# **Nick Vasiljevic**

profnickv@gmail.com :: https://tw.linkedin.com/in/nickvasiljevic

## **Summary**

I am an Assistant Professor in International Business at the English Taught Program. I enjoy teaching and sharing my skills and experiences with my students. My personal moto is 'to enable others to succeed'.

I am deeply committed to preparing students for our rapidly evolving world.

## **Skills**

- International communication
- Brand management
- Design management
- Technology management
- Enterprise (SME) management
- Innovation management
- Crisis management
- Team management
- Team training
- Company (SMB) leadership
- Company growth
- STEAM
- Public speaking

## Other

- Gained professional work experiences on
  3 continents and in 6 countries.
- Worked with international startups and Fortune 500 companies.
- Collaborated and consulted C-Suite executives.
- 50+ public speeches on design, business, creativity, technology and more at conferences, international events, etc.
- Invited as judge to 30+ design competitions.
- 10+ years managing, reviving, branding kickstarting international companies.
- 20+ years in the technology field primarily in USA & Taiwan.

#### **Professional Experience**

Assistant Professor in International Business (ETP) – since 2018 Shih Chien University, Taipei, Taiwan

Adjunct Assistant Professor in the School of Design - 2017 to 2018 Shih Chien University, Taipei, Taiwan

Managing Director –2015 to 2016 Made Ltd., Taipei, Taiwan

General Manager –2014 to 2015 UXSwiss, Taipei, Taiwan

Managing Director –2007 to 2013 **Pilotfish,** Taipei, Taiwan

Analyst –2005 to 2007 ChannelAdvisor Corp., Morrisville, NC, USA

Field Application Engineer –2003 to 2005 HiTi Digital, Los Angeles Area, CA, USA

Analyst –2000 to 2003 Unisys Corp., Bismarck, ND, USA

Various Internships –1995 to 1997 Givaudan, Zurich Area, Switzerland

### Other Experience

**Board membership** – Founding board member of Invest Taiwan Amity Club (2012), Elected board member to the Chinese Industrial Design Association (CIDA) in 2013

**Consultant** – providing consulting services in various business and intercultural fields to international enterprises and institutions, for example to the Importers and Exporters Association of Taipei (IEAT) or the Industrial Technology Research Institute (ITRI)

#### **Education**

PgDip (MSc) in Computer Science, University of Kent, UK

#### **Accolades**

2024 Excellent Mentor Award, Shih Chien University

2023 Outstanding Teaching Award, Shih Chien University

2023 Excellent Mentor Award, Shih Chien University

2023 Reimagine Education Award, QS Quacquarelli Symonds

2021 Best Paper Award, IDSFC, NYUST

2011 Outstanding Entrepreneurial Manager of an SMB in Taiwan, by the Outstanding Enterprise Manager Association, ROC.

2007 – 2018 Managed teams that won many design accolades from iF, Reddot, IDEA, and others.