



Professional Strengths

- Possess strong leadership abilities and aptitude
- Ability to work efficiently and independently with minimal supervision
- Skilled in learning and retaining knowledge and has the ability to convey knowledge to others
- Excellent interpersonal skills
- Excellent communication skills
- Excellent training skills

Employment History

Organization: **Olivia Nagashima LMT DBA Ko'olau Massage**

Duration: November 1996 till present

Designation: Owner/Principal/Sponsoring Therapist

- Principal therapist providing leadership and guidance to apprentices/students and licensed massage therapists working in a professional office
- Proficient in the use of specialized modalities to provide an effective and therapeutic massage session for the clients
- Responsible for marketing and training of newly licensed massage therapists in a clinical setting
- Highly self-motivated and accepts challenges with enthusiasm
- Plans and implements effective and efficient protocols positively for apprentices & colleagues
- Communicates with Primary Care Physicians on clients' treatment protocols
- Sponsor and co-ordinate community health events to promote well-being through massage
- Prepare/provide massage therapy and treatment plan as required by insurance companies

Organization: **Hawaii Healing Arts College, Kailua**

Duration: 2007-Present

Designation: Adjunct Instructor, Part-time

- Create class content and curriculum for advanced and specialized classes as required: Reflexology, Business Foundations & Compliance, Hydrotherapy, Spa Applications and Case Studies to apply knowledge into profession as LMT
- Create lesson plans for subjects to teach
- Promote enthusiasm for learning in a classroom setting
- Provide instruction and guidance for step by step learning and proficiency
- Promote interaction and feedback for personal development

Organization: **Remington College-Honolulu Campus**

Duration: August 1, 2013-May 10, 2019

Designation: Department Chair-Massage Therapy Program

Manage/train staff of instructors for Massage Therapy Diploma Program. Plan and project program classes, logistical planning for use of laboratory and classrooms for scheduled classes; manage/control inventory and overhead costs for program. Train and motivate instructors and students to achieve positive results. Plan/train students in clinic business setting, lectures on preparation of licensing exams for state and national certifications. Facilitate start up for graduates to enter into profession including Facilitate licensure and job placement.

Organization: **Remington College-Honolulu Campus**

Duration: November 11, 2012-August 2013

Designation: Massage Clinic Coordinator/Instructor

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Supervise/train and manage student staff in a working/learning clinic to provide outstanding customer service. Assist students in review for licensing exam.

- Supervise/train and manage student staff in administration tasks in an efficient manner
- Administer quizzes and exams to test student's knowledge
- Assist and guide students to prepare for state and national licensing exams
- Plan and implement required tasks for massage clinic student staff

Organization: Hawaii State Board of Massage Therapy
Duration: August 2008-Present
Designation: Chairperson (August 2018-Present, October 2013-August 2016), Board Member (August 2008-October 2013), (July 2018-June 2022)

Volunteer member/Chairperson of Governor appointed board to review laws and regulations and ensure consistency in adherence to the laws of practice in the state of Hawaii.

Organization: DFS Galleria (formerly Duty Free Shoppers)
Duration: Dec 1979-Oct 1995
Designation: Sales Manager/Department Sales Manager/Senior Assistant Buyer
Responsible for monthly purchase of specialized inventory and tracking of sales of merchandise in a multi-billion-dollar retail business. Projected sales and inventory levels of imported high end leather goods to maximize sales volume on a monthly basis. Responsibility included product knowledge and customer service training of two supervisors and 60 sales staff on a monthly basis. Worked with US Customs/BATF/Fish & Wildlife officials to ensure proper documentation for import and consumption are in compliance. As a senior assistant buyer, responsibilities included ensuring proper stock levels for best seller items, promoting slow seller items and ensure purchase orders are placed accordingly for the required lead times from international vendors using a multi-million-dollar budget.

Organization: Realty 808 Inc.
Duration: 2004-2014
Designation: Realtor-Associate & Property Manager
Market & promote services as a licensed real estate professional in purchase and sales of real estate in Hawaii. Prepare and style home for open house presentation to the public. Accompany clients to home viewing/visits for the purpose of home purchases. Prepare sales/purchase contract for escrow company. As a property manager, responded to tenants' requests and ensured properties were in well maintained condition.

Organization: Century 21/Realty
Duration: 1979-1996
Designation: Realtor-Associate
Market & promote services as a licensed real estate professional in purchase and sales of real estate in Hawaii. Prepare and style home for open house presentation to the public. Accompany clients to home viewing/visits for the purpose of home purchases. Prepare sales/purchase contract for escrow company.

Education

Bachelor of Science-Organizational Management, Remington College
Associate of Science-Accounting, Kapiolani Community College
Vitousek School of Real Estate, 1979/2005
Graston Technique Specialist, 2018
American Massage Institute of Massage Therapy, Diploma, 1995
Certified Kinesio Tape Practitioner (CKTP), 2004
Certified Pediatric Massage Therapist (CPMT), Little Kidz Foundation, 2012
Certified Infant Massage Teacher (CIMT), Little Kidz Foundation, 2012
Certified Reflexologist, 2015
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Training

Structural Integration, 1999
St. John's Neuromuscular Therapy-Paul St. John/Health Quest Seminars, 2000-2004
Cranio-sacral Therapy-John Upledger, Upledger Institute, 2001
British Sports Massage Therapy-Stuart Taws & Billy Weaver, 2001, 2003
Lymphatic Drainage-Bruno Chikly, Upledger Institute, 2000
Facelift Massage-Belavi Institute, 2000
Orthopedic Massage-James Waslaski, 2006-2007
Nuad Thai Massage-Phuket, Thailand, 2008
Tuina & Glass cupping-Haikou, China, 2008
Kinesio Taping-Honolulu, 2004, 2009
Neuromuscular Therapy-Judith DeLany, 2010
Massage In Schools Programme-MISA, Mia Elmsater, 2010
Infant & Pediatric Massage Therapy-Tina Allen, 2012
Reflexology-Heather Han, April 2013, June-July 2013, June-July 2015, Certified July 2015

Volunteer

Council Member-Hope Chapel Koolau, December 2020-Present
Visual Department Coordinator-Hope Chapel Ko'olau, 2014-Present
House of Delegate Operations Committee, AMTA-2015-Present
House of Delegate Member, AMTA-2008-9, 2012-Present
Chairperson/Board Member, Hawaii State Massage Board, August 2008-August 10, 2016, July 2018-Present
President-American Massage Therapy Association-Hawaii Chapter, 2006-2008, 2015-Present
Vice President-American Massage Therapy Association-Hawaii Chapter, 2003-2006, 3/2013-3/2014
Education Chair-American Massage Therapy Association-Hawaii Chapter, 2003-2011, 3/2013 till present
Massage Therapy Services, Volunteer-Honolulu Marathon, 1996 till present
Council Member-Hope Chapel Olomana, 2010 till January 2014
Council Treasurer/Director-Hope Chapel Olomana, January 2013-January 2014

Computer Skills

PC and Macintosh Operating Systems, Microsoft Office (Word, Power Point, Excel), Keynote, Pages, Internet, 10-key proficiency

Personal references available upon request