

EXPERIENCE:

Executive Director February 2010 - Present
Columbia Metropolitan Airport, West Columbia, SC

Airport Director July 2005 - February 2010
The Eastern Iowa Airport, Cedar Rapid, IA

Airport Manager November 1997 - July 2005
Natrona County International Airport, Casper, WY

Assistant Airport Manager January 1995 - November 1997
Elmira/Corning Regional Airport, Horseheads, NY

Airport Operations Specialist June 1993 - January 1995
Dubuque Regional Airport, Dubuque, IA

Over twenty (20) years of increasingly responsible experience in management of airport operations, finance, marketing, and public relations at both commercial service and military airports. Demonstrated ability with community outreach, air service development, budget preparation, and oral and written communication with Federal and State Legislators, aviation officials, and local public and business leaders. Promoted community involvement, understanding, and support through speaking engagements and forums; maintained and developed media and political relationships; interacted, communicated and coordinated business development strategies with economic development agencies and local chamber. Improved air service by creating strong partnerships between airlines and local businesses; generated both Federal and State legislative support of local air service initiatives.

EDUCATION:

Bachelor of Science in Business Administration January 1983 - May 1987
Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, OH,

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS:

Board of Directors Greater Columbia Chamber of Commerce, Advisory Council USO SC, Board of Directors Central Carolina Community Foundation, Past President Northwest Chapter of AAAE, and Past President Wyoming Airport Operators Association

AWARDS:

Wyoming 40 under Forty; ALPA Safety Award; 50 Most Influential People in Midlands Region, SC in 2012 and 2013

MILITARY EXPERIENCE:

B-52G/H Instructor Navigator, Captain August 1987 - July 1992
United States Air Force

Air Terminal Operations Coordinator, Staff Sergeant, January 1983 - August 1987
OH Air National Guard