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David joined SHRI in 1996 after more than 25 years of contribution in the manufacturing and services sectors where he held various senior positions. As Executive Director of SHRI, David has transformed the Institute into a regional name that the human capital industry referred to on people management and progression matters. David is a regular speaker voicing latest HR trends, challenges and practices spanning various industries in Singapore and the Asia Pacific region. Over the years, he has been invited by regional institutes, ministries and statutory boards, MNCs, small to large organizations and educational institutions for his strategic perspectives and operational insights on a wide spectrum of human capital issues.

David is instrumental in spearheading and crystallising human capital development and progression programmes at both national and industry levels. He works closely with human resource and human capital communities of consultants, service providers, practitioners, professional bodies, statutory boards and government ministries to spin off various initiatives and plans.

David was the former Secretary General and Treasurer of the World Federation of Personnel Management Associations (WFPMA) - an umbrella group that holds together human resource associations from regions across the world - for the term May 2006 to April 2008. His leadership role as the former Chair of the 11th World HR Congress & Business-Connect Exposition won him worldwide accolades for successful execution of the largest HR event in the Asia Pacific region. He led his team to achieve a record high attendance of 2,000 delegates, with foreign delegates hailing from 62 overseas countries. These numbers are the highest ever recorded in the history of WFPMA's World Congresses and in Singapore.

Presently, David is an editorial member of the journal, Research and Practice in Human Resource Management (RPHRM). The journal is an international peer refereed journal jointly published by SHRI and Curtin University of Technology to provide a specialised academic reference covering human resource management challenges in the Pacific Rim.

David is also the General Manager of SPEC which provides job and business opportunities to the professionals, managers and executives, David has evolved SPEC into a labour market intermediary that provides a number of assistance programmes for the PMETs including those who are in career transitions and fresh graduates.