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Profile

Highly motivated Student Affairs professional with successful administrative experiences leading a comprehensive collegiate recreational sports department and National Intramural Recreational Sports Association (NIRSA) Board of Directors experience.

Education

Master of Science Recreation and Tourism Management August 1993

Major: Recreation Administration and Tourism Management Southern Illinois University Carbondale, Carbondale, Illinois

Bachelor of Science Recreation Administration August 1990

Major: Recreation Administration

Texas State University, San Marcos, Texas

Professional Recreation Experience

April 2014 – present Director of Intramurals and Recreational Sports Prairie View A&M University Recreational Sports Department 100 University Drive, Prairie View, Texas 77446

- Responsible for new 93,000 square foot student recreation center, \$31 million dollar, construction project
- Responsible for new 10 lane Brunswick bowling center, \$450 thousand dollar, construction project
- Direct \$2.8 million dollar annual budget and serve as fiscal officer for all purchasing aspects
- Direct departmental strategic plan 2016-2021
- Led and developed in-house departmental operational procedures, assessments and evaluation processes
- Current oversight of multi-sport outdoor field complex and field house, 1 million-dollar, construction project
- Fund and consult programming & equipment purchases at the PVAMU Northwest Houston and Downtown Nursing Center campuses
- Direct supervision of 6 professional staff, 2 graduate assistants, and in-direct supervision of 100 student staff members
- Manage custodial and maintenance contract for student recreation center, bowling center and outdoor field complex
- Collaborate on university wide student support events such as New Student-A Night on The Hill event, fall Freshmen Convocation, fall and spring Career fairs, fall and spring Student Organization Open Houses, and fall and spring Commencement staging
- Created annual fitness programs to support PVAMU Chancellors Wellness Initiative
- Host NCAA varsity bowling team weekly practices and sanctioned tournament events
- Initiated Texas Parks and Wild Life Department MOU with PVAMU
- Liaison to several offices and departments on campus including working and professional

relationships with Student Health Center, Health & Human Performance Department, University College, Student Engagement Office, Confucius Institute, Risk Management and Safety Office, Contracts Office, Accounting Department, Human Resources & Student Employment Office, The View-University Housing, Agriculture and Cooperative Extension Department, Student Conduct Office, and many other on campus units

- Initiated charter line of Phi Epsilon Kappa Fraternity at PVAMU
- Work closely with Admissions and Enrollment Management offices on campus tours, orientation, and advertising to prospective students
- Work closely with local school district regarding American Red Cross Learn to Swim lessons, Kids Bowl Free summer program and summer youth camp
- Provide means and opportunities for memberships for university professional employees, alumni and community members
- Collaborate with Student Employment Office at annual student employment fair. One of the largest employer of work study students on campus
- Coordinate campus wide PV Mile fun run event
- Coordinate campus wide Employee Fitness Olympics event for over 60 employees
- Conduct annual performance evaluations for professional staff

July 2007 – March 2014 Associate Director of Operations University of Texas San Antonio Campus Recreation Department 1 UTSA Circle, San Antonio, Texas 78249

- Managed all aspects of the facility operations of a comprehensive campus recreation program.
 Directly supervised four professional staff members (Assistant Director Informal Recreation,
 Assistant Director Aquatics & Field Complex, Administrative Associate II, and Coordinator of
 Custodial Maintenance & Special Events) and indirectly supervised nine additional professional
 staff members (7 House Keepers, Informal Recreation Coordinator, and Informal Recreation
 Graduate Assistant)
- Supported the vision, mission, and values of the department
- Co-coordinated annual student staff trainings (Fall and Spring)
- Managed the daily risk management plan for department
- Led First Aid/CPR and True Colors trainings for student staff
- Served as a member of the departments senior administrative team
- Host site for university wide large scale special events

July 2005 – June 2007 Associate Director for Diversity and Community Relations Denver University Athletics and Recreation Department 2199 S. University Boulevard, Denver Colorado 80208

- Managed diversity education and community relations initiatives for the athletic and recreation division
- Coordinated diversity related learning opportunities for administration, coaches, staff, and student- athletes
- Developed Service Learning and Social Justice programs for student-athletes
- Managed "community of care" events on campus and out in the community
- Developed programs for NCAA Diversity Action Plan for the athletic department
- Served as co-advisor to the Student Athlete Advisory Committee (SAAC)
- Represented division at campus and community related official functions

March 2004 – July 2005 Assistant Director of Development and Donor Relations University of Kansas Athletic Corporation 1450 Jayhawk Blvd, Lawrence, KS 66045

• Managed top donor game day events, away games activities, and post season events

- Coordinated accommodations and special arrangements for top donor events
- Assisted with student-athlete community service and volunteer efforts
- Co-coordinated the annual student-athlete recognition banquet
- Managed community care ticket program
- Coordinated logistics for Williams Educational Fund community relations initiatives
- Lead communications efforts regarding student learning for donors and booster clubs

August 2003 – February 2004 Assistant Director of Black Student Services Colorado State University Black Student Services Advocacy Office 1062 Campus Delivery, Fort Collins, Colorado 80523

- Coordinated diversity education and intergroup relation activities for Office
- Led academic success initiatives for students associated with BSS Office
- Coordinated Black History Month Collaboration activities with Student Affairs Division
- Developed Service Learning and Social Justice programs for students
- Assisted with Fall semester student leadership retreat
- Assisted with student organization fund raising events
- Co-facilitated Freshmen Seminar Course with a CSU Honor's College colleague
- Coordinated community volunteer opportunities for students associated with BSS Office

July 2001 – July 2003 Associate Director of Multicultural Affairs University of Kansas Office of Multicultural Affairs 1450 Jayhawk Blvd, Lawrence, KS 66045

- Managed student transition to college and academic support initiatives
- Led leadership and academic support series activities
- Led student experiential learning opportunities in local community
- Led respective heritage appreciation month programming
- Organized Fall semester Colors of KU leadership presentation
- Served as departmental student-athlete liaison
- Assisted with campus diversity and social justice trainings

July 2000 – July 2001 Interim Assistant Director of Multicultural Affairs University of Kansas Office of Multicultural Affairs 1450 Jayhawk Blvd, Lawrence, KS 66045

- Served as office liaison to underrepresented student organizations (First Nations Student Association, Asian Student Alliance, Black Student Union, and Hispanic Policy Network)
- Assisted with leadership and academic support series activities
- Assisted with respective heritage appreciation month programming
- Assisted with Fall semester Colors of KU student multicultural retreat experience
- Assisted with student organization fund raising events
- Assisted with campus diversity and social justice trainings
- Assisted with student staff departmental training
- Freshman Seminar Instructor

June 1998 – June 2000 Associate Director of Operations Texas State University LBJ Student Center 601 University Drive, San Marcos, Texas 78666

- Managed all task associated with day-to-day facility operations of a comprehensive student union facility
- Directly supervised five professional staff (Custodial & Maintenance Supervisor, Retail Manager, Facility Reservationist, Office Manager and Evening & Weekend Supervisor) and indirectly supervised nine additional professional staff members (8 House Keepers and the Marketing Graduate Assistant)

- Supported the vision, mission, and values of the department
- Coordinated large scale special events in the facility
- Managed retail operations for the student center
- Managed daily risk management plan for department
- Organized operations student staff training
- Freshman & Sophomore Seminar Instructor

June 1997 – June 1998 Assistant Director of Intramural Sports Texas State University Campus Recreation Department 601 University Drive, San Marcos, Texas 78666

- Managed all aspects of day-to-day operations for a comprehensive intramural sports program:
- Recruited, hired, trained, and evaluated student staff and one graduate assistant
- Organized tournaments, leagues, and special events for student participants
- Organized budgets and equipment needs for program area
- Supervised student coordinator staff
- Organized student staff trainings and official's clinics
- Served as Officials Association Advisor

August 1993 – June 1997 Assistant Director of Informal Recreation Texas State University Campus Recreation Department 601 University Drive, San Marcos, Texas 78666

- Assisted in the management of all aspects of day-to-day operations for a newly constructed campus recreation facility and informal recreation program:
- Recruited, hired, trained, and evaluated informal recreation student staff
- Led informal recreation student staff training and learning
- Developed policy and procedure manuals for facility
- Organized budgets and equipment needs for program area
- Managed incident and participant conduct issues
- Managed facility student custodial task

May 1991 – August 1993 (summers) Director National Youth Sports Program (NYSP) Southern Illinois University Carbondale 300 East Grand Avenue, Carbondale, Illinois 62901

- Managed all aspects of day-to-day operations for NCAA multi-sport and life skills based summer program for 300 youth participants
- Coordinated bus transportation for camp participants from four surrounding counties
- Coordinated facility reservation request
- Coordinated USDA daily lunch meal with campus food service
- Coordinated dental and physical examinations for youth participants
- Compiled participants' statistics required by NCAA
- Instructed youth sports activity classes

Campus Committees

Faculty Staff Giving Campaign Campus Carry Commencement Chancellors Wellness Initiative Auxiliary Service

Professional Organization Affiliations

American College Personnel Association (ACPA) National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) Association of College Union International (ACUI) National Wheelchair Basketball Association (NWBA) Association for Fraternity and Leadership Values (AFLV) National Intramural Recreational Sports Association (NIRSA)

Certifications

Certified Recreational Sports Specialist (CRSS) American Red Cross First Aid & CPR Instructor True Colors© Facilitator

Adjunct Instructor

PVAMU Kinesiology and Health Department, Theory and Practice of Intramural Sports, 2014-2015

Presentations

Texas Recreation and Parks Society, *Problem-Solving, Innovation and Effective Decision-Making*, Waco, Texas 2014

NIRSA Tri Venture, *The ABC's of Planning, Design and Construction of your Campus Recreation Facility*, Denver Colorado, 2015

NIRSA National Emerging Recreational Sports Leaders Conference, *The ABC's of Facility Design and Construction*, Jackson State University 2017

NIRSA Annual Conference, HBCU Round Table Facilitator, Washington D.C. 2017

Awards

NIRSA Proclamation, 25th Year Emerging Recreational Sports Leaders Conference, 2017

NIRSA Region IV Award of Merit, 2015

NIRSA Board of Directors 2014 - 2015

NIRSA Horace Moody Student Development Award Winner, 2013

NIRSA People of Color Award Winner, 2012

NIRSA Service Award, National Governance Transition Committee, 2011

University of Kanas, Anthony Daniels Multicultural Education Award, 2004

NIRSA Service Award Emerging Recreational Sports Leaders Workshop, 1993