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### ACHIEVEMENTS

- Catalyst behind the Utah Valley University initiative, which received unanimous votes in both the House and Senate and resulted in \$10 million in new funding and 122 new faculty and staff positions
- Improved student to advisor ratio from nearly 700 to 1 to approximately 400 to 1
- Increased instruction provided by salaried faculty by approximately 10%
- Instrumental in getting UVU's first master's degree approved (Education)
- Established a new mission for Utah Valley University
- Created the Center for Engaged Learning including Engaged Learning grants designed to provide faculty and students undergraduate research opportunities that impact the community
- Led the charge in securing \$46.75 million in state funding for the new 190,000 square foot UVU Library building, which is currently the "greenest" public building in the state
- Added 26 new baccalaureate degrees
- Added 129 new faculty positions
- Increased institutional budget 65.4%, from \$76.7 million in 2003 to \$126.9 million in 2008
- Established Planning, Budgeting, & Accountability (PBA) process which has received regional, national and international recognition by the Society of College and University Planning (SCUP)
- Established Honors and Presidential Leadership Programs, both of which have residential components
- Introduced UVSELF (Utah Valley Senior Executive Leadership Forum) and Summer University, an annual employee professional development conference
- Established the National Presidential Advisory Board, with local, national and international leaders
- Strengthened ties with the community through the establishment of the Community Relations Council
- Oversaw the University's NCAA Division I certification process and increased the athletics budget 500%, from just under \$1 million in '03 to over \$6 million in '08
- Rallied the campus on the Fulton Challenge, which resulted in over \$1 million in private contributions (2006)
- Oversaw the creation of the Woodbury School of Business (\$20 million gift), Noorda Regional Children's Theatre, Clyde Institute of Construction Management and the Institute of Professional Engagement

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- Oversaw the accreditation of the Woodbury School of Business (AACSB), School of Education (TEAC), and the School of Computing & Technology (ABET)
- Opened the Wasatch Campus in Heber City, Utah, and helped establish education and nursing program cohorts on that campus
- Put student retention initiative on the forefront by creating committees and positions dedicated to retention and helping secure a Title III grant focused on student success and retention
- Launched the institution's first student recruitment campaign
- Oversaw the creation of UVU One Stop, which caters to student needs in a one-stop shop environment
- Oversaw completion and naming of Brent Brown Ballpark
- Revamped the campus master plan and led several campus expansion initiatives, including the purchase of the Education Building, nearby orchards, and other properties on the perimeter of campus
- Developed strong ties with the local business community and served on the Provo-Orem Chamber of Commerce as president-elect during 2008
- Oversaw the completion of the UVU Capitol Reef field station, the only college or university field station in the nation located in a national park (2008)
- Overhauled the institution's policy management and approval process
- Supported the Biotechnology program partnership between UVU, SLCC and the Governor's Office of Economic Development
- Instrumental in the establishment of K-16 Alliance, including the Hispanic Educators of Tomorrow Initiative with Provo School District
- Helped establish the partnership between the Utah County Academy of Sciences (UCAS) and UVU
- Organized the Conclave on Global Ethics & Leadership
- Served on United Way of Utah County Board of Directors
- Was among Connect Magazine's "25 People Who Most Influenced Business in Utah" in 2007
- Named "CEO of the Year – Government" by Utah Business Magazine in 2008
- Supported ASUVU's initiative for free wireless Internet service campus-wide (2007)
- Oversaw the completion of UVU's Banner (ERP) database migration together with additional modules to enhance technology delivered services