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Thomas Boyle is Professor of Business and currently teaching in the Graduate School of Business MBA program at Point Park University in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. He was past Director of the MBA program at Seton Hill University. Previously he served in the Division of Business at The Pennsylvania State University at Altoona. In his scholarship he has particularly focused on question of teaching entrepreneurship, business ethics, and program development. He has been frequently invited as an international lecturer such as at the International University of Monaco and the Chinese Academy of Management Sciences Conference in Beijing. His concept of “A New Model of Entrepreneurship Education” was presented at the *International Conference on Fostering Entrepreneurship*, sponsored by the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Employment Development (OECD) in Trento, Italy 2006. He is also frequently invited as a guest lecturer and recently served as the keynote speaker at the *Chinese Academy of Management Sciences Fourth International Management Conference* in Qingdao, China. His most recent work is centered on the “The Making of an Entrepreneur.”

In his teaching he has focused on the range of MBA courses including *Strategic Management, Ethics and Legal Issues, Organizational Development, Global Management*, and a Capstone course for MBA students, *Entrepreneurship* and designed entrepreneurship courses, *Principles of Entrepreneurship, Entrepreneurship and New Venture Creation*, and *Entrepreneurship and New Product Development* among others.

Thomas Boyle has been active as a consultant serves the profession as a board member of the *International Entrepreneurship Forum* and has been involved in regional development initiatives in his native Western Pennsylvania region.

Dr. Boyle was named a Price-Babson Fellow of Babson College’s Entrepreneurship Program and was selected as an outstanding professor in the Monaco Business School at the International University of Monaco. The Students in Free Enterprise selected him as a Sam Walton Fellow. In addition, he was appointed a Visiting Scholar at the University Center for International Studies (UCIS) at the University of Pittsburgh and was appointed to the Regional Advisory Board of the European Studies Center/ European Union Center of Excellence.