Committee: Middlesex-London Health Unit Board of Health

Organization/Sector represented: City of London

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Occupation: Associate Professor of Management

Work experience: I have been a professor at King's since 2003. At King's I teach management, specifically, the subjects corporate governance and international business. I am currently the coordinator of the BMOS program at King's which involves academic oversight of roughly 20 faculty and 400 students in terms of planning, course content, academic integrity and staff hiring.

Education: I hold a B.A. (hons. Sociology) from King's and an MBA and PhD from the Ivey School of Business.

Skills: I am a recognized expert in non-profit governance who is sought after as a consultant and board member. I have taught and researched governance since 1999 and have consulted for numerous boards over that time. I am often asked to present on the subject for the United Way, the London Community Foundation and Pillar Non-profit Network among others.

Interest reason: I have had an interest in serving the public since I began working with the City as a researcher for the 2009 Enhance London economic strategic plan I wrote. I have had the chance to see the good the City's committees engage in and want to focus my community service in the area of health particularly since I feel its work covers every member of the community. Many of the City's committees are narrowly focused (Covent Garden, Convention Centre), but the Board of Health deals with every citizen of London and Middlesex, they try to improve everyone's lives. What an opportunity to make an impact!

Contributions: As a student and practitioner of non-profit governance I feel I can assist the current highly qualified board in continuous improvement. I spend a great deal of my time researching governance practice and I think that a well governed organization performs better. The more up to date a board is, the better it governs. Therefore, I am hopeful that my insight combined with my strategic thinking and experience on numerous boards, will add a lot of value to the board and the organization as a whole.

Past contributions: As a member of the Small Business Centre board, I took the lead in a reorganization and redesign of the committee structure and wrote policy and mandates for the board as a whole and its new committees. As board president I formalized the ED performance evaluation process. At YOU I was involved in formulating the social enterprise aspect of the organization and assisted in articulating the mission for that division. I have led strategic planning sessions for numerous boards as well as assisted in the development and offering of board orientation materials and processes. I have also trained hundreds of current and potential non-profit board members in courses I have run. Interpersonal: As a successful educator, facilitator and consultant, I have, as an integral part of my personality, the innate ability to listen to others' perspectives and make teams work together. I practice this ability with 18 year old students from different nationalities and knowledge levels and seasoned business executives. I work with people from all walks of life. I don't mess around - I call things as I see them, but I do so in a way that is respectful and always with the purpose of ensuring integrity and transparency and focusing on the mission of the organization.

Interview interest: Yes