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### Education

NC State University	1999	MS	Technology Management
NC State University	1984	MS	Economics
Cornell College	1975	BA	Education

### Relevant Academic and Professional Experience

2015-Present	Director, Collaborative for Technology Entrepreneurship and Commercialization
2010-Present	Chairman, Founding Board of Directors, Xanofi. Inc
2010-2015	Director, The Entrepreneurship Collaborative, Poole College of Management
2005-2006	Member, Founding Board of Directors, Humetrix, Inc.
2004-2005	Member, Founding Board of Directors, Array Express, Inc.
2002-2012	Founder, NC-TEC, Inc (non-profit commercialization support organization)
2002-2012	General Partner, NC Ventures I, LLC
2000-2010	Director, Technology Entrepreneurship and Commercialization Initiative, Poole College of Management

### Research Interests

Commercialization of high technology. The impact of experiential education in commercialization on the level of acceptable risk for the entrepreneur. The cultural requirements within an organization necessary to sustain entrepreneurship and intrapreneurism.

### Awards and Activities

2017	Primary Investigator: Farris Foundation – Development of New Jersey Core Innovation Hub grant
2011	NC State University Entrepreneur of the Year
2008	Co-PI: EU-US Atlantis Grant – Network for technology entrepreneurship educators (TECnet)
2007	Primary Investigator: Carolina Photonics Consortium Commercialization Grant
2001	Treasurer PDMA Association of the Carolinas
2000	Governor’s Vision 2030 Committee member
2000	Southern Growth Policy Board strategic planning committee

### Service and Professional Activity

Cofounder –TECnet an international network of technology entrepreneurship educators; Director, University of North Carolina General administration’s Accelerating Commercialization of Technology program; Lecturer, CED Fastrac Entrepreneurship course; Product Development Management Association; Association of University Technology Managers; Host for Center for Technology Commercialization – Austria; Host for Asian University of Science and Technology Business Program; Member, Governor’s Vision 2030 Committee; Member, Southern Growth Policy Board – Vision 2010

### Publications

Kingon, A.I., S. Markham, R. Thomas and R. Debo, “Teaching High-Tech Entrepreneurship: Does it Differ from Teaching Entrepreneurship ? (And Does it Matter ?),” *Proceedings of the ASEE National Conference*, June 2002.

Angus I. Kingon, Ted Baker, Roger Debo (2010), "Scientists behaving badly? Conflicts in multidisciplinary commercialization project teams," (*Advances in the Study of Entrepreneurship, Innovation & Economic Growth, Volume 21*), Emerald Group Publishing Limited, pp.59-86