



**Rick Darter
CEO and President**

Rick Darter is CEO and president of Rave Computer. Mr. Darter, co-founder of Rave Computer in 1988, has more than 32 years of leadership experience in the computer industry.

As a key leader and executive of Rave Computer for 22 years, Mr. Darter drives the comprehensive and strategic direction of the company. Mr. Darter helped lead significant business growth in the military, OEM and ISV markets, where the company has more than doubled its Michigan-based business in FY2009 alone. Mr. Darter is instrumental in creating an aggressive plan that continues to support the diversification and growth opportunities of Rave Computer, which has resulted in consistent annual profit growth for Rave Computer's 22 years of operation.

Prior to Mr. Darter's work with Rave Computer, he served as co-founder and vice president of Sales and Marketing for McIntyres Mini Computer from 1978-1988. From 1996-2001, Mr. Darter served as president and co-founder for Rave IT Solutions, a company that offered information technology consulting services to end-user customers. From 1990-2001, Mr. Darter was also the president and co-founder of Rave Financial Services Inc., which provided leasing of computer equipment.

Mr. Darter is active on the Board of Directors for Danas Technologies and the Advisory Board of Directors for the Macomb Oakland University INCubator, a business incubator that drives business innovation and job growth for Michigan. Additionally, Mr. Darter is a stockholder and Board member of the National Green Team Collation. Mr. Darter is also a member of NDIA, AUSA, and Women in Defense (WID).

Previously Mr. Darter served on Zoning Board of Appeals in Bruce Township for 17 years. He holds a sports pilot license and is a certified Power Parachute instructor, certified scuba diver, and an active member of the RCAF and Eagles Power Parachute club. Mr. Darter is also a member of the Fraternal Order of Eagles Aeries 3690.