

2016 – Present

President, New York State Professional Firefighters Association (NYSPFFA)

- Responsible for all functions related to the 18,000-member state wide Association
- Serves as Field Service Representative of the 350,000 member International Association of Firefighters (since 2004)
- Chair of Albany County International Airport Authority Board
- Member of the NYS Comptroller's Advisory Board
- Develops and conducts annual NYSPFFA Labor Law Conference

2010 – 2016

Secretary Treasurer, New York State Professional Firefighters Association (NYSPFFA)

- Was responsible for NYSPFFA financial reporting and organizational governance.
- Created and oversaw multi-million dollar annual budget
- Coordinated annual labor relations program for NYSPFFA union representatives
- Served as Vice President (Charter Executive Board Member) of the Capital District Area Labor Federation 2001-2014

2004 - 2010

Executive Vice President, NYSPFFA

- Served as Chairman of the Health & Safety Committee
- Worked with coordinator to organize statewide health and safety seminars
- Assisted President in conducting meetings and conventions

1997 – 2010

President, Local 2007 Albany Firefighters Union

- Negotiated contracts with the City
- Helped secure and maintain staffing positions, health insurance and retirement benefits
- Created joint union/management committees for selecting updated, most efficient apparatus, equipment and gear
- Formed Albany Firefighters Widows and Children Fund
- Negotiated union's first employee assistance program
- Coordinated and served on fundraising committee for MDA and other charities
- Established Political Action Committee and fund

1990 – 2010

Firefighter/EMT, City of Albany

- American Heart Association Certified CPR Instructor
- Served in Albany's Arbor Hill Fire Station, one of the country's busiest

1985 – 1989

Firefighter, US Air Force

- Crash rescue, structural firefighting and protection of hi-tech, top secret military equipment
- Working knowledge of aircraft, flight line and air safety operations