

GARY SIMON

EXPERIENCE

October 2016-Present

ST. FRANCIS HEALTHCARE SYSTEM OF HAWAII

Director of Corporate Affairs and Advocacy

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January 2010-October 2016

ST. FRANCIS HOSPICE

A Program of St. Francis Community Health Services
Honolulu, Hawaii

Executive Director

Executive Director of a health care program which provides care, comfort, and support to the terminally ill and their loved ones in facing death with dignity and meaning via an interdisciplinary team approach aimed at minimizing physical, emotional, spiritual and psychosocial pain and suffering.

October 2013-November 2014

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March 2008- December 2010

ST. FRANCIS HEALTH SERVICES FOR SENIOR
CITIZENS

Program Director

Director of a program which provides personal bathing services to those frail and elderly who qualify under the Federal, State, and City criteria.

July 2004-January 2010

ST. FRANCIS HOSPICE

Administrative Director

March 2008-June 2009

ST. FRANCIS LIFELINE PROGRAM

Manager

Manager of a personal emergency response service for frail elderly and individuals with chronic medical conditions living at home.

July 1995-June 2004

ST. FRANCIS HOSPICE

Business Manager

1990-1995

ST. FRANCIS HOSPICE

Office Manager

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FOCUS TECHNOLOGIES, INC.
Washington, D. C.

Executive Assistant & Office Manager

Executive Assistant to the President of a new diagnostic and laboratory business being formed via strategic mergers and acquisitions.

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SIERRA LEONE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION/U. S.
PEACE CORPS
Tikonko, Sierra Leone, West Africa

Teacher of chemistry, mathematics, and physics at a rural village secondary school.

EDUCATION

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UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII, Honolulu, Hawaii, B. S., Chemistry

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AFFILIATIONS & COMMUNITY SERVICE

- Chair, Policy Advisory Board for Elder Affairs, Executive Office on Aging, State of Hawaii, July 2012 – June 2013, July 2017 – Present.
- First Vice Chair, Policy Advisory Board for Elder Affairs, Executive Office of Aging, State of Hawaii; July 2008-June 2009; July 2010 - June 2012.
- Member, Policy Advisory Board for Elder Affairs, Executive Office on Aging, State of Hawaii; July 2005 – June 2015; July 2016 – Present.
- Chair, Legislative Committee, Policy Advisory Board for Elder Affairs, Executive Office on Aging, State of Hawaii; June 2006 - July 2008, June 2009 - June 2012; July 2016 – June 2017.
- Chairman, Plans & Projects Committee, Policy Advisory Board for Elder Affairs, Executive Office on Aging, State of Hawaii; July 2008 - June 2009.
- Member, Legislative Committee, Policy Advisory Board for Elder Affairs, Executive Office on Aging, State of Hawaii; August 2005 - May 2006, August 2008 - May 2009, July 2012 – Present.
- Member, Rules and Bylaws Committee, Policy Advisory Board for Elder Affairs, Executive Office on Aging, State of Hawaii; July 2008 - June 2009, July 2010 – July 2014.
- Member, Recognition and Awards Committee, Policy Advisory Board for Elder Affairs, October 2015 – Present.
- Member, Executive Committee, Policy Advisory Board for Elder Affairs, Executive Office on Aging, State of Hawaii; July 2008 - June 2009, July 2012 – June 2013, July 2017 – Present.
- Member, Plans & Projects Committee, Policy Advisory Board for Elder Affairs, Executive Office on Aging, State of Hawaii; July 2012 - June 2013.
- Member, Alzheimer's Disease and Related Dementias State Plan Collaborative; November 2015 – Present.
- Member, Hawaii Catholic Conference, January 2015 – Present.
- President, Board of Directors, Hawaii Family Caregiver Coalition, July 2014 – Present.

- Treasurer, Hawaii Family Caregiver Coalition, August 2013 – Present.
- Member, Board of Directors, Hawaii Family Caregiver Coalition, June 2013 – Present.
- Member, Statewide Task Force on Alzheimer's Disease and Related Dementias, October 2011 – December 2013.
- Treasurer, Kokua Mau, January 2011 – December 2013.
- Member, Board of Directors, Kokua Mau, January 2010 – December 2017.
- Member, Hospice Committee, Kokua Mau, January 2010 – December 2017.
- Member, Hawaii's Partnership for Appropriate and Compassionate Care; February 2005 - April 2008; October 2013 – Present.
- Member, Troop Committee, Punahou School Troop 1, Aloha Council, Boy Scouts of America, November 2008 – Present.
- Representative for St. Francis Hospice to the Hawaiian Islands Hospice Organization; 2004 – 2007.
- Assistant Coach, Manoa Giants, Mustang Division, Manoa Youth Baseball League, Honolulu, Hawaii; 2005.
- Assistant Coach, Manoa Red Sox, Pinto Division, Manoa Youth Baseball League, Honolulu, Hawaii; 2005.

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AWARDS

- 2016 Certificate of Recognition for [REDACTED] Years of Service, St. Francis Healthcare System of Hawaii.
- 2015 Shining Light Award, presented annually and jointly by the Hawaii Alliance of Retired Americans and Kokua Council to the individual who has contributed to advancing issues in the Legislature and the community of senior advocates in the legislative process.
- 2011 Certificate of Recognition for [REDACTED] Years of Service, St. Francis Healthcare System of Hawaii.
- 2005 Certificate of Recognition for [REDACTED] Years of Service, St. Francis Healthcare System of Hawaii.
- 2001 Mother Marianne Award Recipient, St. Francis Healthcare System of Hawaii.
- 1998 Achievement Award Recipient, St. Francis Healthcare System of Hawaii.

PUBLICATION

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