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Dean is a professor at Arizona State University's Del E Webb School of Construction and also the Director of the Performance Based Studies Research Group (PBSRG) for 20 years. Dean has developed a Risk Management Model that can be applied in any industry. His concept is contrary to the traditional models. It reduces the transactions of every participant and forces a "win-win" relationship. His program educates and assists FM/PMs in becoming a more efficient organization through measurement, accountability and transparency. Creator of the best value Performance Information Procurement System (PIPS) and Performance Information Risk Management System (PIRMS); tested over 1,600+ times over 19 years totaling \$5.7 Billion with a 98% satisfactory rating by the users (both gov't and private sectors).

His many achievements include 2012 Dutch Sourcing Award for best overall procurement effort and operational excellence, 2011 Silver Award from NASPO (implementation of best value PIPS at the State of Idaho), and 2009 Excellence Educator Award for his numerous accomplishments in education and research. He is a recipient of the Fulbright Scholar Award due to the establishment of a state-of-the-art procurement process and project management research and practices with the people of Botswana, Africa. Dean's groundbreaking best value PIPS and PIRMS Model was also integrated into a graduate program at ASU. Dean was instrumental in the investment of US\$100 million at ASU when they adapted the Best Value PIPS and PIRMS in their service agreements.