David Barker

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EXPERIENCE

Experience Columbus / Columbus Convention & Visitors Bureau DIRECTOR, PUBLIC AFFAIRS

2003 - Present

The director of public affairs will serve as an advocate for Experience Columbus to build and maintain positive relationships with elected officials, community leaders, customers, special interest groups and the community at large.

VICE PRESIDENT, ADMINISTRATION / FINANCE

1992-2003

Responsibilities include management of human resources, budget and finance, and office operations. Also active as liaison to city and state government agencies.

David Barker Gallery DIRECTOR

1989-1992

Responsible for all operations, management and artistic direction.
Recruited artists, interviewed and evaluated for possible gallery association. Visited and maintained contact with other galleries.
Cultivated relationships with potential business partners. Coordinated installations, consulted on care and maintenance of art objects. Served as curator for several exhibits and shows. Generated positive promotion of area galleries through media contacts.

Dollar Savings Bank/TransOhio Savings Bank SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT, Branch Administration and Physical Facilities

DIRECTOR OF CORPORATE RELATIONS

1983-1989

Responsible for selection and evaluation of senior branch management. Directed Human Resource functions including oversight of training programs, staffing and employee benefits. Implemented corporate relations and social responsibility policies and allocated charitable funds. Directed internal maintenance and building rehabilitation programs. Served as President of Family Financial Foundation, directing all revitalization projects of Columbus inner city areas, specifically Olde Town East.

Dollar Savings Bank VICE PRESIDENT, Public Affairs

1980-1983

Responsible for all public affairs activities of Dollar Savings and its affiliated companies. Duties included administration of all philanthropic activities. Liaison to the downtown business community which included Columbus Area Chamber of Commerce, the Columbus City Council and the Departments of Development for the City of Columbus and the State of Ohio.

Columbus Area Chamber of Commerce VICE PRESIDENT, Finance and Administration 1978-1980

Responsible for planning and budgeting all Chamber programs and activities.

Dollar Savings Bank

1964-1978

Held various positions including Savings and Loan Officer, Branch Manager and Credit Manager.

EDUCATION

The Ohio State University

1961

Bachelor of Science in Education

COMMUNITY AFFILIATIONS

CURRENT BOARD MEMBER

Ohio Arts Council Ohio State University Athletic Council Ohio State University Alumni Advisory Council Vehicle for Hire Board, City of Columbus

PAST BOARD MEMBER

Columbus Historic Resource Commission

Cultural Arts Center

Mid-Ohio Regional Planning Commission

Northwest Career Center

Ohio State University Alumni Advisory Council

Players Theater

Private Industry Council

WOSU Public Broadcasting

PAST COMMISSIONER

Columbus Civil Service Commission

PAST PRESIDENT

Big Brothers/Big Sisters Association of Franklin County Greater Columbus Arts Council Institute of Financial Education

PAST COMMITTEE MEMBER

Columbus City-Wide Development Corp.

Columbus Symphony Orchestra

Audience Diversification Task Force

Greater Columbus Arts Council

Public Art Committee

United Negro College Fund