

JAMES A. BARLOW

Qualifications Summary

Creative and strategic financial professional with over 40 years of experience working with private companies and nonprofit organizations of all sizes. Areas of expertise include banking, education, non-profit, sports and entertainment. Focuses on financial planning, timely reporting and budgeting to help organizations monitor long and short-term goals. Provides grounded and practical financial leadership, with demonstrated ability to streamline processes that allows organizations to reach their business goals.

Professional History

CFO Selections	Consultant	2022-Present
Slipstream Sports, LLC	Vice President Finance/Secretary	2010-2018
Denver Broncos Football Club	Vice President Finance	2003-2010
University of Colorado Foundation	SVP, CFO, Treasurer	1999-2002
Denver Museum of Natural History	CFO, Treasurer	1988-1999
Fortner, Bayens, Levkulich Colorado	Audit Manager	1981-1988

Accomplishments

- Developed the organization's first long-term strategic financial forecast and revamped the financial reporting and budgeting process allowing it to track progress towards its long-range goals.
- Provided responsive financial reporting to meet a variety of internal and external constituents and needs, including boards, senior leader and owners.
- Provided financial advice on various business opportunities, including real estate, currency and cash hedging activities.
- Renegotiated facility related financing with lenders, obtaining lender concessions and more favorable terms for organizations.
- Assisted the human resource department in instituting an employee review process and standardized employee policies.
- Developed and implemented an Information Technology five-year plan with IT department.
- Instituted comprehensive risk management strategies, to provide appropriate coverage and minimize risk and premiums.
- Directly responsible for all organizational tax, audit and regulatory issues.

Education / Licenses / Boards

- Bachelor of Science, Business Administration, University of Colorado, Boulder.
- Board Member, Arthritis Foundation Rocky Mountain Chapter
- Louisville Library Commission, Board Member
- Louisville Library Foundation, Board President
- University of Colorado Alumni Association, Board Member
- Citizens for Arts to Zoo, Treasurer