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**PROFILE**

- Widely respected environmentalist with 25 years in senior management; particular focus on the energy/electricity sector
  - Experienced in creating/leading new organizations in emerging markets
  - Broad experience serving on the board of sixteen business and non-profit organizations; chair of seven
  - Extensive network of contacts with leaders in provincial/municipal governments, energy companies, businesses, institutions and environmental organizations
  - Started career with Pollution Probe with team that developed the “3 R’s” (Reduce, Reuse, Recycle)
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**CAREER SUMMARY**

**Foresight Canada**  
**Entrepreneur in Residence**

**2023 - present**

**Yorkville University**  
**Professor**

**2021 - present**

Appointed Professor in the Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA) Program in 2021 to teach the 3<sup>rd</sup> year course “Energy Policy, Legislation and Social Environment”.

**Love Energy Consultants Inc.**  
**President**

**2009- present**

Consulting company formed to foster culture change as part of commitment to advancing sustainability. Provides strategic advice as a consultant, associate, facilitator or director on an individual basis or as an associate with other selected firms.

**York University**  
**Adjunct Professor**

**2009 - 2021**

Developed and teach 4th year course at the Faculty of Environmental Studies on energy and environmental policy and authored free on-line text book Fundamentals of Energy Efficiency based on teaching this course.

**Energy Services Association of Canada**  
**President**

**2010 - 2017**

Co-Founder and first President of this organization that was created to actively promote government policies and regulatory support for greater use of guaranteed performance based solutions to implement energy efficiency, renewable energy and infrastructure renewal projects.

**Ryerson University Centre for Urban Energy**  
**Hydro One Visiting Distinguished Research Fellow**

**2011- 2012**

Among first Research fellows of centre which is investigating the challenges facing cities in the future, including energy conservation, renewable power generation, energy storage, electrical power systems, smart grid systems, and related business and social policy issues.

**Ontario Power Authority****2005 – 2009****Chief Energy Conservation Officer and Vice President**

Responsible for establishing the Conservation Bureau, providing leadership in planning/coordination of electricity conservation and for reporting on conservation progress and proposals.

- Promoted broad adoption of a “Culture of Conservation” working with local partners across the province to recognize leadership and speaking at over 500 events, resulting in over 400 million earned media impressions and even more paid impressions.
- Leader in setting amongst most aggressive targets for conservation in North America and reporting that first interim target had been met by 2007.
- Developed strategic approach and implemented the design and delivery of conservation programs covering overing all sectors, most using non-OPA delivery agents.

**Summerhill Group****1995 – 2005****Chief Energy Conservation Officer****2014 - 2016****Principal****1995 - 2005**

One of two founding partners in the company that is a Canadian leader in the development and implementation of social marketing initiatives.

- Co-Founder and first President of EnerQuality Corporation – Private company that managed the R-2000 program in Ontario and launched the EnergyStar for New Homes program. Achieved profitability in second year and in all subsequent years.
- Executive Director Canadian Energy Efficiency Alliance – Managed several successful public advocacy campaigns and major projects for leading independent energy efficiency advocacy organization in Canada.
- Managed broad range of consulting projects related to the energy industry including the development of Ontario policy to promote energy efficiency, a green power position paper, the potential for cogeneration in Ontario, policies on emission reductions/reporting and environmental impacts/policy options to coal-fired generation.

**Custom Design Installation Ltd.****1987 – 1995****Vice President, General Manager**

Managed an office furniture service company with offices in Ottawa and Montreal.

**IDEA Corporation****1983 - 1987****Director****1985 – 1987****Analyst****1983 – 1985**

\$100 million early stage venture capital fund set up by the provincial government. Assessed over 200 investment opportunities and coordinated investment in 8.

**Peter Middleton & Associated Ltd.****1975 - 1982****Vice President****1978 – 1982****Research Consultant****1975 – 1978**

One of Canada’s first environmental and alternative energy policy research consulting companies.

**Pollution Probe****1972 – 1975****Project Coordinator**

A leading environmental non-profit organization in Canada. Joined as member/volunteer in first year it was created in 1969 while still attending university before joining on staff in 1972.

- On team that developed 3 R’s motto - “Reduce, Reuse, Recycle”
- Co-founded and led coalition to advocate responsible waste management policies and programs.

## RECENT BOARD EXPERIENCE

### Corporate Boards

International Solar Solutions Inc.	2012 – present
Energy Services Association of Canada (President)	2010 - 2017
Yield Energy	2010 – 2014
EnerQuality Corporation (President)	1998 - 2005
Summerhill Group Ltd. (Chair 2002 – 2005)	1995 – 2005

### Non-Profit Boards

Centre for Community Energy Transformation (Chair)	2022 - present
Muskoka Conservancy	2021 – present
Grey Condominium Corporation No. 35	2021 - present
Toronto 2030 District (Chair 2021-present)	2021 - present
CMC Research Institutes	2017 - 2022
Energy Efficiency Alberta	2016 – 2020
Royal Canadian Institute for Science (Chair 2016-2017)	2013 - 2021
Rethink Sustainability Initiatives (Chair 2013)	2012 – 2021
Ina Grafton Gage Home (Chair 1995 – 1998)	1991 – 2005
Canadian Coalition on Acid Rain	1983 – 1992
Movement Against Acid Rain (co-chair 1989-1992)	1985 - 1992
Sir Joseph Flavelle Foundation (Chair 1988 – 1991)	1972 – 2006
Muskoka Lakes Association	1984 – 1988
Non Smokers' Rights Association (Chair 1977 – 1979)	1975 – 1981

### Advisory Boards

Efficiency Capital	2019 - present
Lightspark	2019 - present
Ontario Climate Consortium (Chair)	2017 - 2020
Manitoba Race to Reduce	2016 - 2020
MaRS Discovery District Cleantech Advisor	2012- present
Fortis BC Energy Efficiency & Conservation Advisory Group	2012 - present
Commercial Building Energy Leadership Council	2012 – 2015
CSA Advisory Board on Renewable Energy (Chair)	2014 – 2017
Summerhill Group Advisory Board	2009 - 2012
Greening Greater Toronto Task Force	2008 – 2015
National Advisory Committee on Energy Efficiency	2000 – 2013
Climate Change Voluntary Challenge & Registry Technical Advisory Committee	1998 - 2004

## EDUCATION

ICD.D - Institute of Corporate Directors - Directors Education Program 2009

MBA, University of Toronto 1983 (Dean's List 1981/82)

B.A. (Arts and Science), University of Toronto 1971

## AWARDS

Pollution Probe "Peter Middleton Legacy Award" 2019

Rethink Sustainability "Global Partnership Award in Global Generational Leadership" 2014

Clean50 Honouree 2014

Sustainable Buildings Canada "Lifetime Achievement Award" 2007

EnerQuality Corporation "Hall of Fame" 2005

Non Smokers' Rights Association "Honorary Lifetime Membership" 1982.

## PUBLICATIONS (available at [www.loveenergyconsultants.com](http://www.loveenergyconsultants.com))

The Garbage Book. Energy, Mines & Resources Canada, 1975

Fundamentals of Energy Efficiency. Love Energy Consultants, 2018.

18 reports and 30 published articles