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Rob has been on the staff of the Mesa Arts Center since 1993, first as Visual Arts Supervisor, later promoted to Acting Arts Administrator, named Arts Administrator in 2000, and became the Assistant Arts and Culture Director in 2006. He has 18 years of progressively responsible experience in arts administration at the university level in Michigan, in Michigan state government, and in municipal government agencies in Phoenix and Mesa. His previous employment was in the Art Department at Wayne State University in Detroit; the State of Michigan Art in Public Places program; and the Public Art Program of the City of Phoenix Arts Commission.

Rob's university credentials include an Associate's degree in Commercial Art from Henry Ford Community College in Dearborn, Michigan; a Bachelor of Fine Arts degree in Studio Art/Painting, and a Master of Arts degree in Studio Art/Printmaking from Wayne State University in Detroit; and a Master of Arts degree in Arts Management from Eastern Michigan University in Ypsilanti, Michigan.

Rob has been active in the Arizona arts community, serving on numerous grants panels and ad-hoc committees for Glendale, Phoenix, Tempe, and the state arts commission. He is also a published writer on public art issues, wrote Public Art Master Plans for Chandler and Tempe, and has written over 50 critical reviews of artists and art exhibitions for internet sites. Rob has served as Regional Representative, and President of the Museum Association of Arizona, and was a member of the Ahwatukee-Foothills Village Planning Committee.