Synopsis of Resume of:
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KEY EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

2025-2029	5th DISTRICT REPRESENTATIVE Revolving Loan Fund Board of Directors; San Joaquin County
2016-2026	CHAIRMAN; DIRECTOR OF AMERICAN AND EUROPEAN ECONOMIC AREAS American Economic Think Tank; International
2025-2026	TASK GROUP MEMBER UN Conference on Trade and Development Task Group on the Core Indicators
2026-2026	COLLEGE FED CHALLENGE ADVISOR US Federal Reserve - San Francisco (At-large West)
2025-2026	MENTOR Run For Something | Arena
2024-2026	UNITED NATIONS PERSONNEL UNV- Africa Youth for Peace and Development UNV- The Global Centre for Risk and Innovation UNV- UNDESA USA UNV- MienTrung Industry & Trade College

KEY EDUCATION

Graduate:	California State University; Stanislaus Degree: Master's of Business Administration [Specialization: Finance] Program: Executive Master's of Business Administration
Undergrad:	California State University; Stanislaus Campus Degree: Bachelor's of Science Program: Agriculture [Specialization: Agricultural Business & Economics]

KEY PERSONAL SKILLS

Exec. Core:	Leading Change; Creativity and Innovation, External Awareness, Flexibility, Vision Leading People; Conflict Management, Leveraging Diversity, Developing Others Results Driven; Accountability, Decisiveness, Problem Solving, Technical Credibility Business Acumen; Financial Management, Human Capital Management, Technology Building Coalitions; Partnering, Political Savvy, Influencing/Negotiating
Certificates:	84 Certificates Received from UN body organizations; all available at request.
Affiliations:	WHO Health Financing Technical Network, UNEP CYMG, MGCY, PCCB, UN 2.0
Languages:	Spanish (UN Level I), ISL (UN Level I), English (UN Level IV), Mandarin (UN Level I)

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AMPLIFIED RESUME DARREN KRONE

FULL PROFESSIONAL HISTORY

2025-2029

5TH DISTRICT REPRESENTATIVE

Appointed to the position for a four year term on March 11th 2025. Appointment lasts from January the 1st 2025 until January 1st 2029.

Results:

- Served as 5th Supervisorial District Representative to the Revolving Loan Fund
- As required under Resolution R-17-160 completed Public Board Development training and Government Leadership Training
- Directed the comprehensive evaluation of loan recommendations submitted by staff, offering strategic counsel and insights to the San Joaquin County Board of Supervisors regarding their approval. This process encompassed the meticulous assessment of interest rates, the identification of appropriate collateral to safeguard the County's fiscal interests, and the assurance of adherence to the San Joaquin County Revolving Loan Fund Administrative Plan.
- Served an estimated population of 779,000 constituents and total of 23348 business of which generated over $40 Billion GDP.
- Individual direct loans averaged between $150,000 and $250,000, with organizational loans averaging around $1,000,000.
- Managed average of 30 accounts on a month per month basis across various programs under board supervision
- Responsibilities expanded beyond board voting duties into relationship management with various municipal economic departments and boards, and business associations.
- Position required fulfillment of annual 700 filing, strict adherence to conflict of interest

2016 - 2026

CHAIRMAN; DIRECTOR OF AMERICAN AND EUROPEAN ECONOMIC AREAS

The American Economic Think Tank is in all essence an informal special vehicle formed for the purpose of UN participation. Boards are formed of stakeholders, academia, and government when required for meeting, project, or partnership undertaken, with most falling only under leadership.

Key Achievements:

- Leadership in Research and Advocacy: Spearheaded a think tank focused on both theoretical and practical applications for NGOs and governmental entities across emerging and developed economies. Engaged with domestic stakeholders and elected officials to advocate for the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) for 2030, and economic policy reform across various subsets, other interdisciplinary topics included.
- UN Engagement: Successfully registered with the UN Department of Economics and Social Affairs Society, CSO GDC. Accepted member to the UN Innovation Hub and the UN Migration Hub, membership in various working groups, and acted as key expert, applied and invited, across various high-level meetings, various publications.

Overall Core Competencies

- Strategic Vision & Organizational Leadership
- Multilateral Negotiation & Policy Development
- Research Design & Thought Leadership
- Stakeholder Engagement & Partnership Building
- Program Design, Monitoring & Evaluation

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[2025] [CHAIRMAN; American Economic Think Tank]
Accepted as procurer to 29 UN agencies; approved for contract amounts up to 150000
Participated as expert with development recommendations for UN Global Digital Compact
Endorsed UN Global Digital Compact
Granted Membership within UN Innovation Network across all membership groups
Accepted as partner to UN SDG 2030 Decade of Change
Accepted as signatory to UN Global Digital Compact
Invited to Global Digital Compact Town-hall

- Served as key-expert in AI development, ethics, and design concepts, speaking on key areas of focus for international attention.

Endorsed UN Global Compact
Accepted member in UN Innovation Hub
Accepted member in UN Migration Hub
[2016-2024]
Throughout period, mostly engaged in UN through various small projects, initiatives, and mostly focused on UN training and certification program development and feedback; mostly done on individual basis.

2025-2026
E-COMMERCE TASK GROUP MEMBER
Objective:
The Task Group on Updating Core Indicators (TGCI) was established in response to the need for updated core indicators related to ICT use by businesses and the ICT sector, reflecting current digital economy developments. The primary goal is to propose a revised set of core indicators for endorsement at the Seventh session of the UNCTAD Working Group on Measuring E-commerce and the Digital Economy (WG-ECDE) in December 2026.
Key Responsibilities:

- Review Existing Indicators: Evaluate the current 14 core indicators, including those related to ICT use by businesses and the ICT sector, for relevance, definitions, classifications, and methodologies.
- Identify New Indicators: Propose new indicators that address emerging policy considerations and digital economy trends, such as e-commerce and digital services.
- Adjust Methodologies: Update response categories and survey-based methodologies to ensure they align with current data collection practices and international standards.
- Collaboration: Work closely with the Partnership on Measuring ICT for Development (PMID) and other UNCTAD working groups, including TG-eCOM, to maintain consistency and relevance.

Impact:

- Enhance the international comparability of ICT data by updating core indicators to reflect digitalization trends.
- Support monitoring progress towards the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development through relevant metrics.
- Facilitated policy development by providing updated data collection frameworks and methodologies.

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2026
FED CHALLENGE ADVISOR
School registration identification number: 34258937
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Email of the primary contact: Info@DarrenKrone.com
Federal Reserve region: 12 - San Francisco (At-large West)
[Currently still in-process; cannot provide further information until after results and submission]

2024-2026
MENTOR
Provided direct one-on-one mentoring for fellow mentors, as well as mentees currently interested in political office, actively seeking political office, those involved in professional politics, as well as those currently in office.

Worked with over forty campaigns across various levels of office, including down ballot candidates in local elections, county, state, and national elections. Provided key insights in subjects such as campaign management, field organizing, digital strategy, communications and messaging, financing and fundraising, policy and research, data and analytics, and as well volunteer recruitment and management.

Maintained working relationship with mentees as well as other mentors within both Run for Something and Arena's programs; later promoted to Mentor Lead within Run For Something, as well as Finance Career Coach with Arena reflecting skills built, and dedication to working relationship with mentees.

2026
UN PERSONNEL; UNV
Conduct Mentorship in Research & Project Implementation
VISION: To achieve a peaceful, integrated, and developed Africa where every young person, regardless of their socio-economic background, has the opportunity to thrive and contribute meaningfully to society.
GOALS:

1. To provide education, training, and advance employment opportunities that empower youth, particularly the marginalized and disadvantaged.
2. To promote peace and social cohesion by engaging young people in activities that foster understanding, tolerance, and unity.
3. To facilitate sustainable agricultural practices and environmental initiatives that contribute to the overall well-being of communities.
4. To strengthen the capacity of youth to advocate for their rights and actively participate in community development.

Each group was provided with a list of grant calls, which the mentees will go through with their mentor. These grant calls usually range between USD 100,000 to USD 1,000,000.

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[2026] [UN PERSONNEL; UNV]

Each team which successfully submited a given grant proposal will work as a team during its implementation phase as well.

1. Mentorship & Guidance: Provide structured mentorship to five mentees, guiding them through the research process and project implementation.
2. Grant Application Support: Assist mentees in identifying relevant research grants, understanding application requirements, and preparing competitive grant proposals.
3. Proposal Review: Review and provide constructive feedback on mentees' research proposals before submission.
4. Skill Development: Support mentees in improving their research methodology, data analysis, and academic writing skills.
5. Recommendation Letters: Offer recommendation letters to deserving mentees for research grants, scholarships, or professional opportunities, where applicable.
6. Regular Check-ins: Conduct periodic virtual meetings, provide feedback, and monitor the progress of each mentee.
7. Networking & Opportunities: Connect mentees to relevant research networks, funding sources, and academic opportunities.

2025

UN PERSONNEL; UNV

Ai for Climate Action – Development & ML Engineering Support

The Global Centre for Risk and Innovation (GCRI) [CANDADA]

- Darren@Teams.TheRisk.Global

Documentation, Integration & Deployment

Deliverable: Complete documentation and deployment protocols for models, data processes, and risk frameworks

Responsibilities:

Document all stages of data processing, model development, and validation, ensuring transparent and reproducible workflows.

Develop comprehensive deployment workflows that integrate models within GCRI's systems, focusing on seamless data and model interoperability.

Support the integration of AI/ML outputs into decision-support tools and early warning platforms, coordinating with team members for smooth operationalization.

Maintain communication channels and provide progress updates to synchronize all roles for timely project delivery.

Frequency: Continuous documentation updates, with consolidated monthly integration and deployment reports.

Technical and Data Requirements:

Climate and weather data (historical and real-time) from trusted sources like remote sensing and meteorological databases.

Environmental and economic datasets to assess resource vulnerabilities and economic impacts.

Stakeholder-specific data to map exposure and sensitivity for targeted resilience planning.

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[2025] [UN PERSONNEL; UNV]

The initiative will produce decision-ready insights for climate risk mitigation, adaptation financing, and long-term sustainability by fulfilling these data and modelling requirements.

Stakeholder Impact & Vulnerability Insights

Deliverables: Metrics and insights focused on stakeholder vulnerabilities and exposure across hazard layers

Responsibilities:

Develop and integrate stakeholder-specific metrics to identify and quantify vulnerabilities for populations, infrastructure, and resources within the Nexus Ecosystem.
Analyze risk model outputs to assess stakeholder exposure to multi-hazard scenarios.
Create and validate insights reports highlighting critical vulnerabilities and supporting targeted resilience measures.
Ensure feature extraction and parameter settings are aligned with sector-specific needs, such as water, food, energy, and health.
Frequency: Bi-weekly insights reports, with updates on stakeholder metrics and vulnerability analysis.

2024
UN PERSONNEL; UNV
Quantitative Data Analysis for VNR Reports [UNDESA USA]
As one of the critical follow-up and review mechanisms for the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, the Voluntary National Review (VNR) prepared by Member States and presented at the UN High-Level Political Forum on Sustainable Development (HLPF), provides an opportunity for countries to share their experiences, successes, challenges, and lessons learned in implementing the SDGs. To ensure a meaningful assessment of progress on the SDGs, reliable data and statistics are a crucial foundation for evidence-based VNRs. Over the years, countries have made significant strides in enhancing their monitoring frameworks for the SDGs, leading to improved inclusion of data and progress assessments in VNRs.
Data elements reviewed:

1. Data availability: refers to the provision of the proportion of global or national SDG indicators with available data.
2. Statistical Annex: refers to the documentation of SDG data. Table with the indicators, sources, data, years, baseline, etc. Can also include the progress chart/progress symbols, etc., or could be a link to a stat annex online.
3. Data portal: refers to an open data source through which national SDG data are disseminated; link to an online or existing national SDG data portal or platform.
4. Progress chart/review: refers to the visualization of trend analysis on the SDG progress; a review of progress (chart, table, graphic, etc.), often includes a traffic light or other symbology to denote progress, stagnation, reversal, etc. Can be any level- Goal, target, indicator, etc. Bonus points if they link to their methodology. List of official SDG indicators with data utilized.

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2024
UN PERSONNEL; UNV
Online Teaching for the Global Citizenship Course [MienTrung Industry & Trade College]
Mission: To provide learners and social communities the training and high-quality research services meeting social demand.
Overall objectives and activities:

1. To train human resources with associate level and other lower levels in fields of science and technology (Geology, Geodesy, Chemical Engineering, Information Technology, Electrical Engineering, Electronic Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, Economics, Environmental Engineering, Refrigeration and Air Conditioning, Mechanical Engineering, Welding, Metal Cutting, Automobile, Environmental Engineering, Biological Engineering); Economics
2. To develop curriculum, syllabus, teaching, and learning plans for the disciplines that the school is allowed to train according to the framework program set by the government.
3. To build, train, and foster lecturers according to the standards prescribed by the government.
4. To organize the research and development of specialized science and technology; to combine training with scientific research and production labor.

2024-2026
EXTERNAL EXPERT; UNFCCC

- Email: Darren.Krone@ext.unfccc.net
- Serve as key expert across various high-level meetings, support various cross sectional meetings, working groups, and projects where relevant.
- Special invitee to COP 30 & 31, as well as associated side-meetings.
  [May request further details of project involvements at above e-mail]

2024 - 2025
ELECTIONS OFFICER
Executed responsibilities as an Elections Officer for elections from 2024 through 2026, demonstrating strong leadership and organizational skills. Attended comprehensive in-person and online training sessions to ensure compliance with electoral regulations and best practices.

- Provided expert guidance to over 140 members of the public on all facets of the voting process, including new registration, voter data verification, ADA compliance, and voting form corrections, enhancing voter experience and accessibility.
- Addressed inquiries regarding the election process, election integrity, and compliance with state and federal voting security standards, fostering public trust and transparency in the electoral system.
- Volunteered as a security liaison during the final transport of ballots to a secure facility, implementing risk management strategies to prevent security breaches and ensure the integrity of the election process.
- Collaborated with a diverse team of election officials to streamline operations and improve voter engagement, demonstrating a commitment to excellence in public service and community involvement.
- Leveraged strong communication and problem-solving skills to effectively resolve issues and enhance the overall efficiency of the electoral process.

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CERTIFICATES RECEIVED

WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION
-Operational Planning -Communication Essentials for Member States
-Infection Prevention and Control -Competency Based Learning -Field Data Collection
-Healthy and Safe Telework -CBDE Awareness, Preparedness, Recognition
-Simulation Exercise Management -Management and Facilitation of an After Action Review

UNITED NATIONS OFFICE OF DRUGS AND CRIME
-Financial Disruption -Cash and Money Laundering -Cash Detection
-Charcoal Forensic Science -Mental Health Considerations -Trade Based Money Laundering
-Classification of Crime for Statistical Purposes -Anti-corruption -Whistle-blower protection
-Investigative Interviewing

INTERNATIONAL ATOMIC ENERGY AGENCY
-Communication -Radiation Detection Techniques -ICSANT
-Nuclear Analytical Techniques for Forensic Science
-Use and Maintained of Portable Spectrometer
-Accelerated Mass Spectrometry Radiocarbon Dating for Heritage and Forensic Science

UNITED NATIONS ENVIRONMENTAL LAW AND CONVENTIONS TRAINING
-Environment and Trade -Online Negotiation -International Treaty on Genetic Resources
-Environmental Impact Assessment -Global-Free Pollution
-Industrial Chemicals Database and Information Sharing -Convention on Migratory Species
-Convention on Cultural and Natural Heritage -Ozone Layer Protection
-Combating Desertification -International Environmental Law
-Gender and the Environment -Convention on Biological Diversity
-Climate Change International Legal Regime -Environmental Governance
-Trans-boundary Air Pollution -Convention on Trade of Endangered Species
-Regional Economic Organization Integration -International Plant Protection Conventions
-Effectiveness and Compliance of Multilateral Economic Agreements
-Basic Principles of Chairing

UNITED NATIONS ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COMMISSION
-Negotiation of Comprehensive Economic Agreements
-Business Process Analysis for Trade Facilitation

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
-FS USDA Information Security Awareness Training & Acknowledgment of Rules of Behavior

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PRESENTATIONS, WORKSHOPS & HIGH-LEVEL MEETINGS

Transforming Economies through Integrated National Financing Frameworks [2024]
CSU Stanislaus Graduate Poster [PRESENTER] [2025]
UN 9th Regional Symposium on Effective Governance and AI Transformation [2025]
UN War, Peace, and Neutrality Forum [2025]
UN Human Rights Council, Expert Mechanism on the Right to Development, 13th [2026]
UN ESOSOC Forum on Financing for Development Forum & Investment Fair [2026]
UN Climate Week 3; Yeosu, South Korea [2026]
UN International Day of Women in Industry High-Level Opening Session & GEM [2026]
UN Global Conference on AI, Security, and Ethics [2026]

PUBLICATIONS & PAPERS

Global Digital Compact [2024]
Global Youth Declaration [2025]
Children and Youth Major Working Group; Draft Rules of Procedures [2026]
First Cultural Global Stockade for Climate Action [2026]
Technologies Related To Climate Change and Their Impacts on Human Rights [2026]

GRANTS & FELLOWSHIPS

2020-2022: Stan AP Grants [Awarded]
2024-2025: State University Grant For Scholastic Achievement [Awarded]
2026: HSI Scholarship [Awarded]

EXHIBITION RECORD

2017: Expressions! (Group Art Exhibition)

HONORS & AWARDS

Top of Program: California State University; Stanislaus
Dean's List: California State University; Stanislaus
Letter of Recognition: Josh Harder 10th Congressional District

REFERENCES

Letters of recommendation available at request.
Professional references available at request.