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Education

University of Nebraska at Lincoln	Mathematics	BA 1985
Stanford University	Computer Science	PhD 1990

Positions

2001-present	Independent Consultant	
2000-2001	Principal Scientist, CTO Organization, VeriSign Inc	
1999-2000	Chief Architect, Signio Inc	<i>[Acquired by VeriSign]</i>
1997-1999	President and CEO, Structured Arts Computing Corporation	<i>[Acquired by Signio]</i>
1995-1997	Independent Consultant	
1995	Summer Staff, IDA-CCR (Princeton, NJ)	
1991-1995	President & Co-founder, PostModern Computing Technologies	<i>[Acquired by Visigenic]</i>
1991	Summer Staff, IDA-CCR (Princeton, NJ)	
1990	Senior Software Engineer, Teknekron Software Systems (Now TIBCO)	

Other experience (six months or more)

1985 Visiting Associate, Mathematics, Birmingham University, England (9 months)

Awards

1985	Phi Beta Kappa
1983	National Champion, ACM International Collegiate Programming Contest
1980	National Merit Scholar
1974	Nebraska Elementary School (K-6) Scholastic Chess Champion

Executive Corporate Positions

1999-2000	Executive Staff, Signio, Inc
1997-1999	Executive Staff & Board Member, Structured Arts Computing Corporation
1991-1995	Executive Staff & Board Member, PostModern Computing Technologies, Inc.

Consulting Clients [Nature of Work]

ArrayComm	[Network Security]
C*ATS Software	[Financial Derivatives]
International Risk Control	[Financial Derivatives]
Numerical Technologies	[Semiconductor Design Tools]
Oracle	[CORBA & Distributed Systems]
Qualys	[Network Security]
Talarian	[CORBA & Distributed Systems]
VeriSign	[Network Security]

Longer Term Consultative Assignments

1997	Chief Operating Officer, Numerical Technologies, Inc.
1995	VP Engineering, International Risk Control

Undergraduate Teaching Experience

1988 Data Structures, Stanford University
1989 Discrete Mathematics, Stanford University

Patents

2000 “Authenticated Payment” (Assigned to VeriSign. Filed March 2000)

Publications

Five peer-reviewed publications in Mathematics and Computer Science (listed separately).

Thesis Title & Graduate Advisor

“Semigroups and Transitive Closure in Deductive Databases.” Jeff Ullman, Stanford University.

Personal

Founding Donor, The Marlene and Vern Plambeck Endowment for the Fine Arts (29 January 2001).

Married. Two children.