

Sam Jarman's Leader Profile

<u>Mission</u>: School Leadership Alliance wishes to facilitate connections between seated school leaders and various leadership experts. We hope to help you find valuable expertise from education consultants, former educators, and cross-industry leaders.

<u>Instructions</u>: As you search the list of coaches, please feel free to reach out to them directly. There is no obligation on either side, but if you wish to enter into a working arrangement, feel free to do so. School Leadership Alliance does not currently involve itself in this process.

We do ask that you provide us feedback as you engage with any of the coaches, organizations, or resources you find through us! Please send an email to schoolleadershipalliance@gmail.com or on the Contact Us portion of our website.

Name	
Areas of expertise	 Building trust and hope in your people and the community Improve learning by improving teacher efficacy. If teachers get better, student learning improves Take care of the whole child. Help them feel safe, connected and confident so they can thrive Provide students with knowledge, skills and dispositions that will allow them to succeed in life Designing and planning of schools Energy use and savings Community involvement
Previous experience & Achievements	Accomplishments as Alpine School District Superintendent: • Established a clear district-wide Vision for Learning • Recognized by Forbes Magazine (2020) as the second-best employer to work for in Utah of companies with 500 or more employees • Received a Triple A financial rating from Moody's and Fitch agencies



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	 Achieved 93% district-wide graduation rate for 2020 (92% 5 yr. avg.) Established social and emotional well-being teams for 92 schools (psychologist, social worker, counselor, behavior specialist and nurse) Received a 90% overall district-wide employee approval rating for the final two years of service. Survey conducted by Hanover Research Passed the largest capitol bond (\$387 million) with the highest support percentage in district history in 2016 for the building and renovation of schools. Unprecedented growth in population of Utah's largest school district necessitated careful master planning and building of schools Reduced energy costs by 21% saving the district millions of dollars Established a district-wide Leadership Academy to prepare future administrators Community Service (current): United Way of Utah County Board of Directors National Football Foundation, Utah Chapter Executive Board
	Community Service (past):
	 Brigham Young University Governing Board, School of Education (CITES) Utah Valley University K-16 Alliance Board of Directors Utah High School Activities Association Board of Trustees Utah County Health Department Board of Directors
Description of recent projects/work samples	
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*Quotes from references	
Key values	Work hard, serve and help others grow, always look to improve and become better, be honest, show exemplary character, extend trust
Contact information	Email: samuelyjarman@gmail.com
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Reviews	
Biography/Vita	Growing up years/school/activities: Grew up in Provo, Utah graduating from Provo High School (class of 1980). Sterling Scholar state runner-up in Industrial Arts. Played baseball and football. Selected first team all-state quarterback (Deseret News, 1979). Recipient of the Exemplary Manhood Award as a senior by school administration. Served as the student-body president of the Provo High LDS seminary. Played football on scholarship at Snow College before serving an 18-month Spanish speaking church mission to Colombia, South America.
	Education: Received bachelor's degree in Industrial Arts Teaching (architecture, engineering and wood working, 1987) and master's degree (educational leadership and administration, 1992) from Brigham Young University. Worked on a doctorate degree at BYU for five years (2012-2017) completing all coursework and the research project but did not finish the dissertation within timeframe.
	Family: Married for 39 years to Lydia Knell. Father of six children and "Poppy" to sixteen grandchildren with one more on the way. I am the middle child of nine children. My family moved to Provo in 1962 from Wyoming and my wife's family was already in Provo.



We love our Provo heritage and chose to raise our family in Provo.

Career: Worked in Provo City School District as a teacher ('86-92) and Principal at Provo High School ('97-04). Awarded State Principal of the Year (2001). Worked in Alpine School District (ASD) as an assistant principal and district level administrator for twenty-two years. Final leadership position was Superintendent of Schools in ASD (2015-2021). Adjunct Professor, Southern Utah University (2015-16).

Retired after a successful career of 35 years in public education. Adjunct Professor, Utah Valley University (2020 & 2022).