# **DONALD K. HAMMOND**

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# **DECORATED MANAGEMENT EXECUTIVE BUILDING SCALABLE, SUSTAINABLE & SUCCESSFUL SALES ORGANIZATIONS**

- Enthusiastic and highly credentialed sales management executive providing successful leadership that specializes in exponential growth, start-ups and rebuilds
- Highly proficient in new sales, retention, business development marketing, sales operations, with processdriven and data-centric approach to drive market share improvement across diverse industries
- Ethical professional and change agent with strong business acumen and proven history of creating and establishing extremely profitable national and global organizations based from three different countries
- Six-time corporate management award winner dedicated to increased revenues and profits along with optimum operating performance

# **AREAS OF EXPERTISE**

Strategic Planning

KPIs / Metrics

- Leadership Development
- Channel Optimization
- Forecasting & Performance
  - Standardized Processes
- GTM Models
- CRM Management

# **PROFESSIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS**

- Extraordinarily successful career spans over a billion dollars in total revenues directed through execution ٠ of proven GTM approaches, process improvements, branding strategies, and market share advancement
- Six-time corporate sales management award winner: Unparalleled record of exceeding revenue, client • retention, and team building goals
- Built sales organizations from 0 to 8 figures, \$35MM to \$90MM and \$100+MM to nearly \$250+MM in ARR ٠
- Promoted and developed 5 start-ups across 2 industries as well as successfully re-created sales entities for highly distressed organizations and countless pro bono hours in startup incubator direction
- Early adaptor and creator of Sales Operations groups (2000s) focused on KPIs, SOPS and collaboration
- Executive Sales Management leader in Seed, A, B and Exit stages with middle-management IPO tenure
- Delivered **1,600+ instructor hours** of Time Management, Business Acumen, Professional Negotiation, Critical Thinking, EI, Adversity Management and countless SPIN, MEDDIC, Consultative, 5/7-Step selling and activity approaches

# **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

# **Chief Revenue Officer, SolView**

Successfully direct and manage the sales and marketing strategies as well as overall profitability of embedded learning Al-driven SaaS company that specializes in data analytics. Company officer with fiduciary duties along with HQ relocation from Tel Aviv to the United States.

- Achieved >\$4MM in first year 300+% estimates with revenues at nearly \$22MM before exit announcement
- Created first ever direct rep, indirect agent and VAR distribution channels in company history **with** • representation and clients spanning Asia, Australia, Europe, South America and North America
- Opened new revenue verticals to embrace total service potential with multiple FORTUNE 500 client signings spanning P&C Insurance, Reinsurance and Real Estate Tech
- Reestablished company's entire marketing and branding via new website, logo, social media, digital, printas well as community outreach

# P&L / Comp / Quota

- X functional collaboration
- Change Management
- Continuous Improvement

#### 2018-present

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#### Founder, CEO Sales & Operations, dre-ag llc

- Successfully founded consulting company with a focus on sales, branding, operations, and funding for start-ups and organizations in transition. Quickly grew the company to >\$3.5M in annual revenues
- Accepted offer to purchase client base in late 2017, finalized in early 2018
- Highly diverse client register including Tech/IT, SaaS, Manufacturing, Medical Device and Renewables

### **Chief Sales & Marketing Officer, SEG**

- Hand-selected by Strathcona Energy Group (SEG) for an internal promotion post-acquisition with MAGE SOLAR USA. Directed the entire sales and marketing strategy and profitability for organization of 150+ employees, total annual revenues of >\$250M, and more than 300 dealers and distributors globally
- **Increased sales by 71% within initial 6-months** of hire by creating and executing improved sales philosophy, training, product promotion, commission modifications, and daily inspection
- **Increased overall corporate net margins by 60+%** with complete overhaul of internal sales and operational company policies, product inventories, marketing and branding strategies, budgetary prioritization, operational efficiencies, reporting processes and overall employee transparency

#### Vice President of Sales and Marketing, ARI

- Created company's first direct and indirect sales channels including commission, sales training, and • *territory development*
- Personally initiated and instituted new logistical delivery system, vendor representation and ERP to better streamline internal efficiencies and operations.

#### **Regional General Manager, Clear Corporation**

- National leader in direct and indirect sales, marketing, customer care, operations and budget of the region for multi-billion-dollar broadband start-up company. Launched more than one dozen markets and managed >\$70M annually
- **President's Council winner for 2008**. Region attained net-budget guotas 30 of last 33 months •

#### **General Manager, Nextel**

- Gainfully led the sales, marketing, customer care, operations and budgetary direction of the region for • the FORTUNE 500 wireless telecommunications company. Revenues managed \$55M annually
- Circle of Excellence Winner in 2005 national leader in ARPU, CPGA and EBITDA •

# Sales Director, MTA

- Tech/IT reseller including CLEC, LD, ISP, Microsoft, CISCO, Juniper, IBM, HP, SAP and Oracle
- Created first-ever successful direct sales channel in company history

# EDUCATION

#### Bachelor of Arts (BA) | Business University of Wisconsin, Madison

MBA | Executive Program Northwestern Kellogg, Evanston, IL

# **BOARD POSITIONS & AFFILIATIONS**

Channel Chair, Sales Individual Contributors, The Revenue Collective (PRO BONO) asked by company founder to globally lead the IC Channel to engage and train the more than 4,000 individual contributors on topics such as Self Improvement and Career Advancement strategies, as well as Sales efficiencies and productivities.

Boys & Girls Clubs: Board Member, assisted fundraising, after school, and athletic league planning Humane Society: Board Member, assisted in strategic planning, budgetary topics, branding, and marketing guidance - see Linkedin profile for entire register

#### 2016-2018

2012-2016

2010-2012

#### 2006-2010

# 2004-2006

2002-2004