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 The SMART Tire Company

 University of Southern California

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### Speak It Into Existence

Talk about your ideas and dreams in such a way that it inspires others to want them to...



### Go Deep and Discover

Starting a new business can be filled with the sharks of uncertainty, but you have to...



### Dare to be Different

Don't limit your can or cannot c

## Experience



### Co-Founder & CEO

The SMART Tire Company

Sep 2020 – Present · 9 mos  
Los Angeles, California, United States

Proprietary technologies for the electric mobility, aerospace, trucking and transportation industries, using advanced materials and innovative design. Private company in partnership with NASA.



TechCrunch - Startup founded by 'Survivor'...



### Consultant

Stanford Seed

2020 – Present · 1 yr  
Stanford, California, United States

Seed is a Stanford Graduate School of Business-led initiative that's working to end the cycle of global poverty. The Stanford Institute for Innovation in Developing Economies, partners and consults with entrepreneurs in emerging markets to build thriving enterprises that transform lives.

[...see more](#)



Perthes Kids Foundation



13 yrs 9 mos

**Founder & Chairman of the Board**

Mar 2015 – Present · 6 yrs 3 mos

Greater Los Angeles Area

Established the first national nonprofit health organization (501c3) to support children and families affected by Legg-Calvé-Perthes disease, a rare form of osteonecrosis (5 out of every 100,000 kids diagnosed) that makes it painful to walk, run, or even play, like most children.

[...see more](#)**Executive Director**

Jul 2013 – Present · 7 yrs 11 mos

Created Camp Perthes in 2013, a summer camp program for kids and volunteers diagnosed with Perthes disease, that has expanded internationally serving hundreds of families every year, around the globe, with locations/partners in the USA, Australia, UK, Spain, Italy, Colombia, Argentina, South Africa, India & Japan.

[Show 1 more role ▾](#)**University of Washington - Michael G. Foster School of Business**

1 yr

**Mentor, Master of Science in Entrepreneurship (Graduate Program)**

2020 – Present · 1 yr

Seattle, Washington, United States

**Judge, Buerk Center for Entrepreneurship, Dempsey Startup Competition**

2020 – Present · 1 yr

[Show 1 more role ▾](#)**California State Ambassador**

National Organization for Rare Disorders

2019 – Present · 2 yrs

Washington D.C. Metro Area

Official liaison between NORD and the state of California (state agencies, policy-makers and legislators), working towards improving the quality of life of patients and their families.

Responsible for leading and building a strong grassroots network of rare disease a ...see more

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Doctoral Candidate, USC Rossier School (Ed.D), Organizational Change and Leadership (deferred)

**Stanford University Graduate School of Business**

Executive Program for Nonprofit Leaders (EPNL), Entrepreneurship and Social Innovation

**Massachusetts Institute of Technology**

Executive Education, Sloan School of Management / Computer Science and Artificial Intelligence Lab, Artificial Intelligence and Implications for Business Strategy

[Show 2 more education ▾](#)**Licenses & certifications**

**Blockchain: Beyond the Basics**

LinkedIn

Issued Apr 2018 · No Expiration Date

**Global Strategy**

LinkedIn

Issued Sep 2017 · No Expiration Date

**Business and Impact Planning for Social Enterprises, edx**

Massachusetts Institute of Technology

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Rochester Institute of Technology

Aug 2019 – Aug 2020 • 1 yr 1 mo

Science and Technology

**Leadership Council Member**

National Small Business Association

2020 – Present • 1 yr

Economic Empowerment

**Scientific Advisory Board**

Rare Disease Ghana Initiative

2019 – Present • 2 yrs

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