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## Objective:

❖ To manage and grow an educational consulting and tutoring company specializing in one-on-one, personal interaction in the home or other conducive environment. The initial focus will be on school and university admissions, academic study skills, test preparation and writing skills for American and international students. Eventually my goal is to build an interactive educational website available to the global student that integrates seminar capability (hopefully with audio/video conferencing in the future) with easy access to a wide range of educational resources.

## Work Experience:

- ❖ 1999- Formed 1on1 Educational Consulting & Tutoring
- ❖ 1997-1999 International Program Director, Kaplan Ed. Ctrs., Boston, MA.
- ❖ 1995-1997 Manager/ Teacher, Kaplan Ed. Ctrs., Boston, Cambridge & Newton.
- ❖ 1991-1995 Teacher, Kaplan Ed. Ctrs., Boston, MA.
- ❖ 1989-1991 Tour Guide/ Sales Representative, Historic Tours of America.  
Promoted, organized and led tours of Boston for French & Japanese as well as Americans.
- ❖ 1988-1989 Apprentice, Japanese Landscape Architect, Tokyo, Japan.  
Private tutor for English as a Second Language, Tokyo.

## Education/Experience:

- ❖ 2003-2009 Event Manager & BackBone Division Coordinator,  
[www.backbonedivision.com](http://www.backbonedivision.com)
- ❖ 1989-1990 Harvard Extension School, Cambridge, MA- classes in accounting, economics, use of personal computers for business.
- ❖ 1981-1988 Trained as ordained priest in Soto Zen Buddhist Monastery, Obama City, Japan.
- ❖ 1979-1981 Practiced and ordained as Zen Buddhist Priest in Santa Cruz, CA.
- ❖ 1977-1979 University of California, Santa Cruz, CA- BA in Biology, honors.
- ❖ 1974-1976 Dartmouth College, Hanover, NH.
- ❖ 1966-1972 Milton Academy, Milton MA. Graduated with honors. Awards in music and skiing.

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