (ROTC) Advisory Council. The council meets with the Professors of Military and naval Science and develops programs for retention and training of ROTC cadets/midshipmen. Participate in ROTC commissioning ceremonies. 2001-2003

Member, National Security Education Program Regional Selection Committee. Invited to travel to the Institute of International Education regional office in Houston and participate in a regional-level review of students for selection for David L. Boren/NSEP scholarship program. 2006.

Member, National Security Education Program Selection Committee. Participated in a University-level review of students for selection for David L. Boren/NSEP scholarship program. 2005, 2004.

Member, Undergraduate Curriculum Committee, Department of Finance. 2004-16. Advise the department chair on undergraduate academic issues.

## **Other Professional Activities and Public Service**

### **Consulting**

Chandah Space Technologies, Inc. Advisory Board. Chandah, based in Houston, Texas, and Mountain View, California, is an aerospace company focused on innovative technologies and capabilities in space, including private, commercial space-based remote sensing systems.

Consultant to Principal Investigator, bankruptcy restructuring, report submitted on the value of corporate equity under the Joint Plan of Reorganization by First City Bancorporation of Texas, Inc.

Economic Analysis performed for the Bureau of Business Research: A Report on the Texas Triangle High Speed Rail Study, The University of Texas at Austin.

### **Union organizer**

United Plant Guard Workers of America (UPGWA). Union organizer for contract security guards at the Internal Revenue Service Center, Austin, Texas, 1983.

### **Military Service**

Major Assignments:

Commander, Headquarters Detachment, 180th Transportation Battalion, Fort Hood, Texas; S-4 (Logistics Officer), 180th Transportation Battalion, Fort Hood, Texas; Commander, Headquarters Company, 7th Transportation Group, Fort Eustis, Virginia; S-1 (Personnel/Administrative Officer), 7th Transportation Group, Fort Eustis, Virginia; Provisional Commander, Logistics Company, Operation Lam Son 719, 23rd Infantry (Americal) Division, Republic of Viet Nam; Executive Officer, B Company, 23rd Supply and Transport Battalion, 23rd Infantry (Americal) Division, Republic of Viet Nam.

Awards and Decorations:

Bronze Star Medal with 2 Oak Leaf Clusters, Purple Heart Medal, Army Commendation Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster, Army Achievement Medal.

Military Schooling:

U.S. Army Command and General Staff College, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas. Graduate, Command and General Staff Officer Course, 1989.

U.S. Army Transportation School, Fort Eustis, Virginia. Graduate, Advance Course, 1975.

U.S. Army Jungle Operations Training Center, Fort Sherman, Canal Zone, Panama, 1970.

U.S. Army Infantry School, Fort Benning, Georgia. Airborne School, 1969.

U.S. Army Infantry School, Fort Benning, Georgia. Graduate, Infantry Officer Basic Course, 1969.

Tulane University, New Orleans, Louisiana. Distinguished Military Graduate, U.S. Army ROTC. Appointed Cadet Colonel, Commander of the Army Corps of Cadets. Received full two-year Army scholarship and commission in the Regular Army.