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Summary

Private Sector / Emerging Markets/ International Development

Senior Level Executive with extensive hands-on experience in business leadership, management, strategic thinking. Commitment to development work in emerging markets and frontier regions.

Over 25 years of global exposure to private sector, through project finance and advisory services. Works with Boards, NGOs, CSOs, Governments, MFIs and Banks.

Experience



Independent Financial Advisor

FINANCE

Jan 2019 - Present (4 years 2 months)

Emerging Economies

Africa/Asia/Latin America

* Agribusiness

* Commodities

* Health & Education



Board Member

Hans Merensky Holdings (HMH)

Nov 2019 - Present (3 years 4 months)



Board Member

Westfalia Fruit

Dec 2019 - Present (3 years 3 months)



Board Member

Copeval S.A.

May 2020 - Present (2 years 10 months)

Member of the Board of Directors- Chairman Audit & Risk Committee

Copeval <https://www.copeval.cl/> is one of the largest companies in the agribusiness sector in Chile, distributing a wide range of products in Chile. Copeval is listed in the Santiago S.E

B|P Co-Managing Partner - Tel Aviv Office

Ballard Partners

May 2020 - Present (2 years 10 months)

Read More (English): <http://bit.ly/2VR6d4h>

Read More (Hebrew): <http://bit.ly/2XYQ0gd>



Advisor

Start-Up Nation Central

Jan 2018 - Oct 2021 (3 years 10 months)



Board Member

Procaps

Jun 2019 - Sep 2021 (2 years 4 months)



Board Member

Bridge

2017 - 2018 (1 year)



Board Member

COFCO International

2016 - 2018 (2 years)



DIRECTOR- Global Corporate Coverage

IFC - International Finance Corporation

Jul 2014 - Dec 2017 (3 years 6 months)

1. Responsible for developing, managing, expanding relationships & business with key strategic IFC clients at the most Senior level.
2. Ensure a consolidated approach across the life cycle of engagement with clients, covering Investment, Advisory and Portfolio.
3. Expand the range of World Bank products & services offered to maximize development impact.
4. Board Member since 2015, representing IFC in 3 global Companies.



Director- Manufacturing, Agribusiness & Services- Latin America & Sub S. Africa

IFC - International Finance Corporation

Sep 2010 - Jun 2014 (3 years 10 months)

1. Responsible for a \$1 billion + New Investments Program + a \$2.5 billion Investment Portfolio.
2. Led a global team of over 100 professionals.
3. Represent IFC with stakeholders : Private Sector companies, NGOs, CSO, Governments, MFIs.
4. Defined strategies and priorities for regions and sectors.



Director - Global Agribusiness Department

IFC - International Finance Corporation

2002 - Dec 2010 (8 years)

1. Led IFC's Global Agribusiness operations, with an annual program of US\$750 million
2. Managed Investment portfolio of over \$2.7 billion, representing 100+ projects in 40+ countries.
3. Expanded Advisory Services interventions in the Agribusiness sector.
4. Scaled up operations with other units in the WBG, in response to the 2008 'Food Crisis'.
5. Contributed to the overall WBG Agribusiness Strategy.
6. Led and mentored a motivated team of over 40 professionals



Manager - Health and Education Department

IFC - International Finance Corporation

Jul 2000 - Sep 2002 (2 years 3 months)

1. Led the creation of IFC's Health and Education Department.
2. Joint responsibility for IFC's portfolio and new business in private health & private education.
3. Managed a group of 22 professionals



Principal Investment Officer - Latin America and Caribbean Region

IFC - International Finance Corporation

1994 - 2000 (6 years)

1. Provided clients in Latin America with a full array of financial and advisory services.
2. Worked on project financing for greenfield and expansion projects in several industries + \$ 450m



Investment Officer- Sub Saharan Africa Department

IFC - International Finance Corporation

1990 - 1994 (4 years)



Banco Rio de la Plata Representative - Sao Paulo, Brazil

Santander Argentina

1989 - 1990 (1 year)



Associate - New York/Paris- Banco Rio de la Plata

Santander Argentina

1987 - 1989 (2 years)

Education



University of Chicago

MBA, Finance

1985 - 1987



Universidad de Belgrano

Master, Ciencias Economicas - CPA

1980 - 1984

Skills

Latin America • Africa • Investments • Agribusiness • Private Equity • Financial Modeling • Due Diligence • Risk Management • Emerging Markets • Business Strategy