

REGINALD VAN LEE, MBA, MS

SUMMARY

Mr. Van Lee is a retired Executive Vice President of the global management and technology consulting firm Booz Allen Hamilton where he recently ran the Commercial Solutions business. For 32 years he led engagements for Commercial, Government and Not-For Profit clients to drive growth and competitiveness in their markets. He co-authored the book "Megacommunities" - How Leaders of Government, Business and Non-Profits Can Tackle Today's Global Challenges Together."

Born in Houston, Texas, Mr. Van Lee attended Massachusetts Institute of Technology, where he received his Bachelors and Masters of Science degrees. After a brief stint working for Exxon, Reggie went back to school to complete his MBA from the Harvard Business School.

While working at Booz Allen, Reggie discovered a desire to find his journey to purpose and do everything he could to support the arts and other aspects of communities he loved and in which he believed. Among other awards recognizing his commitment to service, he received New York University's C. Walter Nichols Award for outstanding community service, the Abyssinian Development Corporation Renaissance Award for his long-time and faithful commitment to the Harlem community and the Percy E. Sutton Civic Leadership Award from the Apollo Theater Foundation.

Mr. Van Lee has co-authored a number of articles on the topic of strategy implementation. These articles have appeared in publications such as *The Journal of Business Strategy* and *Business Horizons*. He has appeared on ABC-TV's "World News This Morning" and CNBC, and co-led the Urban Enterprise Initiative with the William Jefferson Clinton Foundation, which focused on driving enhanced competitiveness of small businesses in Harlem. He is a founding member of the Clinton Global Initiative.

In 2008, Mr. Van Lee received the Black Engineer of the Year Award, and *Consulting* magazine named him as one of the top 25 consultants in the world; he was recognized as one of the 2009 Washington Minority Business Leaders by the *Washington Business Journal*.

Mr. Van Lee currently serves as Chairman of the board of the Washington Performing Arts and of the National CARES Mentoring Movement. He is a Trustee of the Studio Museum in Harlem and is a member of the Executive Leadership Council. He is Vice Chair of the board of The Washington Ballet and Chairman Emeritus of the Evidence Dance Company. He was appointed by President Obama to the Board of Trustees of the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts.

Former board roles include Chair of the Board of the Dance Theatre of Harlem, Treasurer of the MAC AIDS Fund board, Trustee of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Chair of the Advisory Board of the USC School of Business, Chair of the Corporate Advisory Board of the Thurgood Marshall Scholarship Fund, and Chair of the board of the NY International Ballet Competition. He was formerly appointed by President Obama to the President's Committee on the Arts and the Humanities.

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