# Kevin M. Wortley

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#### **CORE SKILLS**

- General Management
- Marketing/Communications
- Sales/Relationship Management
- Financial Management
- Bookkeeping/Basic Accounting
- Strategic Planning

#### **EDUCATION**

Texas A&M-Commerce, Commerce, TX

Admitted spring 2012; currently attending part-time Doctor of Education program – Supervision, Curriculum & Instruction - Higher Education (2012 – present)

Southern Methodist University, Dallas, TX

Master of Business Administration – Marketing Concentration (2002 – 2004)

Southern Methodist University, Dallas, TX

Master of Art in Arts Administration (2002 – 2004)

University of Missouri, Columbia, MO

Bachelor of Journalism in Advertising (1995 - 1999)

## ADJUNCT INSTRUCTOR EXPERIENCE

Texas A&M-Commerce, The Universities Center at Dallas  Adjunct Faculty, MGT 308 Entrepreneurial Strategy	Fall 2012
Texas A&M-Commerce, The Universities Center at Dallas <u>Adjunct Faculty, MKT 306 Marketing Management</u>	Spring 2012
Texas A&M-Commerce, The Universities Center at Dallas <u>Adjunct Faculty, MGT 305 Management &amp; Organizational Behavior</u>	Spring 2012
Texas A&M-Commerce, The Universities Center at Dallas <u>Adjunct Faculty, MGT 308 Entrepreneurial Strategy</u>	Fall 2011
Texas A&M-Commerce, The Universities Center at Dallas <u>Adjunct Faculty, MKT 306 Marketing Management</u>	Spring 2011
Texas A&M-Commerce, The Universities Center at Dallas  Adjunct Faculty, MGT 305 Management & Organizational Behavior	Spring 2011

Texas A&M-Commerce, The Universities Center at Dallas

Spring 2010

Adjunct Faculty, MGT 305 Management & Organizational Behavior

Texas A&M-Commerce, The Universities Center at Dallas Adjunct Faculty, MGT 308 Entrepreneurial Strategy

Fall 2009

#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Navis Pack & Ship - Dallas, TX; Houston, TX; Kansas City, KS; Fort Worth, TX

2005 - present

Owner/President/General Manager

- Own/manage four Navis Pack & Ship franchises (<u>www.GoNavis.com/tx1062</u>, <u>www.GoNavis.com/ks1052</u>, <u>www.GoNavis.com/tx1033</u>, and <u>www.GoNavis.com/tx1060</u>), each specializing in the nationwide delivery of difficult-to-ship items, including fine art, antiques, furniture, electronics, medical equipment, and other fragile, large, awkward, and high-value items
- Manage a team of 17 Navis employees, overseeing all business responsibilities, including hiring/firing, strategic planning, inside sales, outside sales, marketing/advertising, financials/bookkeeping, and warehouse operations
- Develop and maintain customer referral relationships with art galleries, interior designers, antique dealers, furniture companies, large auction houses, moving companies, estate planners, and other key referral sources
- Negotiate contractual rates and exclusive relationships with large, repeat customers, including such companies as Heritage Auction Galleries (<u>www.HA.com</u>), Dallas Contemporary Art Museum, King Ranch Saddle Shop, Weirs Furniture, Ashore Chandeliers, among others
- Analyze market prices and competitive information to set/adjust pricing margins
- Implement all marketing activities/expenditures, including sponsorships, pay-per-click internet advertising and organic search engine optimization, yellow pages and other print advertising, direct mail and e-mail campaigns, and other sales collateral pieces
- Attend networking events with organizations such as the Dallas and Kansas City
   Chamber of Commerce and the American Society of Interior Designers, among others

The Hockaday School, Dallas, TX

2004 - 2005

# Interim Manager, Publicity & Operations - Fine Arts Department

- Oversaw fine arts preparations for Hockaday's 10-year accreditation
- Managed day-to-day operations of the school's fine arts venues, including scheduling and event set-ups and break-downs
- Developed a structure for the redesign of the fine arts intranet website, and began development of the site
- Planned special events for the fine arts department, including district competitions and the annual trip to the ISAS arts festival

# **Development Associate/Grant Writer**

- Wrote and edited customized grant proposals
- Maintained database of proposal solicitations and submission deadlines
- Planned development events, board meetings, and other fundraising activities

Meadows Museum, Southern Methodist University

2002

#### **Volunteer Coordinator**

- Recruited, trained, scheduled and managed museum volunteers
- Managed gift shop and museum ticket sales office

Seabourn Cruise Line, Miami, FL

2000 - 2002

#### Assistant Cruise Director/Seabourn Herald Editor

- Scheduled, organized and hosted on board activities for guests, including a daily morning television show and evening live entertainment
- Edited and published the daily newsletter, the Seabourn Herald
- Hosted a daily invited dinner mixer for guests

SBC Communications (AT&T), Dallas, TX

1999 - 2000

# Manager, Proposal Development/Technical Writing

- Developed customized sales proposals and PowerPoint presentations for large customer sales opportunities
- Led team in technology and database development of customized sales "Proposal Wizards" (for use in small- to mid-sized sales opportunities)
- Created other sales collateral materials, including flyers, brochures, and sell sheets

KRLD News Radio 1080 - News Department, Dallas, TX

1994 - 1995

# **Tape Editor**

- Edited national news feeds into short "wraps" for on-air news updates
- Collected and scripted local financial and political news updates

#### **Internships**

- Richard Frankel Productions (Broadway Theatre Production Company, 2004)
- Dallas Theatre Center, Marketing Department (2003)
- Ackerman McQueen Advertising Agency (Dallas, TX, 1998)
- KOMU-TV Channel 8, News Department (Columbia, MO, 1995 1997)
- State Fair of Texas, Creative Arts Department (Dallas, TX 1993)

## Awards/Accomplishments

2011 - #1 Navis \* (President's Club; \*70 franchises ranked by annual gross revenue)

- 2011 Navis Franchisee of the Year Award (2012 IFA (International Franchise Association) Affairs Conference representative to Washington D.C. – September 2012)
- 2010 #4 Navis \* (President's Club)
- 2009 #3 Navis \* (President's Club)
- 2008 #6 Navis \*
- 2007 #4 Navis\* (President's Club)
- 2007 Navis Franchise of the Year Award

# Organizations/Leadership:

- Navis Franchise Advisory Council, elected representative (2006 present)
- Navis Technology Committee (2011 present)
- y@161 Board Member Dallas Contemporary Art Museum (2010 present)
- American Society of Interior Designers (2007 present)
- Guild Board Member, Dallas Summer Musicals (2005 2007)
- Board Member, Rotunda Theatre Series (2005 2006)

#### **REFERENCES**

Furnished upon request