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A graduate of Stanford University and the University of Virginia School of Law, Bob played rugby with the Dallas Harlequins, a top division club team, for 13 years, during which the Harlequins made it to the national finals five times. In fact, Bob was the first DASA President to have previously been a DASA award winner, having been a member of the Dallas Harlequins when they won the national club championship in 1984 and were honored by DASA with the “Big D” award.

In addition to his service on the DASA board since 1999, Bob has been on the Board of Directors of USA Rugby since 1994, serving a term as Chairman and currently serving as Vice Chairman. He is also the President of the North America Caribbean Rugby Association. He served on the Board of Directors of the United States Olympic Committee from 2000 to 2004 and is currently a member of the USOC General Assembly.