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Serial entrepreneur, mentor, investor, author, and educator.

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Presidio Graduate School

Apr 2011 – Present · 8 yrs 4 mos

Bainbridge Island, WA

As an EIR at Presidio Graduate School, I mentor/advise the MBA students as they learn Entrepreneurship, plus I act as a liaison between the school and the business community to foster internships and other "real world" interactions for the students.

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### Chairman

Realize Impact

Sep 2013 – Present · 5 yrs 11 mos

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Realize Impact exists to help fund and support impactful startup companies. For analogies, this organization falls somewhere between Social Venture Partners, RSF Social Finance, and the existing Angel Groups, but focused on impactful, for-profit, investable companies.

### Advisor

HUB Seattle

Apr 2012 – Present · 7 yrs 4 mos

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## Education

### Carnegie Mellon

BS, Math / Computer Science

1987 – 1991

Activities and Societies: Kappa Delta Rho, Mac Mach

### University of Washington

M.S., Computer Science and Engineering

1999 – 2000

Activities and Societies: Co-taught "Software Entrepreneurship"

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