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Don McClure, Vice President Finance and Business Services at Encata Oil and Gas (USA) Inc.



Don McClure is Vice President Finance and Business Services of EnCana Oil and Gas (USA) Inc. He joined EnCana Oil & Gas (USA) Inc. in October 2002. Don was with PanCanadian Energy prior to the merger of PanCanadian Energy and Alberta Energy in April 2002, forming EnCana.

Don has been in the oil and gas industry for more than 30 years, since his graduation from Northwestern Oklahoma State University with a Bachelor of Science degree in accounting. Don is a licensed CPA and CMA and also has an MBA from Southern Methodist University in Dallas, Texas.

Don started his career with Atlantic Richfield, holding various positions of increasing responsibility focused primarily on controllership responsibilities. Don also worked with Vastar Resources, Inc., a carve-out IPO from Atlantic Richfield and Columbia Energy Services, Inc. Don is a member of the American Institute of CPAs, Institute of Management Accountants, Financial Executives Institute and the API Upstream Committee. Don serves as a Board Member for the University of Colorado at Denver, the Colorado Oil & Gas Association (COGA), the Independent Petroleum Association of Mountain States (IPAMS) and Junior Achievement. He has currently been asked to participate on Governor Ritter's Jobs Cabinet.

TIM FEEMSTER, Senior Vice President/Director of Global Logistics, Grubb & Ellis



Over 35 years of experience have provided Timothy Feemster, Sr. VP, Director of Global Logistics, with a variety of hands on problem solving situations in real estate, transportation, logistics, distribution, and marketing. Before joining Grubb & Ellis, Feemster was a senior manager in three manufacturing companies, a general manager, a consultant, and an executive in two third party logistics providers, most recently over 13 years with Menlo Worldwide Logistics. Feemster has been responsible for building construction management, transportation & warehouse operations, real estate site selection, strategic planning, lease management, marketing, inventory planning and deployment, lean systems & quality management, and private fleet management. Feemster holds an M.B.A. in Marketing from the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor and a B.A. in Mathematics from DePauw University in Greencastle, Indiana. Feemster is an active member in the Warehouse Education and Research Council (WERC.org), where he is on the Board of Directors as the current Vice President and will ascend to the position of President of the organization in 2009; Council Supply Chain Management

Professionals (CSCMP.org); and the International Council of Shopping Centers (ICSC.org).

Dr. Luka Powanga, Professor, School of Management - Regis University



Dr. Luka Powanga is the Event Coordinator for the Global Commerce Forum. He is the Editor of the Journal of Global Commerce Research and the Journal of Current Research in Global Business, in addition to contributing to various academic and trade Journals. He is currently the US correspondent for CargoNews Asia a trade magazine aimed at the shipping and logistics industry, writing on the transportation infrastructure, logistics and cargo security. He has made presentations to various academic conferences and business summits such as the 2008 EXPO by the Longmont Chamber of Commerce, 3PL outsourcing and Logistics Summit and the RFID Conference by eyefortransport, including the E-Tag conference by the Georgia Ports Authority where he presented on the use of Radio Frequency Technology to enhance cargo security.

In the academic world, Dr Powanga is a professor of International Business and Economics in the School of Management at Regis University, Denver, Colorado, USA. He holds a BSC degree in Metallurgy and Mineral Processing, Masters and PhD degrees in Mineral Economics from Colorado School of Mines with a minor in Finance from the Graduate School at Denver University. He also holds a Masters degree in Computer Information Technology and Graduate Level Certificate in Object Oriented Programming from Regis University. His industry and academic experience spans over thirty years progressing to senior management levels. He worked for the mining and telecommunications industries and consulted in international business prior to joining the academic world. He taught at Colorado School of Mines before transitioning to Regis University. He has written a textbook in economics, published in many peer-reviewed Journals, and written a case study for Ivey School of Business. His research interests include international energy and mineral development, security as it pertains to cargo and the transportation infrastructure, outsourcing and logistics, and innovative technologies such as Radio Frequency identification.

Duncan Tungande, Chief Financial Officer, Tshumisano Trust, RSA



Duncan is currently the Chief Financial Officer of Tshumisano Trust, a wing of the Department of Science and Technology in South Africa designed to implement Science and Technology Programs.

Duncan worked for Delloitte as an Auditor and as a business advisor. He has held several executive management positions in both the private and public sectors for firms such as Premier Food Industries, FreeState Development Corporation, Tsogo-Sun and the National Health Laboratory Services. Duncan also worked as an Executive Director for Karibu Facilities Management.

Prior to joining Tshumisano, Duncan was instrumental in many Corporate Governance, Mergers and Acquisitions and International business development initiatives. Duncan is currently pursuing a PhD and has been active in both business and academic forums. His most recent presentation was at the May 2008 Global Management Information Technology Research Conference in Manhattan, New York.

Doug Sampson, Senior Vice President, ACME Distributors



Doug Sampson CSCP CPIM, is Sr. Vice President and Co-Owner of Acme Distribution Centers, Inc., a multi-regional Third Party Logistics Provider. Doug has worked in the supply chain industry for over 30 years providing service solutions and consultancy for customers in over 10 different industry verticals at various levels of the supply chain. In addition, Doug has built up and sold 2 separate transportation related companies.

Doug is currently the Chairman of The Colorado Motor Carriers and spends much of his time working together with the ATA on legislative issues that impact our industry and environment. Doug is also an active member of CSCMP, WERC, APICS and many other supply chain industry organizations. Doug has a BS in Finance & Marketing with a minor in Accounting & Economics from the University of Northern Colorado.

CAROL DAHL, Professor of Economics-Mineral Economics Department, Colorado School of Mines



Carol Dahl is a Professor of Economics in the Mineral Economics Program at the Colorado School of Mines, as well as the Director of the Colorado School of Mines/Institute Français du Pétrole Joint Degree Program in Petroleum Economics and Management. She received her B.A. degree in economics with distinction from the University of Wisconsin and her Ph.D. in economics from the University of Minnesota. She has been teaching and pursuing her research interests in economic modeling and analysis of international energy markets since 1973. Her clients have included U.S. Energy Information Administration, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, U.S. Mineral Management Service, OPEC, and Saudi Aramco. She has supervised numerous Ph.D. students, authored or co-authored more than 100 articles and conference papers, traveled to over 100 countries pursuing her research interests and has written a book *International Energy Markets: Understanding Prices, Policies, and Profits*. For more information on her published work see

<http://www.mines.edu/Academic/econbus/faculty/dahl-pubs.htm>

CARLOS PEREIRA Reservoir Engineer, Norwest Questa Corporation



Carlos Pereira is a reservoir engineer at Norwest Corporation with more than ten years of experience in domestic and international oil and gas projects. Mr. Pereira's experiences focus on mature fields and enhanced oil recovery projects in single- and dual-porosity/dual-permeability systems. He specializes in 3D numerical reservoir simulation including compositional and miscible displacement models. Mr. Pereira holds a Bachelors degree in Chemistry and a M.Sc. in reservoir management, both from the Central University of Venezuela.

He also holds a M.Sc. in petroleum engineering from Colorado School of Mines.

Dr. Arun Jhaveri, Former Mayor- Burien City and Certified Sustainable Development Professional (CSDP)



Dr. Arun Jhaveri has over 35 years of professional work experience in the areas of Energy, Environment, Sustainability, Education, Engineering, Sustainable Development, and Governance. He worked for the United States Federal government for 24 years, from 1982 to 2006, first with the U. S. Army Corps of Engineers' Seattle District as an Engineering Project Manager, from 1982 to 1990, and then as a Regional Manager for the U. S. Department of Energy's Western Regional Office in Seattle, from 1991 to 2006. In addition, he worked as a Research Engineer for the Boeing

Commercial Airplane Division's 747 program from 1967 to 1972, followed by the First Science/Technology Advisor in City of Seattle Mayor's Office of Management & Budget from 1977 to 1977. He was also the first Mayor of the new City of Burien, Washington state, from 1992 to 1998, followed by the Governor of the State of Washington-appointed Trustee of the Highline Community College, from 1998 to 2005. Dr. Jhaveri received his B.Sc. degree from India in 1958, followed by a B.S. degree in Engineering Physics from the University of Washington, Seattle in 1961. He then completed his

Master's degree in Physics from the University of Massachusetts in Amherst in 1964. His Doctoral degree dissertation was titled "Effective Leadership for Sustainable Development in the Public Sector", granted by the Seattle University's Educational Leadership program in 2006. Dr. Jhaveri is currently an Adjunct Professor at Argosy University in Seattle. He also works as an Adviser/Consultant with many Public and Private Sector clients, specializing in Energy Efficiency, Renewable Energy Technologies, Sustainable/Green Buildings, Climate Change, and Strategic Planning.

Tom Skancke, CEO, The Skancke Company

Tom Skancke is the president and CEO of The Skancke Company. The Skancke Company is a public affairs firm with its primary offices in Las Vegas, Nevada. The Skancke Company also has offices in Newport Beach, CA and Washington, DC. In 1990, Tom started The Skancke



Company and since that time, The Skancke Company has grown to become a well respected and recognized public affairs firm throughout the US.

For many years, the primary focus of The Skancke Company has been in projects related to transportation infrastructure funding and construction. In the past 16 years, Tom has worked on over \$2 billion in transportation funding and construction projects throughout the west. Tom is best known for his problem solving skills and his ability to see a problem and apply a solution. No project is

too big or too small for Tom and The Skancke Company.

In 1999, Nevada Governor, Kenny Guinn, appointed Tom to the CANAMEX Corridor Coalition (CCC). The CCC is a 5 state commerce and tourism coalition in the western United States. In 2003, the CCC elected Tom the first full time chairman of the five state coalition and he served in that capacity for two years. He continues to be a member of the Coalition. Most recently, United States Senator Harry Reid appointed Tom to sit on the congressionally created National Surface Transportation Policy and Revenue Study Commission.

Tom has worked on a number of campaigns and referenda across the country from local to national races. He continues to be an advisor to many of his current and former political clients. He has public affairs experience on all levels of government as well as with many regional and national agencies.

Tom is active in all of the communities where he does business. He is a member of the Las Vegas Chamber of Commerce where he is a member of the Business Council. He serves on the Public Policy Committee for the Las Vegas YMCA. He is also a member of the Nevada Opera Association board in Reno, Nevada.

Patrick E. Quinn, Co-Chairman of U.S. Xpress Enterprises, Inc.

Patrick E. Quinn, Co-Chairman of U.S. Xpress Enterprises, Inc. has spent his entire professional career in the motor carrier industry. A native of Nebraska, Mr. Quinn received a B. A. degree from the University of Nebraska in 1968 and a J. D. degree from the University of Nebraska College Of Law in 1971.



Mr. Quinn practiced law in Lincoln, Nebraska from 1971 through 1977, and was a partner in the law firm of Nelson and Harding, where he specialized in transportation law. In 1977, he joined Southwest Equipment Rental, Inc. as Vice President and General Counsel and was named Executive Vice President and General Manager in 1984. Mr. Quinn and Max L. Fuller formed U.S. Xpress Enterprises, Inc. in 1985. Through their leadership and experience, U.S. Xpress is

recognized as a service, safety and technology leader in the trucking industry, earning an award for innovation from the Smithsonian Institute in 2000. U.S. Xpress is the third largest privately-owned truckload carrier in the United States. It is owned by Mr. Quinn and Mr. Fuller. In 2004, U.S. Xpress

achieved \$1 billion in annual revenue and the Company was named the For-Hire Fleet of the Year by Fleet Owner magazine.

Mr. Quinn is the immediate Chairman of the American Trucking Associations and is a past Chairman of the Truckload Carriers Association. An initial member of the ATA's Image & Communications Committee, Mr. Quinn has been a frequent public speaker and leading advocate for the trucking industry, and received an appointment from former Senate Majority Leader Bill Frist to the National Surface Transportation Policy and Revenue Study Commission in 2006. The Commission's Report to Congress was issued in January of this year. Mr. Quinn was a recipient of the 1997 Alumni Achievement Award from the University of Nebraska. He serves as a member of the Board of Directors for the Chattanooga Area Chamber of Commerce and the Erlanger Hospital in Chattanooga. Mr. Quinn and his wife, Anna Marie, reside in Chattanooga, Tennessee. They have three children and seven grandchildren.

Frank Busalacchi, Wisconsin Secretary of Transportation

In January of 2003, Frank Busalacchi accepted Governor Jim Doyle's appointment to be Secretary of the



Wisconsin Department of Transportation. Busalacchi was formerly the secretary-treasurer of Teamsters Local 200 based in Milwaukee, one of the largest Teamster locals in the state. He began with the Teamsters as a business agent in 1979 and was elected president in 1991 and secretary-treasurer in 1994.

Secretary Busalacchi leads one of the largest state agencies with over 3,600 employees and dozens of satellite offices. WisDOT's annual budget of over \$2.4 billion includes support for all modes of transportation, including state highways, local roads, railroads, public transit systems, airports, harbors and bicycle and pedestrian facilities. The department also serves 50,000 people each day through the Division of Motor Vehicles, while the Wisconsin State Patrol enforces laws and aids motorists throughout the state.

Secretary Busalacchi leads the state's efforts to rebuild the Marquette Interchange Project in downtown Milwaukee. The \$810 million project is the largest highway construction job ever in Wisconsin, and the Secretary has set key goals to build the project safely, on-time, on-budget and by involving the entire community.

The Secretary also plays a leading role in national passenger rail issues. In 2005, he accepted the post as chair of the States for Passenger Rail Coalition, an alliance of 23 state DOT's calling for expanded federal support of intercity passenger rail. Secretary Busalacchi has testified to Congress about the importance of passenger rail and is working to improve existing Amtrak service and plan for new high-speed rail service in Wisconsin.

Secretary Busalacchi has a long-time commitment to improving Wisconsin. He was president of the Summerfest Board of Directors and chair of the negotiating committee responsible for the lease between Milwaukee World Festivals and the city of Milwaukee. He also served as the construction committee chairman for the Miller Park Baseball Stadium construction project. He was a member of the Southeast Wisconsin Regional Planning Commission advisory committee to the southeast freeway study and a member of the Greater Milwaukee Committee. Secretary Busalacchi, his wife and their family reside in Brookfield.

Rebecca Eaton, Executive Director, North American Board of Certified Energy Practitioners



As part time Executive Director of the North American Board of Certified Energy Practitioners, Ms. Eaton manages the operations of the organization including fundraising, marketing, budgets, and administration of NABCEP's certification programs. Ms. Eaton also works as a Project Manager at NABCEP's partner organization, Think Energy, Inc., a renewable energy consulting company in Takoma Park, Maryland. Prior to these positions, Ms. Eaton worked for twenty years in developing private sector programs at nonprofit organizations as well as working in real estate and manufacturing engineering.

Carol L. Barbeito, Ph.D., President, Earth Protect,



Carol has thirty years experience in executive management of which eighteen included leading companies that provided management consulting, research and training. Carol has helped thousands of organizations build their management and leadership capacity with emphasis on governance, human resource management, resource development and planning. She is experienced in major database development and a many times published author. She has worked extensively in the United States and internationally. A few examples of her clients are: Petroleum Information, EPA New South Wales, US Health and Human Services Region VII, University of Denver, Australia Wetlands and Grasslands Foundation, Screen Producers of Australia, Australia Film Commission, Bermuda Institute of Ocean Sciences, John Denver's Windstar Foundation and Ewing Marion Kauffman Foundation.

She is a Senior Associate of Australia Environment International since 1990 and has volunteered for many professional and community organizations among which are the Queensland Turtle Research Project, Sierra Club South Platte Board of Directors and Castle Pines North Green. Dr. Barbeito is also President of CLB & associates.

Grant A. Barbeito, Vice President and Creative Director, Earth Protect,



Grant has over ten years experience in a broad array of creative and business aspects of television and film production. In 2005, he co founded Plant It Film Productions producing independent films with a postproduction unit.

Grant managed a film production team for Urban Box Office, has written four screenplays, In 2007, directed and filmed a short called In a Pig's Ear that is being shown at the Cannes Film Festival and LA Short Film Festival in 2008. In 1999,

Grant was accepted into the Sundance Film Festival with his short film, RUBEN, which was chosen for forty film festivals worldwide. His production credits include: Calvin Kline, Sprint, Perry Ellis, MTV, Bravo, Lifetime Cable, ESPN, PBS, The California Wildlife Foundation and E Entertainment.

Grant has volunteered over the last few years for Heal the Bay, organizing and participating in beach clean-ups. He has also done work with The California Wildlife Foundation and Shifting Baselines.

J. Peter Devereaux, FAIA, LEED AP. President, Harley Ellis Devereaux Corporation



Peter Devereaux is president of Harley Ellis Devereaux Corporation, a full-service architecture and engineering firm. In 2007, Harley Ellis Devereaux Corporation published its Sustainable Design Commitment, which states the firm's belief that they must adjust their approach to professional practice and encourage their clients and

colleagues to join them in changing the course of our planet's future. The firm's green commitment is also emphasized through the success of its unique partner company, GreenWorks Studio, which specializes in sustainable design consulting and building commissioning services. GreenWorks Studio has completed numerous LEED certified projects nationally, ranging in diversity from higher education to affordable housing to recycling facilities to public libraries.

Gayla Kraetsch Hartsough, Ph.D., President of KH Consulting Group (KH).



Gayla specializes in strategic planning, organizational design and restructuring, social responsibility audits, marketing, human resources, and business process reengineering. KH has served more than 200 clients in 25 states and in 6 foreign countries since 1986. Many of KH's clients are quasi-governmental entities – ports, airports, colleges and universities, utilities, health care, or telecommunications – which have public accountability and social responsibility mandates while ensuring their revenues exceed their costs. Among KH's clients are the County of Los Angeles; City of Los Angeles; Los Angeles World Airports (LAX, ONT, VNY, PMD airports); Telstra Enterprise & Government (Australia), University of California at Los Angeles (UCLA); Port Authority of New York-New Jersey; County of Orange (California); Port of Los Angeles; University of Southern

California; City and County of Denver; Los Angeles Department of Water & Power; Edison International. She has extensive community involvement including serving on the Earth Protect (Advisory Board member). BTW named her one of top fifty executive women over age fifty in Los Angeles for 2007.

Dr. Oliver A. Hemmers, Director, Office of Strategic Energy Programs, University of Nevada, Las Vegas



Dr. Oliver Hemmers received his Ph.D. in Physics in 1993 from the Technical University in Berlin, Germany with specialization in x-ray atomic and molecular spectroscopy. Recent research focuses on developments of biofuels and new materials for hydrogen fuel storage. He currently manages a multi-year, multi-million dollar biodiesel project funded by the US DOE. Over the past 10 years he

has been a principal investigator or co-PI on several research projects at UNLV totaling over \$6M.

Dr. Hemmers has given about 200 presentations at national and international meetings, published approximately 90 research articles, written one book, and holds one patent. He is a member of the American Physical Society and a reviewer for the American Institute of Physics and the Institute of Physics.

Dr. Hemmers is the acting Director of the Office of Strategic Energy Programs, established under his guidance in October 2006, and Associate Research Professor in the Department of Chemistry.

John A. Borkgren AIA, NCARB, Director of Development, First Industrial Realty Trust, Inc.



John A. Borkgren is the Director of Development providing oversight and direction for all First Industrials development projects throughout the Midwest. John previously spent a total of 22 years with Opus North Corporation with the last 8 years as a Senior Project Manager. At Opus he had been directly responsible for the complete design, construction and development of millions of square feet of industrial space throughout the Chicagoland area. Borkgren is a licensed Architect, Member of the American Institute of Architects, the National Council of Architectural Registration Boards and

a member of the Construction Specifications Institute. John received his BS from Southern Illinois Universities Architectural program.

Scott L. Conner, P.E. Director for the Denver Federal Center (DFC) Service Center, Public Buildings Service- U. S. General Services Administration's Rocky Mountain Region, Denver, Colorado.



Scott is responsible for the overall management of the DFC which encompasses property management, project management, contracting, real estate, asset management and environmental compliance. The DFC is a 630 acre campus with 65 buildings totaling just over 4 million square feet and home to over 6000 tenants from 28 federal agencies.

Scott has served in the Federal Government for 17 years. The first 8 years were spent with the National Park Service as a Construction Supervisor, Mechanical Design Engineer and Project Manager. Scott joined GSA 9 years ago as a Project Manager and has served as Business Center Manager and now Director.

Scott has a passion for worldwide travel, enjoys cycling, and recently earned his private pilots license. He has Mechanical Engineering degree from Colorado State University, Fort Collins, Colorado.

**John R. Patelski, P.E., LEED AP, Executive Managing Director
President - Engineering and Construction, A. Epstein and Sons International, Inc**



John R. Patelski currently serves as an Executive Managing Director and President of the Engineering and Construction Groups of A. Epstein and Sons International, Inc. (Epstein), the long-standing Chicago-based firm offering architecture, engineering, construction, interior design and graphic design expertise to clients worldwide. John began his 28+ year career as an electrical engineer and has built upon that foundation to become a recognized expert in engineering, sustainable design, supply chain strategy, logistics, real estate, construction, business development and overall company management.

John has been an Instructor and Guest Speaker on a wide variety of technical topics including sustainable design and LEED certified facilities, the real estate development process, trends in new economy buildings, supply chain management, electrical systems design, design/build, and raising the roof to creatively renovate properties.



Charles McSwain, Team Leader, CSX Regional Development

Charles McSwain has been engaged in real estate, economic development and urban economics for thirty years and for the past fifteen years has focused on logistics. Charged with strategic initiatives for CSX, McSwain leads a group of geographically dispersed professionals whose sole purpose is to develop new facilities in the best possible configuration for freight services in the context of evolving logistics networks and systems. The Regional Development group includes twenty-seven field based professionals who serve logistics facility expansion requirements in coordination with Federal, State and local authorities.

Most recently, as Vice President, Business Unit Services with CSX Corporation's real estate subsidiary, McSwain provided strategic real estate support for all CSX companies and their customers. McSwain has used the real estate and asset management platform to create a strategic planning function among business units driving shared infrastructure efficiencies and shareholder value. In addition to serving unit heads and CFOs as a real estate advisor, his real estate group is responsible for all real estate acquisitions, sales/leases to customers and the leased space portfolio.

Prior to joining CSX in 1988 as part of the CSX real estate development company, McSwain was Managing General Partner for American Tectonics, a regional real estate development firm in Florida where he planned, constructed, marketed and managed over a million square feet of mixed-use properties. Serving as a basis for his business acumen in the market were successive positions as economist and urban planner for a regional planning group, economic development for a statewide public utility, and director of Tampa's Committee of 100.

A third generation native of Florida, McSwain was educated at the University of Florida, University of South Florida and York University. He has received the CID designation from AIDC; Board Certified in Corporate Real Estate (IDRC); Board Certified in Industrial Real Estate (IAMC); and has actively served in CUED, AIDC, ULI, NAIOP, IDRC (Board) and IAMC (Chairman).

Dr. Kristina E. Lipinska-Kalita, Assistant Research Professor, University of Nevada Las Vegas



Prof. Kristina Lipinska-Kalita, over the past 15 years, has initiated and led various research projects in physics and materials science all over the world. While at the University Pierre et Marie Curie – Paris VI, France she was the architect and leader in a major collaborative initiative with the international glass company St. Gobain. While working for the Italian Agency for Alternative Energy Sources she led several energy-related research projects. At the International Center for Theoretical Physics in Trieste, Italy, she directed an international team of students and researchers from academia from all over the world, working on discovery of new superconductors. In Tokyo, Japan, while a professor at Waseda, Lipinska-Kalita captured on behalf of the university a major research project with the Nippon Electric Glass Company, in the frame of which she managed a team of researchers and glass engineers.

At the University of Nevada Las Vegas, while collaborating closely with the Office of Strategic Energy Programs, Prof. Lipinska-Kalita is working on a multi-million dollar, multi-year, DOE research project on biofuels. Currently Prof. Lipinska-Kalita is also leading the effort on capturing multi-million long term grants in order to develop, at UNLV, a new Research Center for Functional Advanced Materials for Future Energy Technologies.

Rayola Dougher, senior economic advisor, American Petroleum Institute



Rayola Dougher is a senior economic advisor for the American Petroleum Institute (API) and is with the Institute's Office of the Chief Economist. Ms Dougher has been with API since 1985 and is the author or co-author of numerous economic research studies covering a diverse range of topics, including gasoline taxes, energy conservation and competition in retail markets. She is one of the Institute's principal spokespersons. Her efforts focus on informing policymakers, the media and the public on energy market issues and trends. In addition to testifying before federal and state legislators, she has participated in numerous newspaper and radio interviews and has appeared on NBC's Today Show and Nightly News, ABC World News Tonight, CNN, MSNBC, CNBC, Fox News, the CBS Morning Show, and The News Hour with Jim Lehrer.

Ms Dougher holds a Bachelor's degree in history and political science from the State University of New York at Brockport and a Masters degree in economic development and East Asian studies from the American University.

Tim Radbourne, *Principal, Radbourne Consulting*



A 20 year logistics veteran of retail, chemical and petroleum shippers, Tim has seen energy become more and more critical to our supply chains. He would like to share with you realistically what the future looks like and show you how we will get out of this mess.

In addition to running his own consulting practice, he is on the executive of the Council of Supply Chain Management Professionals, The Global Institute of Logistics, and the Maritime Logistics Council. Tim's background includes Union Carbide, Crompton, Witco, General Electric, and Federated Co-operatives.

Allison Buttel, *Chief Operating Officer, Think Energy Inc*



Ms. Buttel is responsible for managing work with several clients, including a nation-wide project with Toyota Motor Sales, U.S.A., Inc. Ms. Buttel leads Think Energy's work in grid-delivered green power products as well as deregulated electricity and natural gas purchasing. Ms. Buttel is part of the Investment Services team, and also contributes to business development for Think Energy. Finally, Ms. Buttel is responsible for leading Think Energy's financial modeling work, which includes developing tailored models that address each client's unique situation. Ms. Buttel holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Applied Economics and Management with a concentration in Environmental and

Resource Economics from Cornell University.

John Leslie, *Energy Manager-The Mirage and Treasure Island Hotels.*



John Leslie is the Energy Manager of The Mirage and Treasure Island. He also works with the Bellagio as a Consultant on energy issues and plant operations. He came to The Mirage 4 years ago from Western Michigan University (Kalamazoo, MI) where he worked in Energy Management and Environmental Controls. John has been in plant operations since 1972, starting his career in power plants at Caterpillar Tractor Company in East Peoria, Illinois.

Dan Johnson, *Manager of Government and Public Affairs-Chevron Corporation*



Dan Johnson's territory encompasses company operations and facilities in the Rocky Mountain States of Utah, Wyoming, Colorado, and Idaho. He was appointed to this position in January 2001. Johnson graduated from the University of California at Santa Barbara with a degree in history. He also earned a master's degree in Public Policy Analysis from the University of Colorado. Additionally,

Johnson is a graduate of the San Francisco Academy in strategic public affairs management. He began his career with Chevron in 1980 as public affairs representative for Chevron Shale Oil Company in Denver, Colorado. In 1982, he was transferred to Sacramento and became Chevron's senior representative to the administration of Governor George Deukmejian and the California legislature. In 1987, he was promoted to manage Chevron's corporate advertising including the highly successful "People Do" advertising campaign.

In 1990, Johnson was named Manager of USSR Government Affairs for Chevron Overseas Petroleum during negotiations for the Tengiz oil field. After serving as Manager of State Policy Development, he was promoted in 1996 to Manager of Public Affairs for Chevron Chemical Company and served on its leadership team.

In 1999, Johnson was named as Public Affairs Manager in Austin, Texas and served as Chevron's representative to the administration of then Governor George W. Bush and the Texas legislature. Johnson has been an active board member and representative to various manufacturing and petroleum industry associations during his career. Currently, he serves as the Chairman of the Colorado Petroleum Association, the Utah Petroleum Association and the Chairman of the Public Relations Committee for the Petroleum Association of Wyoming. He is also an active community volunteer and non-profit board member. Johnson is a former Peace Corps volunteer in the Kingdom of Tonga and served as a VISTA Volunteer to the Navajo Indian Nation.

Michael L. Beatty, Chairman- Beatty & Wozniak



Michael is the chairman of a 35-attorney law firm headquartered in Denver, Colorado, dedicated exclusively to the natural resources and energy industry. Mike graduated from the University of California at Berkeley and Harvard Law School and started his legal career as an attorney at Vinson & Elkins in Houston, Texas. He later became a professor of law at the University of Idaho and a visiting professor at the University of Wyoming. Following his academic career, he became General Counsel of Colorado Interstate Gas Company and later Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Director of The Coastal Corporation. Mike left Coastal to become Chief of Staff to Colorado Governor Roy Romer and, later, State Chairman of the Colorado Democratic Party.