

Aaron Pinto

Project Manager

Determined to improve global Environmental Conservation efforts by supporting the growth of ECO Non-Profits and Ecotourism for Growing Governments. Have successfully executed & delivered on \$35M+ in diverse infrastructure & asset management projects for private organizations & governmental ministries for 8+ years. Will now utilize all acquired knowledge & skills in service of international development organizations, with the mission of ensuring access to key resources for those most at risk.

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SELECTED WORK EXPERIENCE

Senior Project Manager

Ministry of Health - BC Clinical & Support Services Society

04/2016 - 08/2018

Vancouver, Canada

Achievements/Tasks

- Primary PM elected by C-level executives to manage audit & consolidation of \$21M+ capital & operating clinical & support assets from various Health Authorities to Ministry of Health
- Managed transition of assets through large funding procurement via development of numerous extensive business cases
- Managed transition via development & management of over 20 working groups across the province & management of all organisational leadership through transition
- Responsible for implementation of all technical scope of multi-year \$1.4M demolition & rebuild of full building site within the Children & Women's Hospital/Health Centres
- Sole PM for multi-year \$800K IT infrastructure renovation of Emergency, Pharmacy, Health Records & Patient Coding departments of Richmond Hospital, & formally elected to manage full technical build of new hospital tower
- Multi-year procurement, configuration, & implementation of \$280K in province-wide laboratory system infrastructure, key in enabling \$1B+ provincial Clinical Systems Transformations project
- Elected by executives to PM site development & consolidation of teams from BC Healthcare & BC Corrections ministries in high-profile creation of Mental Health & Substance Use Services group

Project Manager

Provincial Health Services Authority

09/2014 - 04/2016

Vancouver, Canada

Achievements/Tasks

- Selected directly to manage critical provincial technical response for Fentanyl overdose crisis, including implementation of province-wide analytics system for improved first-response activities
- Converted three key clinics into safe injection sites in highest risk districts to improve primary prevention activities during overdose crisis
- Led technical build & renovation of Addiction Services offices & Community Health clinics in various areas of BC to further improve prevention activities
- Managed software development, testing, QA, deployment, & remediation of Skype for Business on every Health Sector PC device across the province
- Sole IT PM for full multi-year build of net-new Child & Youth Mental Health clinical building site
- Appointed as sole auditor of all Provincial Health Services application-level assets - completed year-long task in three months & co-managed multi-year \$1.2M procurement & installation of data storage & network infrastructure to service said assets

SELECTED SKILLS

Communication

Conflict Resolution

Cultural Awareness

Digital Marketing

ECO Development

Ecotourism Strategies

Fund Allocation

Fundraising Growth

Government Process Optimization

Leadership

Management Consulting

Non-Profit Organization Strategic Growth

Scope, Schedule, Budget Management

Volunteer Recruitment

Web Development

EDUCATION

Master of Business Administration

Hult International Business School

09/2011 - 08/2012

Courses

- Global Top 100 rated American business school
- Managed project to establish WeightWatchers International within Shanghai, China market

Bachelor of Sciences - Biology & Earth and Ocean Sciences

University of British Columbia

09/2003 - 06/2007

Courses

- Global Top 100 rated university
- Engaged in national-sponsored program linking scientific outcomes with policy implementation

SELECTED HONOUR AWARDS

Academic Distinction (09/2011 - 08/2012)

Hult International Business School

Scholarship for Outstanding GMAT Scores (09/2011 - 08/2012)

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SELECTED NON-PROFIT EXPERIENCE

Humanitarian Aid Project Manager

Diverse Refugee & At-Risk Community Groups

08/2018 - Present

Various Locations

Achievements/Tasks

- Working within refugee camps/communities in both developing & developed nations, including Bangladesh, Thailand, Cambodia, etc.
- Interfacing with relevant governmental agencies, NGOs, & CBOs
- Engaging directly with various refugee communities & community leaders, including Rohingya, Syrian, & more in several host countries to assist & coordinate project & fundraising activities
- Supporting refugee leaders in developing sustainable community development solutions to create tangible long-term benefits for their communities & future generations
- Acting as intermediary between internationally-based donors/project sponsors & locally present champions/teams
- Integrating mindfully with at-risk host communities to help empower local leaders & improve acceptance of refugee groups

Board Member

Vancouver Fringe Festival Society

08/2016 - 01/2019

Vancouver, Canada

Non-Profit Organization with over 50K+ patrons, 15-year first ranked international arts festival in Vancouver, drawing talent from across the world

Achievements/Tasks

- Board Officer, primarily engaged in strategic decision making, recruitment of Executive positions, & general oversight
- Ensured ongoing accurate funding allocation, engaged in iterative detailed reviewing of financial statements, oversaw fundraising strategies, & personally managed key patron engagement
- Championed standardization of Board & Operational processes and ensured continued iterative progression towards fully automated patron engagement & volunteer management systems

SELECTED CERTIFICATES

Age, Gender, and Diversity - UNHCR (02/2019)

Applying Humanitarian Standards and Principles - Humanitarian Leadership Academy (02/2019)

Building a Better Response - Harvard University (02/2019)

Child Protection - UNICEF (02/2019)

Ensuring Programme Quality and Impact - Humanitarian Leadership Academy (02/2019)

How to be a Sphere Champion - Sphere (02/2019)

Minimizing Risks to Crisis-Affected People, Partners, and Stakeholders - Humanitarian Leadership Academy (02/2019)

Project Management - Professionals in Humanitarian Assistance and Protection (PHAP) (02/2019)

Sexual and Gender Based Violence - UNHCR (03/2019)

LANGUAGES

English



French



German



PERSONAL PROJECT

Improving Funding Access Between Donors & Eco Conservation Groups

Diverse Conservation Organizations

08/2018 - Present

Tasks/Achievements

- Engaging in-person with conservation leaders to detail scope, timelines, & physical resource cost requirements for prioritized projects
- Facilitating crowd-funding & donor networks, providing funding access to environmentalists

SELECTED ACHIEVEMENTS

Hosted & managed first Reggae & Heavy Metal concerts in Cambodian history

Established English education center for children from Vietnamese Hilltribe Villages

Private & Commercial Pilot Licenses

SELECTED COMPETENCY BADGES

Applying Humanitarian Standards and Principles [🔗](#)

Humanitarian Leadership Academy

Ensuring Programme Quality and Impact [🔗](#)

Humanitarian Leadership Academy

Listening and Creating Dialogue [🔗](#)

Humanitarian Leadership Academy

Managing Personal Safety and Security [🔗](#)

Humanitarian Leadership Academy

Minimising Risks to Crisis-Affected People, Partners and Stakeholders [🔗](#)

Humanitarian Leadership Academy

Understanding the Humanitarian Context [🔗](#)

Humanitarian Leadership Academy

Working Accountably [🔗](#)

Humanitarian Leadership Academy