# **Stewart Krentzman**

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## **Personal Objective: To Give Back**

## **EXPERIENCE**

Survival+ for Schools, Inc. Park Ridge, NJ Founder

A not-for-profit organization committed to saving lives in the face of school violence.

New Jersey Friends of Memorial Sloan Kettering New York November 2017 - Present Co-Founder

Entered into an agreement with Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center to personally fund this organization to raise money to be used exclusively for projects at their New Jersey outpatient facilities in Basking Ridge, Middletown, and Montvale to benefit the residents of New Jersey.

TheBBQCleaner, LLC, Hackensack, NJ President

A company offering home-based BBQ grill cleaning business opportunities. 284 locations established across the United States & Canada.

Stern School of Business New York University, New York, New York Adjunct Professor Adjunct Associate Professor Adjunct Assistant Professor Adjunct Instructor

Teach MBA candidates Marketing Planning and Strategy Courses in the Executive, Full-time time, and Part-time programs since 2014. Co-teach Social Media and Mobile Technology in the Executive MBA Program in New York and Washington, DC.

#### Oki Data Americas, Inc., Mt Laurel, NJ

\$400M+ imaging hardware and solutions manufacturer.

#### President and Chief Executive Officer

Full P&L responsibility for 1200 employee operations of North, Central, and South America. Responsibilities included sales, marketing, customer service, distribution, operations, engineering, accounting, purchasing, and human resources. Non-resident Board Member of Oki Data Corporation. Reported to CEO of Oki Data Corporation, Tokyo, Japan.

Transformed the company, reliant on its \$255M dot matrix printer and \$40M fax business, to a diversified, solution-based imaging company with over \$425M in revenue.

**Executive Vice President & Chief Operating Officer Senior Vice President-Sales and Marketing** 

## October 2004 – Present

February 1997-April 2010

April 2009 – Present

**October 2023 – Present** 

#### 2003 - 2010

2001-2003 2000-2001

### Senior Vice President-Marketing Vice President and General Manager-Inkjet Printers

June 1973-February 1997

Unilever USA, Inc., Englewood Cliffs, NJ

\$50B+ Worldwide consumer package goods manufacturer

Full P&L responsibilities for flagship brand Lipton Tea®, Wish-Bone Salad Dressing®, Sunkist® and licensed Fruit Snacks, Knox Gelatin® and Wyler's Drink Mixes®. Responsible for the development and execution of 3 Year Long Term Business Plan. Managed all marketing activities, including \$150M annual advertising, trade, and consumer promotion budgets. Responsible for new product development and introduction. Managed business forecasting cycles and manufacturing planning.

Successfully defended the \$600M Lipton Tea brand against Snapple® and Tetley® utilizing various flanking strategies. Re-established \$120M Wish-Bone Salad Dressing to the #2 market position. Responsible for packaging Knox Gelatin and Wyler's Drink Mix successful divestitures. Instrumental in creating the \$400M Children's Fruit Snack Category. Developed the regional and national sales launch strategy for Equal®.

٠	Director of Brand Management, Lipton Teas	1991-1997
٠	Director of Brand Management, Condiments and Snacks	1989-1991
٠	Director of Brand Management, Wyler's Drink Mixes	1987-1989
٠	Assoc. Director of Brand Management, Fruit Snacks	1986-1987
•	Director of Sales Administration	1983-1985
	Placed on loan to GD Searle to launch Equal, the sugar substitute	
٠	Various Marketing and Sales Executive positions	1973-1983

## **EDUCATION**

• New School for Social Research - Masters of Arts	1977
• Fairleigh Dickinson University - Bachelor of Arts	1973

## **OUTSIDE BOARDS**

٠	Board of Trustees- Fairleigh Dickinson University	2008-Present
	Member of the Executive Committee and the Finance and Audit Committee	
٠	Board of Directors-New Taste Dimensions Foods	1998-Present
•	Business-Higher Education Forum - Washington, DC	2009-2010
	An organization of Fortune 500 CEOs, prominent college and university presidents, and foundation leaders working to advance innovative solutions for our nation's educational challenges.	

## **RECOGNITION AWARDS**

- Top 100 Most Influential People in Technology 2009
- Maimonides Hospital Honoree of the Year for work in combating breast cancer 2010
- HBO / Octoberwomen Honoree of the Year for work in combating breast cancer 2008
- NJ State Legislature Commendation for work in raising money to combat breast cancer 2008
- 4 Unilever President's Marketing Awards for the launch of Equal, fruit snacks, and the defense of Lipton tea against Tetley Round teabags.