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EXPERIENCE

MANAGING DIRECTOR

2001-present

George and Co., Worcester, MA

George and Co. (**www.georgeandco.com**) is one of the oldest and most respected business brokerage and appraisal firms in New England. Beyond brokerage, George and Co. is a board certified intermediary and appraiser capable of serving all aspects of the business acquisition or divestiture area. We value businesses, market them and develop financing packages to complete the transactions.

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER/DIRECTOR

1990 - 1998

InterNational Risk Management, Inc. (IRM), Boston, MA

Co-founded IRM in 1985 and served as Director/Investor until 1990—became CEO in 1995 to manage transition from consulting company to consolidator of firms providing full range of risk management services to middle market commercial clients. Orchestrated 7 acquisitions totaling over \$80 million of premium revenue.

EXECUTIVE VP/TREASURER/DIRECTOR

1972 - 1990

Nichols & Stone Co., Gardner, MA

PARTNER (Concurrent with Nichols and Stone)

1977 - 1985

TR Industries, Gardner, MA

VICE PRESIDENT

1969 - 1972

Financial Research, Inc., Belmont, MA

PRODUCT SALES MANAGER

1965 - 1967

MA-Com, Inc., Burlington, MA

EDUCATION

Harvard Business School, MBA Bowdoin College, BA (cum laude in Physics)