

EDUCATION

M.B.A., Ivey School of Business (UWO) London, Ontario

B.Sc. (Chemistry), University of Western Ontario, London, Ontario

HIGHLIGHTS

Over thirty years in finance, economic and social development, venture capital, corporate strategy, and science and innovation.

President & CEO of Madonna Capital Partners, a merchant bank, and Founder of Women in Arms Society, an international NGO which supports women in development.

Ability to bring resources and relationships together to achieve results in Canada, Europe and Asia.

Won the first Federal Government environmental technology transfer and commercialization award for innovative work with Agriculture Canada. Leader in Ozone Protection area through UN Montreal Protocol.

Volunteer with local social and political organizations. Former Director of NPA Vancouver.

ECONOMIC AND BUSINESS EXPERIENCE

- MCLEOD YOUNG WEIR LIMITED, INVESTMENT DEALER
Investment Banking Associate
Corporate Finance Division, Financing, M&A, Restructurings
 - ROYAL BANK OF CANADA
Manager of Mergers & Acquisitions Advisory Group
Merchant Banking Division
 - SWEDISH DEVELOPMENT CONSULTING PARTNERS
Aid and Third World Development Consultant
Economic development for Eastern Europe, Africa and China
 - BC TRADE EXPORT FUND
Set Up Advisor in \$10 million Early-Stage Export Development Fund
Original set up Consultant and Contract Investment Manager
 - VANCOUVER ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION
Director-Business First! – Local Business Retention and Expansion
 - HEDLEY TECHNOLOGIES INC.
President, Chairman and CEO
Publicly traded global environmental technology company
 - TRAVELINX INC.
President and CEO
Leader in destination tourism systems for Governments
 - ADVISOR TO LEADERS
Advisor to Boards, and CEO's for Strategy, Transactions, Financing
Storyeum, Paradigm Partners, Ecotrust Canada, Patriot Corporation
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PROJECT EXPERIENCE: NORTH AMERICA

- ❑ Industrial Finance: Participated in over \$1 billion in private and public financing of medium and large companies.
- ❑ Venture Capital Finance: Raised venture capital for rapidly growing companies.
- ❑ Inspiration Resources: \$1 billion corporate reorganization & refinancing.
- ❑ Privatization: Sale of government ownership in PWA airline to become national carrier.
- ❑ Oil and Gas Industry: Performed financial valuation and provided a fairness opinion for a corporate reorganization.
- ❑ Brewing Industry: Study and valuation of brewing industry for structural reorganization.
- ❑ Acquisition Search: Investigated select growth industries for a diversified multinational.
- ❑ Steel Fabricator Reorganization: Devised and presented a reorganization plan.
- ❑ Biotechnology: Reviewed a listed biotechnology company for the Stock Exchange.
- ❑ High Technology: Performed investment analysis of an export-oriented company.
- ❑ US Bankruptcy workouts: Assisted client to acquire forge industry companies from bankruptcy, dealing with unions, creditors, company management and the courts.

PROJECT EXPERIENCE: INTERNATIONAL

- ❑ MOZAMBIQUE: Studied the feasibility of an industrial workshop joint venture during the civil war.
- ❑ TANZANIA: Performed an extensive evaluation of entrepreneurship aid and financial development programs on behalf of the Governments of Sweden and Tanzania.
- ❑ LATVIA: Study of water pollution problems and solutions for the Nordic Investment Bank.
- ❑ CHINA: Prepared a pulp and paper industry study focusing on environmental improvement for sustainable development.
- ❑ CHINA: Performed study of 10 Chinese pulp & paper companies for Swedish Government.
- ❑ POLAND: Evaluated proposed privatization of the lime industry on behalf of the World Bank Group (International Finance Corporation).
- ❑ POLAND: Evaluated a series of environmental clean up projects financed by the Nordic Investment Bank, after the fall of the Iron Curtain.
- ❑ ESTONIA: Guest lecturer on entrepreneurship to business and government.
- ❑ CHINA and KENYA: Successfully organized and led a United Nations Environmental Program technology transfer projects in the post harvest grain storage sector.
- ❑ EUROPE AND CHINA: Set up research and knowledge transfer partnerships as CEO.

LANGUAGES

English, Swedish

ACTIVITIES AND INTERESTS

My family, hockey, cycling,, sailing, skiing, golf, tennis, coaching and reading.
