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Professional Employment

Director of Security
The Shed
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Lead all security, fire, and safety operations for The Shed, a performing and visual arts center which opened in April 2019. I helped create the organization's Emergency Action and Fire Safety plans, train staff on security and safety procedures, develop and implement security plans for special events and VIP clients, and manage security service contract.

Certifications

CPP, PCI, PSP

Previous Employment

AVP for Security, The New York Botanical Garden, 2900 Southern Blvd, Bronx NY 10458 7/10 to 10/20
Adjunct Lecturer, John Jay College, 524 W 59th St, New York, NY 10019, 8/2013 to 12/19
Assoc Sec Manager, The Metropolitan Museum of Art, 1000 Fifth Ave NY, NY 10028, 11/94-7/10

Total Number of Years in a Security Management Position

23

Total Number of Years in Security Profession

25

Year Started in Security Profession

1994

College/University

NYU, BA English, New York, NY USA 1990

Graduate Studies

John Jay College, MS Protection Management, New York, New York USA 2013

Baruch College, MS CIS, New York, NY USA 2006

Military Schools

N/A

Special Training

N/A

ASIS Volunteer Participation

ASIS Member, NYC Chapter, 2008-present

Professional Standards Board Member, 2018-present

Cultural Properties Council (now Community) Member, 2012-present

Cultural Properties Council Chair, 2016-2018, Vice Chair 2015, Membership Chair 2018-2019

Workplace Violence Prevention and Intervention Standard, Committee and Working Group, 2019-2020

Session Developer and Presenter, Annual Seminar, ASIS China, ASIS Rotterdam, and GSX, 2014-2019

Created ASIS webinars and have written and been interviewed for articles in Security Management Magazine

PCI Certification Task Force, 2015

Session reviewer for Annual Seminar and GSX

Session moderator, Annual Seminar

Non-ASIS Volunteer Participation

American Alliance for Museums, 2008-2018. Chaired Security Committee, 2013-2014, Vice Chair, 2014-2019

NFPA 909 Technical Committee Member, 2016-2019

Professional Publications

Security Management Magazine, Five Ways to Protect Open-Air Art, Dec 2018

Professional Affiliations

ASIS International, various positions held, 2008-present

AAM, Chair, Vice Chair, and Secretary of Security Committee, 2008-present

NFPA 909 Technical Committee, 2016-2019

Based on the 2020-2024 ASIS International Strategic Framework, What Two Goals Do You Feel Are Most Critical to the Association Over the Next Three Years and Why?

Our continued digital transformation is key to the success and survival of ASIS International. The Covid19 pandemic has shown us all how needed, and powerful, online platforms are to sustaining communication, continuing education, and sharing of information. The ASIS

Community pages have been a font of knowledge for ASIS members, as is easily witnessed by the numerous discussions and information sharing that is happening on this platform. The very fact that ASIS can deliver a GSX+ virtual experience is an amazing achievement. We need to grow our organization to be sustainable on every level, and our digital infrastructure will keep us both alive and vibrant!

Growing a global brand goes hand in hand with our digital transformation. We need to continue to find ways to share information and expertise on a global level, especially when our ability to travel is compromised both by the pandemic as well as the restrictions on resources. The very fact that ASIS members are able to ask questions and get solutions from global leaders is what makes us strong. As security professionals, we continue to find that our answers can-and must-be found beyond our local borders. We are living at a time when we get to watch and see how others are solving problems, are able to evaluate their progress, and then adapt their solutions to fit our needs. We must continue to both capture the success of this moment as well as the lessons learned. Stronger Together!

Please Describe Your Understanding of the Role of a Member of ASIS International Global Board of Directors Nominating Committee:

As a member of the PSB and various councils and working groups, I believe that I have had the opportunity to work with a diverse group of security professionals. I have learned much from these leaders, and many have become my friends. Having participated in some of ASIS's global security exchanges, I have worked behind the scenes to help make these meetings a success. I am enthusiastic about ASIS and the security profession. I want to help ASIS select the best leaders to ensure that our organization helps to make security professionals worldwide welcome. I am also proud to see that ASIS continues to work on diversity and inclusion. I have championed these efforts at the council level, and I hope to be able to be a part of ASIS's growth in this area.

Based on this Understanding, In What Specific Ways Could You Contribute/Make an Impact?

The greatest impact that I can have is based on my abilities to listen and learn. As I've stated already, I am enthusiastic about the future of the organization, and I look to promote ASIS whenever I can, either through spreading the word amongst my colleagues in the cultural properties community, or by participating in various ASIS activities, including participation in various standards working groups. I love being an ASIS volunteer and I know it shows.

What Professional Efforts Make You Deserving of this Candidacy?

I have earned the three ASIS premier security certifications. I have spoken about and written on behalf of ASIS International since becoming a member in 2008. I continue to promote ASIS to my work colleagues as well as at John Jay College, where I am an Adjunct Lecturer in the Department of Security, Fire Safety, and Emergency Management, teaching courses to both undergraduate and graduate students.

What Accomplishments Within ASIS (not simply roles you have held) Make You Deserving of This Candidacy?

I have created two webinars, written an article for Security Management Magazine, have

been interviewed by Security Management Magazine for several articles, and I helped write the successful ASIS Foundation Grant proposal for the Clunia Archaeological Site case study. I have also spoken at the ASIS Annual Seminar\GSX every year from 2014-2019, ASIS Shanghai and ASIS Rotterdam. I have spoken in promotion of ASIS International at non-ASIS events in London and Madrid and at AAM conferences. I was honored as the 2016 Council Chair of the Year, mostly for my efforts in making the council a "global" council.

In What Other Volunteer Activities Have You Participated That Would Best Qualify You For This Position?

Working as a member of the PSB board and as a working group member for the Workplace Violence Prevention and Intervention Standard, I have learned how to collaborate effectively with other ASIS volunteers. I understand their needs as well as the needs of the organization. I look to be able to support members needs and desires as well as ensure ASIS continues to grow as an organization by helping to select leaders that will move us forward. I like participating because I feel that it is the best way for me to learn as well as to help others. I love the camaraderie and sharing of work with fellow ASIS volunteers.