

# **Peter Ricci, Ed.D.**

**Clinical Professor and Director at Florida Atlantic University**

Boca Raton, FL, US

Peter Ricci is an expert in food service, lodging, incentive travel, and destination marketing.

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## **Biography**

Peter Ricci is a hospitality industry veteran with over 20 years of managerial experience in segments including: food service, lodging, incentive travel, and destination marketing. While filling the role of hotel general manager for almost a decade, Ricci served as a part-time educator before entering academia full time as both a clinical associate professor and administrator.

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## **Areas of Expertise**

Casinos & Gaming, Travel and Tourism, Hotel Guest Services, Hospitality, Marketing, Destination Marketing, Lodging, Food Service, Incentive Travel, Hospitality Management, Employee Performance, Tourism, Restaurant Management, Tipping

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## **Education**

**University of Central Florida**  
E.D.D.

**University of Florida**  
M.S.

**University of Florida**  
B.A.

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## **Accomplishments**

### **Distinguished Alumnus Award**

University of Florida, College of Health & Human Performance, Dept. of Tourism, Recreation, and Sport

### **Lifetime Achievement Award**

Hospitality Sales & Marketing Association International

### **Lifetime Achievement Award**

Norma Bondy Lifetime Achievement Award

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