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# Bangkok School of Management's **Doctorate Alumni**





# **DR. OLIVER MASSMANN**

Doctor of Philosophy in International Business Law

"I have had excellent experience with BSM. Dr. Krishnan was focusing on my requests and providing tailor made education and courses."





Dr. Oliver Massmann is the General
Director of Duane Morris Vietnam LLC.
and has more than 20 years of
experience working as a commercial
lawyer in Vietnam and 5 years in
Myanmar. He has been awarded
"Leading Lawyer" in Mergers and
Acquisitions in Vietnam by LEGAL 500
for the last four years in a row.

Dr. Massmann is Board Member of German Business Association (GBA), Adjunct Professor at the Foreign Trade University of Vietnam and the only foreign lawyer as Member to the Supervisory Board of PetroVietnam Insurance Corporation, Vietnam's largest industrial insurer.

Dr. Massmann received his Law,
Financial Accounting and Financial
Auditor degrees. He has further
continued his studies with European
Global School - Paris, pursuing his
degree in Doctor of Philosophy in
International Business Law.











### DR. SYED MUHAMMAD FARRUKH AKHTAR

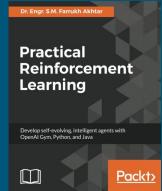
**Doctor of Philosophy in Computer Science** with specialization in Artificial Intelligence

"It was a great experience and an opportunity to engage and initiate in multiple research topics and collaborations in BSM. The professors are internationally recognized leaders in their areas, full of passion for research, extremely brilliant, and also hard-working."





Dr. Syed is the
Solution Architect of
Hewlett Packard
Enterprise, Malaysia
and a Published
Author. He has been
a Board Member of
Alam Educational



Society for over ten years and a Member Board of Directors of K.K. Abdal Institute of Engineering and Management Sciences for over six years.

Previously, Dr. Syed held the position of the Head of IT of Celcom Axiata Berhad, Malaysia and Solution Architect of ASIT Solutions, Pakistan. Dr. Syed completed his Master of Science from Universiti Teknologi Malaysia and Master of Business Administration – Information Systems from International University of Georgia. He has further progressed with a Doctor of Philosophy in Computer Science with Specialization in Artificial Intelligence from the European Global School - Paris.









# DR. ALI RIFAU

Doctor of Philosophy in International Management

"The aim of education should be to teach us rather how to think, than what to think — rather to improve our minds, so as to enable us to think for ourselves, than to load the memory with the thoughts of other men."





Dr. Ali Rifau is the Chairman of the Board of Directors of Maldives, Ports Limited and have been serving there for over two years.

He started his career in Maldives Airports
Company Limited as a trainee mechanic in 1992 just after completing his secondary education from Majeedhiyya School, and he is currently the Head of Engineering and Maintenance Department, managing five major engineering related sections under him, namely: Mechanical Services, Electrical & Air-conditioning Services, Construction & Estate Maintenance Services, Water Supply & Sewerage Services and Power Generation, Distribution & Maintenance Services.

Dr. Rifau got his Higher Diploma in Mechanical Engineering - Automotive Technology from Islamic University of Technology and further proceeded with his Master's Degree, majoring in Mechanical Engineering - Renewable Energy from University of Science Malaysia.

Dr. Rifau further advanced in his higher education and received a Doctor of Philosophy in International Management awarded by the European Global School - Paris and delivered by Bangkok School of Management.







# **DR. BRUCE ALLEN VELDHUISEN**

**Doctor of Philosophy in Education** 

"Education is of no value and talent is worthless – unless you have an unwavering aim. Never find yourself without a compass."





Dr. Bruce Veldhuisen is an entrepreneur and an educational innovator. He is the Founder and Chief Executive Officer of TEFL International and was previously the Course Director of language schools and TESOL courses in Hong Kong and Thailand for eight years before founding the world's largest teacher training institute and becoming a well-known name in the industry.

Dr. Veldhuisen holds a Bachelor's of Science in International Relations and Economics from Birgham Young University, a Master's in Business Administration from Portland State University, and is a certified Trinity College London teacher. He further continued his higher education with Bangkok School of Management, receiving Doctor of Philosophy of Education Degree from the European Global School - Paris.

Dr. Veldhuisen is committed to growth and helping others, but maintains a down-to-earth approach that keeps him personally involved with Tl´s programs and customers. He is the Director of International Programmes of Thongsook College in Thailand.



