Curriculum Vitae

Name

Denis Simon

Position title

Executive Vice Chancellor, Duke Kunshan University
Professor of China Business and Technology at the Fuqua School of
Business at Duke University



Education

UC Berkeley Ph.D. Political Science 1980

UC Berkeley M.A. Asian Studies/Development 1975

SUNY New Paltz B.A. Political Science 1974

Professional experience

Professional experien	ice -
2015 to Present	Executive Vice Chancellor, Duke Kunshan University; Professor of China Business and Technology Affairs, Fuqua School of Business, Duke University
2014-2015	Senior Adviser to President for China and International Affairs, Office of the President, Arizona State University
2012-2014	Vice-Provost for International Strategic Initiatives, Office of the Provost, Arizona State University
2010-2011	Vice-Provost for International Affairs, University of Oregon; also tenured Full Professor of International Studies; Board Member, Confucius Institute—University of Oregon
2010-Present	Adjunct Senior Research Scholar, Weatherhead East Asian Institute, Columbia University, New York
Fall 2009	Adjunct Professor, Weatherhead East Asian Institute and Department of Political Science, Columbia University, Graduate Course(s) on Contemporary China
2004-2008	Provost and Vice-President for Academic Affairs, Levin Graduate Institute of International Relations and Commerce
2006-2012	Visiting "Sea-Sky" (Hai Tian) Professor, School of Management, Dalian University of Technology, Dalian (China)
2006-Present	Visiting Professor, School of Business Administration, Dalian Maritime University, Dalian (China)
2006-Present	Senior Adviser on Internationalization, Office of the President, Nanjing University, Nanjing (China)
2002-2004	Dean, Lally School of Management and Technology, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute (RPI)
1998-2000	General Manager, Anderson Consulting China (Beijing)

Professional memberships & service

Senior Adviser – China technology and innovation issues, US Patent and Trademark Office, Washington, DC, 2011 to 2016

Member – Experts Committee, US-China Innovation Dialogue, Office of Science and Technology Policy, White House, 2009-2016

Member – Board of Directors, US-Israel Science and Technology Foundation, Washington, DC, July 2003 to 2016

Member – China Project Team, Council on Competitiveness, Washington, DC, August 2003 to 2008

Team Member – National Innovation Initiative, Council on Competitiveness, November 2002 to 2008

Team Member - Government-University-Industry Research Roundtable, National Academy of Sciences, October 2002 to Present

Member – Advisory Committee, US Science and Technology Cooperation with China, National Science Foundation, September 2002 to 2010

Commission, People's Republic of China, 1993-95

Coordinating Committee – Program on US-China Industrial Technology Cooperation, US Department of Commerce, 1999-2003

Coordinating Committee – Project on Innovation in China, National Science Foundation, January 1999 to Present

Steering Committee - Project on Service Industries in the PacRim, National Academy of Sciences, 1998

Consultant - United Nations Development Program & State Planning Consultant - Center for Transnational Corporations, UN, 1992-93

Member - US S&T Task Force, Pacific Economic Cooperation Committee, 1991-1995

Consultant - Joint Economic Committee, US Congress {China Affairs}, 1987-95

Consultant - United Nations Fund for Science and Technology for

Development, China-Italy Program on R&D Mgt, Trieste, 1984-87

Adviser Subcommittee on Trade with China, U.S. House of ¬ Representatives, 1984-88

Adviser China Technology Transfer Project, Office of Technology Assessment, US Congress, 1984-87

Lecturer/Course Development "The Role of S&T in International Affairs," Foreign Service Institute, Department of State, 1984-88

Consultant - National Academy of Sciences, Corporate Perspectives

on Technology Transfer, 1985-86

Consultant - World Bank, China's Electronics Industry, 1985

Research, scholarly & teaching interests

An expert on science and technology policy and innovation strategy, Denis has extensive private sector experience, having held China-based leadership roles at both Monitor Consulting Group and Andersen Consulting (now Accenture). He has written and lectured widely regarding innovation issues, high technology development, foreign investment and corporate strategy, and higher education in the Pacific-Rim and is frequently quoted in the Western and Asian business press regarding commercial and technology trends in China, Hong Kong and the Asia-Pacific region.