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SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS

- Proven problem solver and pragmatic leader with experience managing large, multi-year projects and motivating diverse teams, from front-line to executive staff.
- Successful experience managing large organizations in the areas of budgets, planning, human resources, security and law enforcement operations, emergencies, natural and man-made disasters and recovery, fleet operations, facility management, procurement, and community relations.
- Highly-motivated, detail-oriented professional with excellent oral and written communication skills.
- Adept leveraging technology for effective and efficient business processes.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Founder and CEO

Ivy Plus Associates, LLC

2021 to Present

- Provide consulting services to, government entities, universities, public safety departments, police departments, K-12 school districts, and corporations in personnel management, operations, planning, safety, security, emergency management, fiscal management, facility and fleet management, procurement, and human resources.
- Manage a group of independent consultants for various and diverse projects.
- Provide emergency management services including planning, assessments, communications, response and recovery as well as the design and facilitation of emergency preparedness drills.

Columbia University in the City of New York

Executive Director of Finance and Administration, Department of Public Safety

2015 to 2021

- Chief Financial and Human Resource Officer for the Department of Public Safety of a major urban research university and medical center.
- Responsibility for financial management, human resources, facilities, and physical assets for the Public Safety department across three campuses (Morningside Heights, Manhattanville, CU Irving Medical Center).
- Managed budget in excess of \$27 million, including purchasing, billing, accounts payable, recoveries, payroll and human resources.
- Directed the Public Safety fleet operations, and student/faculty transportation service.
- Responsible for overseeing multi-year facility construction projects for the department of public safety and other university divisions.
- Collaborated with the university senior executive stakeholders to resolve safety, security, and operational issues across three campuses.
- Led the Department's recruitment, interviewing, hiring, training and on-boarding process for public safety members across three campuses.
- Negotiated and oversaw union contracts, conducted grievance hearings and ensured compliance with all university policies and guidelines.
- Oversaw Columbia University's compliance with Federal and New York State laws, including mandated reporting under the Clery Act.
- Prepared, ensured accuracy and timely release of the University Annual Fire and Safety Report.
- Led annual "table top" exercises for crisis planning, operations drills, ensuring collaboration with university stakeholders and local authorities.
- Senior member of the University Emergency Operations Management Team.
- Condominium Board Member for the Lionsgate building housing faculty and students.

Founder and President, Excalibur Protection Services, Inc. - DBA Global Synergy Solutions 2002 to Present

- Provided worldwide governmental, law enforcement and corporate consulting services.
- Provide investigation and expert testimony services for attorney litigation support.
- Performed consulting services for police agencies, public safety entities, universities and corporations in the areas of leadership and management, police procedures and efficiencies, public safety, logistics, support services, fleet management, disaster mitigation/preparedness, ethics/integrity, fiscal management, table top exercises and union negotiation.
- Conducted agency assessment for the U.S.V.I. Police Department in St. Thomas including analysis and evaluation of their police facilities and vehicle fleet on St. Thomas and St. Croix.
- Conducted peace officer training and consultation for Borough of Manhattan Community College and CUNY.
- Conducted law enforcement consolidation study for the Bergen County, N.J. Prosecutor, County Police, and Sheriff's Office, recommending consolidation of the County Police and Sheriff's Office to reduce cost and increase efficiencies.

LAW ENFORCEMENT PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Executive Officer (Second in Command) of the NYPD Support Services Bureau encompassing close to 1000 employees, 40 separate facilities, a vehicle fleet in excess of 9000, a fully operational print shop and one of the largest automated fingerprint systems (AFIS) in the nation. Held executive positions, (Captain and above), within the NYPD for over eleven (11) years, and other supervisory positions for over sixteen (16) years.

DEPUTY INSPECTOR – NEW YORK CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT

Executive Officer, Support Services Bureau

- Responsible for all matters relating to the operation of Fleet Services Division, Central Records Division, Property Clerk Division and Printing Section and supervised the Directors of each section.
- Chief Financial Officer of the Bureau with an expense budget in excess of \$78 million.
- Directed facility renovations, relocations, and construction projects for the Bureau's 40 facilities.
- Responsible for the NYPD's 56 fuel sites throughout NYC and fuel contingency plans.
- Responsible for the internal controls of the Support Services Bureau.
- Directed, prepared and reviewed contracts and RFP's for the purchase of vehicles, equipment and services.
- Authorized the disbursement of funds for service/maintenance contracts and controlled the Confidential Funds account for operation of over 1000 confidential vehicles.
- Designated the NIMS/CIMS NYPD Logistics Section Chief for City Wide Incident Management.
- Directed the "Greening of the Fleet" to implement hybrid and electric vehicles for patrol usage.
- Designed and implemented a \$20 million dollar reduction of the vehicle fleet budget while maintaining quality service levels.
- Coordinated the privatization of the Property Clerk auto pounds and the Fleet Services parts rooms.
- Designed and managed the business continuity plan of the Support Services Bureau.

Commanding Officer, Queens South Task Force - Captain

- Commanded and trained 100 specialized officers deployed to emergencies throughout NYC.
- Designated City-Wide Task Force Commander, during heightened alerts and at special events to address the threat of Chemical, Biological or Radiological accidents or terrorism.
- Responded to natural and man-made disasters as a first responder and conducted rescue and mitigation operations.
- Responsible for the facility housing over 200 people including various units and equipment.

Commanding Officer, Queens South Investigations Unit - Captain

- Directed and supervised confidential internal misconduct investigations.
- Investigated firearms discharges by members of the NYPD as the Shooting Team Leader and determined if they were within Department guidelines and NY State Law.
- Conducted quality assurance audits of precincts and subunits to ensure that Department policy was followed and to maintain the integrity of the crime reporting system.

EDUCATION

- **Master of Business Administration**
Baruch College
- **Bachelor of Science in Finance, Cum Laude**
St. Johns University
- **Graduate of the FBI National Academy, 209th Session**
Quantico, VA

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- Executive Board of Directors - National Law Enforcement Associates (Present)
- Past President - National Law Enforcement Associates (2012 -2013)
- Treasurer – American Academy For Professional Law Enforcement (2004- 2009)
- FBI National Academy Associates
- IACP

NOTABLE ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Graduate of the FBI National Academy, 209th Session
- Received Temporary Certificate of Fitness for FDNY Fire Safety Director
- Recipient of the Colangelo Award for outstanding contribution to the American Academy for Professional Law Enforcement
- Graduate of the U.S. Department of Homeland Security, Weapons of Mass Destruction Incident Commander Course
- Graduate of the NYPD Commanders College Course
- Instructor of Citywide Incident Management System (CIMS)
- Recipient of the NYPD First Deputy Police Commissioner's Award