ABDUL ABDI

SCHOOL BOARD DIRECTOR | IT PROFESSIONAL | COMMUNITY LEADER

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SKILLS

- Strategic Planning
- Problem Solving
- Creative Thinking
- Data Analysis
- Software architecture & design
- Stakeholder engagement
- Customer Orientation
- Adaptability to Change

CERTIFICATES

- Executive Education Certificate.
- Microsoft AZ 900 cloud certification.
- Cloudera Administrator Training for Apache Hadoop.
- Six Sigma Green Belt.

ON LINE PRESENCE

- www.linkedin.com/in/abdulabdi10
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PROFILE

With 20 years of experience in the IT industry, including a decade as a Lead Software Architect and a significant role as a School Board Director, I am passionate about driving innovation, fostering collaboration, and making a positive impact in both the technology and education sectors.

WORK EXPERIENCE

School Board Director | Treasurer   2023 - PRESENT

Minneapolis Public Schools

- **Leadership and Governance:** Provide strong leadership and effective governance.
- **Key Responsibilities:** Budget oversight, hiring key personnel, fostering community engagement.
- **Collaboration:** Work with board members, educators, and community stakeholders
- **Initiatives and Advocacy:** Champion initiatives to enhance educational programs.

SOFTWARE ARCHITECT   2015 - PRESENT

Minnesota Information Technology | MNIT

- **Leadership in Software Architecture:** Over 10 years of experience leading diverse teams in designing and implementing innovative, scalable, secure, and robust software solutions.
- **Strategic Guidance:** Apply a strategic mindset and industry best practices to align software architecture with business objectives.
- **Client-Focused Innovation:** Consistently deliver software solutions that exceed client expectations and support long-term business goals.

COMMUNITY LEADER   2005 - 2022

District Parents' Advisory Council (DPAC) representative.

- Organized collaborative solutions to address community and school challenges.
- Advised education leaders on policies to improve schools and strengthen parental involvement.

EDUCATION

- **Metropolitan State University, 2002, BS in Computer Science.**   1999 - 2002
- **Harvard Business School. Executive Education Certificate**   2023 - 2023