

## **UT AUSTIN PORTUGAL 2019 ANNUAL CONFERENCE**

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Robert A. Peterson holds the John T. Stuart Chair in Business Administration at <u>The University</u> of <u>Texas at Austin</u>, and has been the Principal Investigator of Phases I and II of the UT Austin-Portugal program.

In addition to serving as a professor, he has held numerous administrative roles at the university, including department chair, associate dean, associate vice president, director of the Office of Technology Commercialization, director of the <a href="LC2">LC2 Institute</a>, and director of the Bureau of Business Research.

His extensive research has resulted in nearly 200 books and refereed publications, including the 13th edition of a marketing strategy textbook, several award-winning articles, and 27,000 research citations. He has served as a consultant on intellectual property matters to numerous companies, including Amazon, AMWAY, Ford Motor Company, Google, and 3M. As an entrepreneur, he has co-founded four companies.

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