



Professional Qualifications:

Richard J. Wolf, MA, CPBA, CPVA President & CEO

Rick's professional background includes over 25 years in the career management industry with emphasis in career transition, executive coaching and executive search.

Prior to establishing Career Partners – St. Louis, Rick owned an executive recruiting firm and served as a senior executive for a local outplacement firm. Rick's has extensive experience, education and thorough understanding of all stages of the employee lifecycle from pre-hiring and selection, recruiting, executive coaching and career development through effective exit options and strategies, providing a level of expertise unmatched in the industry.

As the architect of the career management processes implemented at CPI St. Louis, Rick developed an approach that successfully integrates objective assessment instruments with practical recommendations combined with a commitment to personal networking and access to state-of-the-art job search technology.

Rick is a Certified Behavioral Analyst (CPBA), a Values Analyst (CPVA), and a TriMetrix™ Assessment System Analyst. This assessment expertise allows him to provide his clients with objective information regarding their behavioral competencies, workplace motivators, and personal attributes required for successful job performance and ultimate job satisfaction. His in-depth knowledge and understanding of human behavioral potential and how it relates to workplace satisfaction and performance is critical in providing expert recommendations to candidates whether in coaching, talent acquisition or transition.

Rick is recognized as an expert in his field and has been invited to speak at various universities such as St. Louis University and Webster University, retiring Officers at Scott AFB, many local HR organizations and has appeared on NBC's Today in St. Louis and Internet radio speaking about various career/job search topics.

Rick is active in the Human Resource Management Association (HRMA) and the YMCA. He is serving a second term on the Alumni Board at St. Louis University's John Cook School of Business and serves on the Board of Advisors at the West County YMCA in Chesterfield, MO. He previously served for two years as Co-Chair of "A Night to Remember", a major fund raising event for the St. Louis Chapter of The Alzheimer's Association.

Rick and his family live in St. Louis where he earned his B.S. in Marketing from St. Louis University and a Master's in Human Resources Development from Webster University.