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Note youthandyunus.com (Y&Y) -back in 2010 yunus said he wanted a good news portal designed by a partnership between his tech company and normanmacrae foundation. For various complex reasons, the format designed was not sustainable. However ways of linking in leaders, youth and yunus remain a major practice area of <http://normanmacrae.ning.com> Foundation of The Economist's pro-youth economist - [Click](#) for sample of cases that Yunus SB competition students have started up

Y&Y Doc1:Judges of State-Wide Youth and Yunus Social Business Competitions
Norman Macrae [Foundation](#) gifted over \$25000 to Youth & Yunus competitions run as states-wide celebration events, This catalogue mapd connections over time between judges at one or more statewide competition of youth and yunus and social business.

Judges Panel Networks by Lead Practices - tell us if your city has a future capitalism event or ongoing collaboration entrepreneur network related to judges' interests

Banking Ron Grzywinski , Retired Chairman and Co-Founder, ShoreBank Corporation Mary Houghton , Retired President and Co-Founder, ShoreBank Corporation Next citizen event: Global Social Enterprise Initiative, the Global Human Development Program, and the Global Alliance for Better Banking at Georgetown University Thursday, October 10, 2013 from 5:00 PM to 8:00 PM (EDT) Washington, D.C., DC References to Alliance : facebook web googledoc 30000 alumni network of first Soros-sponsored mooc- how wall street money flows	Nutrition Gary Hirshberg , Co-Founder/Chairman, Stonyfield Farm Amelia Pape (OR:OR) The founder of My Street Grocery , Heroes for Youth Ronald J. Garan Jr. (NC;TX) Astronaut, NASA's Open Innovation Program Monica Yunus Opera Star www.singforhope.org	Open Technology Naila Chowdury 15 years as director of yunus tech companies now in usa linking open tech and womens dev networks Kazi Huque (OR: OR) director of Grameen Intel partnerships -----
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Chris Macrae is president of the Norman Macrae Foundation - Chris' father Norman originated the curriculum of Entrepreneurial Revolution in The Economist in 1972. He is a mathematician and innovation adviser who maps how companies can transparently value intangibles. Macrae helped found CBO Association, a worldwide think-tank, to inquire how the power of brand leadership and open society media can be reformed to multiply value across cultures and stakeholders.

This list shows connections chris.macrae@yahoo.co.uk Washington DC region tel 1 301 881 1655 knows or is meeting next. The overall organiser of all usa yunus and youth competitions is

Professor Bhuiyan. He has completed 5 state-wide Youth and Yunus Entrepreneur competitions to date. Typical yunus and youth competition startup entries are [here](#)

Next new wave - New Hampshire Sept 30 2013:

<http://www.unh.edu/socialbusiness/social-business-innovation-challenge#judges>

Final Round Judges

[Howard Brodsky](#), Co-Founder, Chairman and Co-Chief Executive Officer, CCA Global Partners

[Laura P. Dagan](#), Chair, Board of Trustees, Champlain College

[Ron Grzywinski](#), Retired Chairman and Co-Founder, ShoreBank Corporation

[Gary Hirshberg](#), Co-Founder/Chairman, Stonyfield Farm

[Mary Houghton](#), Retired President and Co-Founder, ShoreBank Corporation

[David T. Ives](#), Executive Director, The Albert Schweitzer Institute and Adjunct Professor, Quinnipiac University

[Andrea Levere](#), President, Corporation for Enterprise Development

[Chris Macrae](#), President, Norman Macrae Foundation

[Eric Schwarz](#), Co-Founder and CEO, Citizen Schools

[Jackie VanderBrug](#), Senior Vice President, U.S. Trust

Typical judges correspondence: Dear Ms Levere

I believe we are co-judges at the Yunus New Hampshire event at the end of this month. I live in DC region and have been fortunate to act as judge at all Yunus US events to date. I have also interviewed Yunus on 20 occasions since 2007 as part of a pro-youth economics project originated by my father whose lifetime career was as pro-youth economist for The Economist

Would you be interested in a quick meeting before New Hampshire? There are quite a lot of collaboration action networks around DC (and then out to various communities in usa or in developing countries) that I have helped to map since 2007 when dad sponsored a 2000 bookclub of yunus and a 10000 dvd club. We have also helped sponsor two Yunus birthday wish parties for Yunus on the occasions of his 68th and 70th birthdays

I am particularly keen to make sure that the knowhow of Yunus is passed onto youth and am trying to form partnerships with both massive open education platforms and traditional universities so that we don't just end up propagating fundraising stories but actually empower youth with how-do solutions that Yunus has done as much to invent as any single person I am ever likely to meet. I also have a future agenda which includes optimalsing linkins of Yunus work round 1 Professor Bhuiyan and 2 his daughter Monica Yunus both of whom work tirelessly with youth

sincerely

chris macrae bethesda 301 881 1655

New Hampshire Online (Preliminary) Round Judges

Online Judging Panel Chairperson:

[Greg Van Kirk](#), Co-Founder, Community Enterprise Solutions and Social Entrepreneur Corps, 2012 Schwab Foundation Social Entrepreneur of the Year (Latin America), Ashoka Lemelson Fellow and Ashoka Globalizer

Online Judging Panel Members:

Ben Anderson, Chief Operating Officer, Preserve Products

Ted Barber, Co-Founder, Prosperity Candle

Michael Behrmann, Co-Founder, Revolution Energy

Mike Bellamente, Executive Director, Climate Counts

Matthew H. Benson, Partner, Cook, Little, Rosenblatt & Manson pllc

Peter Cooke, Principal, Cooke and Associates

Tania Ellis, Special Advisor and Managing Director, The Social Business Company
 Alyson Genovese, Principal, Cause Solutions
 Michael Gurau, President, Clear Innovation Partners
 Rebecca Hamilton, Director of Product Development, W.S. Badger Company, Inc.
 Amy Seif Hattan, Corporate Sustainability Officer, Thornton Tomasetti
 Margaret Heffernan, CEO and Author
 Nathaniel V. Henshaw, Managing Director, CEI Ventures, Inc.
 David Herring, Executive Director, Wolfe's Neck Farm Foundation
 Lindsay Hyde, Founder, Strong Women Strong Girls
 Jill Kickul, PhD, Director, Stewart Satter Program in Social Entrepreneurship, Stern School of Business, New York University
 Deborah Leipziger, Principal, Deborah Leipziger Consulting
 Sarah Littlefield, Director of Finance, New Hampshire Community Loan Fund
 Andrea McGrath, Principal, Connecting Capital
 Moriah Meyskens, Adjunct Professor of Management, University of San Diego
 Mark Newton, Vice President Corporate Social Responsibility & Sustainability, Timberland
 Brett Peirce, Founder and Executive Director, Meridian Stories
 Betsy Peters, CEO, Possibility U
 Dave Rowell, Executive Vice President for Sales, Foss Manufacturing
 Charles J. Spies III, Chief Executive Officer, CEI Capital Management LLC
 Susan Hunt Stevens, Founder and CEO, Practically Green
 Beth Tener, Principal, New Directions Collaborative
 John Ujda, Vice President of Marketing, Better World Books
 Michelle Veasey, Executive Director, New Hampshire Businesses for Social Responsibility
 Jennifer Walske, Partner, Myriad Investments, LLC, Assistant Professor of Entrepreneurship and International Business, University of San Francisco
 Linzee Weld, President, No Small Potatoes Investment Club, Steering Committee, Slow Money Maine
 Laney Whitcanack, Executive Vice President, Federated Media Publishing Inc., Co-Founder and Board Member, The Princess Project

Judges from past waves I know best -locations referred to are state judged ; home
Naila Chowdhury (AL; MD) - regional neighbour one of the most experienced technologists to have worked many years with Yunus at top level of grameen phone or grameen solutions (tech consultancy); www.women4empowerment.org deeply connecting womens health networks in usa and various womens networks through UN

Kazi Huque (OR; OR)

Kazi Huque is the CEO of Grameen Intel Social Business Ltd. Kazi Huque has experience in the use of technology for socio-economic development. Grameen Intel was founded in 2009, and is the company's first investment in Bangladesh.

Mark Thornton (NC; CA) - Mark has been working night and day to assemble the first or main social business fund for Egypt - I support this idea but as we live in opposite coast source diary so

far only enjoyed 4 longish meetings

Amelia Pape (OR;OR)

The founder of [My Street Grocery](#), a sustainable business that brings healthy food to neighborhoods that have barriers to healthy eating ([food deserts](#)), Amelia Pape is also an MBA graduate of Portland State University.

Ronald J. Garan Jr. (NC;TX)

Astronaut, NASA's Open Innovation Program

Tamela G. Noboa (GA; MD)

Chief of Strategy and New Business,

Discovery Channel Global Education Partnership

Example of judges correspondence:

Dear Naila - two issues while you 're attending high social activist week in New York Sept 2013 (start of UN Year Clinton Global etc)

Issue 1

In case you are chatting with Eva Evangelou or similar personalities, http://activeresistance.co.uk/getalife/main_tabs_05.html these videos show why Vivienne Westwood is the number 1 connector of fashion superstars who want to action causes as well as being the doyen of Kings Road Chelsea radical fashions for 50 yeras

Since Monica searches through opera and entertainment superstars who want to empower youth, the connection between Monica and Vivienne needs to be made if we are ever going to get back to there being some superstars youth would actually gain from heroising

I know enough folk at the top of madison avenue ad agencies that if ever monica and vivienne were linked in , they would take their movement seriously.

Issue 2

<http://www.alexandersorosfoundation.org/> Alex Soros spends a lot of time either hosting fund raising parties out of New York or improving his own education in san francisco. It would be useful if anyone knows him to see if he and monica have synergies. Presumably one day Alex will be responsible for the future impacts of his father George Soros in trying to develop open society and reform economics

More Judges

Oregon

Bill Campbell

CFO/Principal at [Equilibrium Capital](#). Bill joined colleague and longtime business partner, Dave Chen, at Equilibrium Capital Group to apply post-venture financing solutions to companies in key sustainability sectors.

Ben Cannon

As a teacher and community activist, Ben Cannon was elected to the Oregon House, representing District 46, in November, 2006 and was sworn in as its youngest member in January, 2007. Mr. Cannon is now chief education advisor to [Governor John Kitzhaber](#).

[Dan Carol](#)

Director of Multi-State Initiatives for Oregon [Governor John Kitzhaber](#), Dan is focused on advancing regional initiatives on the west coast and nationally, working with other states' Governors and partners to accelerate job creation and a clean economy through innovative partnerships and policies.

[Mary Cullinan](#)

Mary Cullinan was appointed President and Professor of English at [Southern Oregon University](#) in 2006. She was Provost at Stephen F. Austin University, and Dean of Arts, Letters and Sciences at California State University at Stanislaus.

[Gun Denhart](#)

Co-founder of the Hanna Andersson children's clothing company, Gun currently serves on the board of directors of Ecotrust (chair), The Threshold Group and MercyCorps.

[Matt Donegan](#)

Matt Donegan is co-president and co-founder of [Forest Capital Partners](#), a private forest landowner and leading producer of sustainable forest products, and is a member of the Oregon Education Investment Board.

[John W. Haines](#)

John W. Haines joined [Mercy Corps Northwest](#) in December 2002 as executive director. From 1997-2002, he was vice president of ShoreBank Pacific, a start-up sustainable development bank in Portland, Oregon. He is a board member of Mercy Corps Northwest, Open Meadow Alternative Schools, POSI – Portland Sustainability Institute. He is a graduate of the University of Wyoming and native of Laramie, Wyoming.

[Samuel Henry](#)

Samuel D. Henry, EdD, serves as coordinator of the Portland State Graduate School of Education's Educational Leadership doctoral program. In addition to his faculty and administrative duties at PSU, Dr. Henry is also a member of the [Oregon Education Investment Board](#).

[Aaron James](#)

Aaron James is a principal at Burdock & Company. [Burdock & Company](#) advises enterprises at the forefront of sustainability innovation.

[Alissa Keny-Guyer](#)

Representing [District 46](#) in the Oregon House of Representatives, Alissa Keny-Guyer has spent 30 years working to eliminate poverty, promote cross cultural understanding, invest in youth, protect the environment, and promote civil rights.

[Chris Macrae](#)

Chris is a mathematician and innovation adviser with offices in London and Washington, DC. He maps how companies can transparently value intangibles. Chris's books and research of brands in 30 countries over several decades benchmark how global branding has steadily deteriorated across a broad spectrum of human relationship needs.

[Amy Pearl](#)

Amy Pearl is the co-founder and executive director of [Springboard Innovation](#), a company that helps ordinary citizens design and launch sustainable and local solutions to global challenges.

[Tobias Read](#)

Tobias Read is serving his third term as State Representative during Oregon's 76th Legislature. He represents the residents of [House District 27](#), which comprises parts of Beaverton, southwest Portland and parts of unincorporated Multnomah and Washington Counties.

[Larry D. Roper](#)

Larry Roper has served as Vice Provost for Student Affairs at [Oregon State University](#) since 1995. He has held numerous positions in student affairs, including Director of Housing; Associate Dean of Students; Coordinator of Multicultural Affairs; and Vice President for Student Affairs/Dean of Students. At OSU Larry has taught courses in Speech Communications, College Student Services

Administration, and the Doctoral Program in Community College Leadership.

[Mark Weiss](#)

Mark Weiss joined [Western Oregon University](#) in 2005 as executive vice president for administration & finance and the university's chief financial officer. He was appointed its President in July 2012.

[Max Williams](#)

Max Williams became the CEO and President of [The Oregon Community Foundation](#) in November, 2011. For the past eight years, he was director of one of Oregon's largest public agencies, the Oregon Department of Corrections (DOC).

North Carolina

Navaid Abidi

Serial Entrepreneur

Navaid is a serial entrepreneur, angel investor and social activist. In the last 1990s he founded Indus Bazaar, an online mart for South Asian Americans, and Charity Click, an innovative online cause related advertisement network. In 2004 Mr Abidi started his own group at a hedge fund and became a global portfolio manager. Over the past six years he has focused his energy on creating innovative solutions to address the huge retirement savings problem facing America. He currently heads up Razor Hedge, LLC, an investment management firm focused on bringing innovative investment solutions to individual clients. In 2007, Mr Abidi helped organize social entrepreneurship conferences focused on Pakistan, and from the best practices launched a pilot program to bring digital K-12 education solutions to poor students in rural and urban shanty town areas of Pakistan.



Jeff Clark

Co-founder

The Aurora Funds

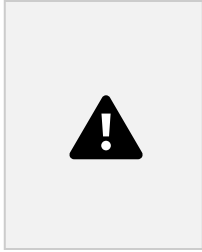
Jeff Clark co-founded The Aurora Funds with Scott Albert in 1994. He works primarily with Aurora's life sciences portfolio. He pulls from his strategic planning and operational experience to help these companies create or refine business plans, build solid management teams, develop strategic partnerships and secure key customers.



Todd Cohen

President, Philanthropy North Carolina

Todd is a veteran news reporter who has worked with the Raleigh News and Observer reporting on government as well as serving as the business editor. In 1999, he joined the A.J. Fletcher Foundation to develop the online Philanthropy Journal, where he serves as chief editor and publisher. Todd has also taught nonprofit reporting and media relations at UNC-Chapel Hill and Duke, and regularly speaks at workshops, seminars, meetings and conferences on the topics of nonprofit communications and trends in the charitable world.

**Mark Colodny**

Managing Director, Technology, Media and Telecommunications

Warburg Pincus

Mark serves as a Managing Director at Warburg Pincus LLC where he focuses on technology, media and telecommunications. Prior to joining Warburg Pincus in 1991, Mark worked as the Senior Vice President of Corporate Development at PRIMEDIA Inc., where he ran the Mergers and Acquisitions Group. Mark currently serves as a director at A Place for Mom, the Better Advertising Project and is also the Chairman of ProPublica's Business Advisory Board. He holds a J.D. from Harvard Law School, an M.B.A. from Harvard Business School, and an A.B. degree from Harvard University.

**Scott Daugherty**

North Carolina Small Business Commissioner and Executive Director

SBTDC

Scott currently serves as Director of the SBTDC and pursuant to an agreement between The University, The Community College System and the NC Department of Commerce. Scott also serves as North Carolina's first Commissioner for Small Business, with previous experience as a corporate attorney and senior manager with two larger rural economic development corporations.

**Justin Desrosiers**

Director of Strategy & Operations

Investors' Circle

Justin is passionate about entrepreneurship, positive impact investing and environmentally sustainable business models. He started his career in consulting and spent eight years advising Fortune 500 clients in North and South America, the Caribbean, Europe and Africa. In 2011, Justin founded his own company in the environmental space and subsequently led a team to successfully pitch the startup idea in the 2-month, incubator-style, Cherokee Startup Challenge. Justin has an MBA from Duke University, The Fuqua School of Business, an MS in Environmental Engineering plus a BS in Biology/Environmental Studies - both from Tufts University.



Ramzan Dhanji

Founder and CEO

Imagineering, Inc

Ramzan Dhanji is a successful businessman who has established and grown a number of companies over the past 25 years. In 1985, Mr. Dhanji founded Imagineering, Inc., which today is a provider of fast turn prototype printed circuit boards and assemblies. In 1987, he founded Q-Image Corp., which he later sold in 1992. In 1999, Mr. Dhanji founded Accutrace, Inc., an engineering firm currently operating in California. From 2007 to 2009, Mr. Dhanji was a member of the Board of Directors of Gold Coast Bank. In 2010, Mr. Dhanji co-founded Luckpatti Investment Group. Ramzan is on the Board of Trustees for Zindagi Trust, a non-profit whose mission is to provide education to children living in poverty in Pakistan. In the past 5 years, the Trust has provided education to 5,300 children and funded 28 schools throughout Pakistan. He is also on the Board of Directors for Apna Ghar, which provides culturally appropriate, multilingual services, including emergency shelter, to survivors of domestic abuse with a primary focus on the South Asian and other immigrant communities. Mr. Dhanji received BS in Engineering from Illinois Institute of Technology in 1979 and his MBA from University of Chicago in 1985.



Ronald J. Garan Jr.

Astronaut, NASA's Open Innovation Program

Ron is a former NASA astronaut and a co-founder and director of Manna Energy Ltd., a U.K. based social enterprise designed to leverage the \$120B/year Carbon Market to finance humanitarian projects in developing countries. Manna developed, under contract with partner organization Vestergaard-Frandsen, the largest water treatment intervention conducted by a private organization - a four million person program operating in Kenya and funded by carbon credits. Ron is also the founder/director of the non-profit Manna Energy Foundation which is a social enterprise incubator designed to assist in the alleviation of poverty through the sustainable provision of renewable energy and water purification technologies in developing countries.



Carmel M. Garan

Chief of Staff

Manna Energy Ltd

Carmel is a founding member of the Manna Energy Foundation and Manna Energy Limited. She manages and oversees Manna Energy Limited's day-to-day operations, coordinating efforts between US, Isle of Man and Rwandan operations.



Chris Gergen

Founding Executive Director,
Bull City Forward

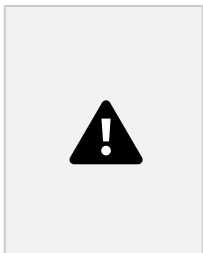
Christopher Gergen is founding Executive Director of Bull City Forward, a non-profit focused on catalyzing sustainable enterprise in Durham, NC. Chris also serves as an adjunct faculty member at Duke University's Terry Sanford School of Public Policy. Christopher's entrepreneurial credentials include co-founding SMARTHINKING which became the leading online tutoring provider in the United States, serving over 200,000 students from more than 1,000 universities, colleges, and high schools, before being acquired by Pearson Education. Christopher received a Bachelor of Arts with honors from Duke University, a Master's Degree in Public Policy from the George Washington University, and his M.B.A. from Georgetown University.



Dan Gerlach

President
Golden Leaf Foundation

Dan Gerlach has served as President of the Golden Leaf Foundation since October 2008. Prior to that, he served seven years as Senior Fiscal Advisor to N.C. Governor Mike Easley and served as Founding Director of the N.C. Budget and Tax Center.



Bobby Helmedag

Director
Rex Health Ventures

Bobby oversees the day-to-day operations of the fund, and joined Rex Healthcare in 2010. Previously, Bobby worked for BlueCross BlueShield of Tennessee in the Corporate Development group. He also worked for an angel investor group in Columbia, S.C., Citigroup and KPMG. Bobby received his International MBA from the Moore School of Business at the University of South Carolina where he studied in Germany, England and Australia. He received his undergraduate degree in Finance from the University of Notre Dame.



Allen H. Johnson III

Editorial Page Editor

Greensboro News & Record

Allen Johnson has been editorial page editor of the News & Record since May 1999. He also has been an adjunct professor at UNC-Chapel Hill, N.C. Central University, UNC-Greensboro and N.C. A&T. In 1996, he taught a management course to newsroom executives in Zambia, Africa.



Chris Macrae

Social Business Champion

My father's lifetime work "Entrepreneurial Revolution" and the Net Generation at The Economist converges with Dr Yunus as they both define the core purpose of economics as investing in next generation's productivity out of every community. Foundation projects include helping Adam Smith scholars edit Journal of Social Business and celebrating <http://jobscompetitions.ning.com>



Dr. Miles Palmer

Co-founder of Palmer Labs and 8 Rivers Capital

Dr. Miles Palmer is a co-founder of Palmer Labs and 8 Rivers Capital.

A distinguished innovator, engineer, and scientist, Dr. Palmer has four patents and over 40 publications in a broad range of fields, including biomedicine, aerospace, optics, communications, transportation, automotive technology, robotics, power, energy, fuels, and environmental chemistry.

After earning both an Electrical Engineering and a Chemistry degree at MIT, Dr. Palmer earned his PhD at the University of California, San Diego. He earned scholarship and academic society honors at both institutions. His bachelor's thesis at MIT led to advances in artificial skin materials for burn victims, and his PhD thesis included a credible alternative theory for the early evolution of the Earth's atmosphere that was published in the national press. Dr. Palmer was selected by NASA for final interviews for astronaut selection at Johnson Space Center while in graduate school.

Dr. Palmer joined the Air Force in 1981 to gain experience in flight testing and advanced aerospace technology. He received numerous awards in the Air Force and was nominated for astronaut duty in 1984. He left the Air Force in 1986 and joined SAIC.

Dr. Palmer's pioneering work in advanced aerospace technology at SAIC has been recognized nationally by his peers, and resulted in a press conference hosted by Sandia National Labs. His work has been cited by Business Week, the Chicago Tribune, Scientific

American, Discover Magazine, and other media outlets.

Dr. Palmer served on the MIT Curriculum Committee, The Department of Defense Strategic Defense Initiative Rocket Technology Advisory Panel, and the American Institute of Aeronautics and Aerospace Committee on Lasers and Plasmadynamics.



Abdul Rasheed

CEO

North Carolina Community Development Initiative

Bio



Mark Rostick

Director

Intel Capital

Mark joined Intel in 1997 in Silicon Valley and relocated to the Research Triangle, NC area in 2001. Before joining Intel, Mark marketed Turner Broadcasting's cable networks in South America, practiced law as trial and litigation counsel for Haynsworth, Sinkler & Boyd in Charleston, SC and was an analyst at Bank of America. Mark's investment portfolio includes ApplIQ (acquired by HP), DeNovo, Enpirion, Groove Networks (acquired by MSFT), mFormation, Motricity (NASDAQ: MOTR), PowerPrecise (acquired by TI), Relativity (acquired by MicroFocus), Sandburst (acquired by BRCM), Skycross, VirtuallIron (acquired by Oracle) and Virtustream. Mark has a BS in Accounting/Finance, a JD and an International MBA from the University of South Carolina.



Mikki Sager

Vice President

The Conservation Fund

Communities Program (RCP) for The Conservation Fund which helps North Carolina's rural communities address persistent poverty by tapping natural resources to create jobs and strengthen economies. Sager and her team train community leaders and foster peer-to-peer learning to help communities create new economies that work on the so-called "triple bottom line"-environmental, economic and social returns on investment.



Rajan Shamdasani

CEO

American Uniform

Rajan Shamdasani has been in the manufacturing, distribution and sales of public safety uniforms for the past 35 years and in the real estate development business for over 25 years. A visionary, he is talented in discovering the needs of the market place and finding ways to satisfy those needs. A world traveler and always on the go, he still finds time to serve his community where he has lived for the past 41 years. He has served on the Fayetteville Regional Airport Commission, Fayetteville Arts Council, Fayetteville Symphony, Center for Entrepreneurship, Fayetteville State University besides various other civic organizations. He is a very active member of his church and volunteers substantial amount of time to it.



Mark A. Thornton

Principal

The Thornton Group

Mark Thornton is the former Chief Operating Officer for JPMorgan Private Bank in London. Since 2004, Thornton has dedicated his life to creating the world's first management consultancy that does one thing: teach Leadership and ethical reflective practices to elite business schools and corporate leaders. The result is MBA, EMBA and Executive Education graduates with less stress, increased productivity, improved health and stronger ethical foundation.

He teaches Leadership Insight to global business schools, MBA's, EMBA's and Executive Education programs at Harvard Law School, the Program on Negotiation, Wharton Business School, the Leadership Development Program McGill International Executive Institute for Executive Education and numerous other elite institutions.

He has appeared on national TV shows including Fox Business News, ABC TV, CNBC, MTV as well as more than 60 national and regional radio shows.



Clay B. Thorp

Hatteras Venture Partners

Clay B. Thorp is an entrepreneur turned venture capitalist. Since 1995, Clay has co-founded four companies in the life science arena and co-founded Hatteras in 2001. As part of his work with Hatteras, Clay was a co-founder and served as CEO and Chairman of Synthematix Inc., a chemistry informatics company that was acquired in April 2005 by Symyx Technologies (SMMX) for \$13 million in cash. Prior to Hatteras, clay was the co-founder and head of corporate development for Novalon Pharmaceutical

Corporation, where he led financing efforts and was head of business development from inception until Novalon's sale to Karo Bio for \$106.7 million in May of 2000. Clay also serves as Lead Director of the Board for Pathfinder.



Colin Wahl

TIE Carolina President

Colin has extensive experience as an entrepreneur, marketing consultant, senior marketing executive and college lecturer at The University of North Carolina's Kenan-Flagler Business School. Prior to his work at UNC, Mr. Wahl founded Client Opinions, Inc. a market research firm that helps senior management teams conduct client, employee and market research. The firm's clients include Standard & Poor's, The Vanguard Group, The University of North Carolina and Clarkston Consulting.

Georgia



Suhas Apte

Vice President – Global Sustainability, Kimberly Clark Corporation

Thirty two years of professional experience (2 years in Europe, 12 years in Asia-Pacific, 19 years in USA) covering all facets of business management – strategic planning, marketing, finance, product development, operations, alliances, acquisitions, customer and supply chain management. Experience includes - Leading European Family Care business (\$1.8 billion sales in 18 countries) Managing high growth Developing Emerging Baby & Child Care business (\$1.8 billion sales in 30 countries) Developing Asia – Pacific Personal Care business (\$750 million sales in 13 countries) Classic Brand management assignments in USA. Key accomplishments – Developing & executing portfolio road-map for category-countries to make European business a re-investable business Delivering double digit top & bottom line growth ahead of the category for Developing & Emerging markets Baby & Child Care business Establishing Huggies® leadership position & improving Kotex® to strong 2 position in Asia – Pacific region Negotiating tax and training concessions amounting to US\$ 50 million with the Singapore government to establish mega business center for Personal care business Creating two joint ventures in China Acquiring a US\$ 150 million Personal Care business in Taiwan Integrating Kimberly-Clark businesses with Scott Paper Co. businesses in Asia Developing & building brands and categories in USA. He is a Mechanical Engineer from India and has an MBA from Univ. of Pennsylvania's Wharton School of Business.



Daniel Austin

Architect, Paypal

Daniel Austin is Chief Architect at Paypal, where he is focused on large-scale payment systems. In a past life, he's worked for organizations such as CERN, NASA, Sun, Yahoo! in pursuit of making the Internet faster and smarter.



Richard Bernhardt

President and COO at Silicon Valley Investment Group and Owner & CEO, Bernhardt Communications Co.

For over twenty-years, Richard has worked with Silicon Valley firms in leadership, management. Executive, and strategic advisory roles.

He has worked directly with management teams, CEO's, BOD's and investing entities to enhance their businesses performance, guide them into new or expanded markets and focus on plans for funding and strategic alliances. He has assisted them in developing and implementing effective operational strategy and internal growth management to be effective organizations for organic building, reaching milestones and liquidity events. Richard is a seasoned corporate communications, public and external relations director and has successes in both business development and marketing with direct demonstrable bottom line results. Richard has a proven record working with companies to review their functional, directional and internal operations to assure that they are tuned to provide the best results as well as for investors to understand the dynamics of deal-flow potential. Richard also is Chairman of Bangla Hope (<http://www.banglahope.org>) which serves children and families in need and provides a safe, stable, and learning environment for children throughout the country of Bangladesh. His specialties include: Marketing & Marketing Communications, Executive Management and Advising/Consulting, Government and External Affairs, Public Relations and Corporate Communications, Critical Negotiations & Contracts, and Business Strategy and Development.



Paula Boggs

Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary, Starbucks

In her role as Starbucks evp, general counsel and secretary, Paula Boggs leads the Law & Corporate Affairs department, advising a wide range of Starbucks partners (employees) on legal and business issues. Since joining Starbucks in September 2002, she has been passionate about hiring and nurturing partners to grow, develop and reach their potential. Inquisitive by nature, she believes that by being curious she will learn about those she leads, understand differences and successfully work through issues that begin as challenges but ultimately result in creating a better solution.

Paula's legal career began in 1984 as a United States Army officer assigned to the Pentagon. She also worked as a staff attorney for the White House before leaving the service in 1988. From 1988 to 1994, Paula served as assistant United States attorney in the Western District of Washington and was responsible for prosecuting fraud and regulatory crimes before trial and appellate courts. Paula was a partner at Preston Gates & Ellis in Seattle, one of the premier, full-service law firms in the country. During her tenure with the firm from 1995 to 1997, Paula was a trial lawyer specializing in corporate civil litigation. Prior to joining Starbucks, Paula served as Dell Computer Corporation's Vice President, Legal for Products, Operations and Information Technology Systems from 1997 to 2002. She also supported the Audit Committee of Dell's board of directors.

Paula is an active volunteer in both legal and civic organizations. She serves as Washington State Delegate to the ABA's House of Delegates; is on the Johns Hopkins University Board of Trustees; is a member of the KEXP Advisory Council; serves on the American Red Cross Board of Governors. She is also currently co-chair of Washington State's Campaign for Equal Justice (fundraising on behalf of legal services for the poor). Her past activities include serving on the board of Premera Blue Cross, as Chair. Paula and Starbucks were awarded the Washington State Bar Association's 2005 "Excellence in Diversity" Award.



Philip Bolton

President of Agio Press Inc. and Publisher of GlobalAtlanta

Philip Bolton founded the Agio Press Inc. in 1991 and started publishing a bi-monthly newsletter titled The Global Business Reporter. In 1995, Philip launched the GlobalAtlanta Web site and email newsletter. Since then, he has initiated the GlobalGeorgia and GlobalSavannah news services. He and his GlobalAtlanta team have ambitions to continue their work providing Atlanta with "locally international" news and serving as the city's premier source for information on international business. His specialties include Journalism and reporting, conference and event coverage, all aspects of international business in Atlanta and Georgia, networking among professionals, representing local and overseas culture and commerce. He was a Correspondent in Paris, France and Editorial Director of the Atlanta Office at Lafferty. He has written articles for Lafferty newsletters including Retail Banker International, Bank Marketing International, Financial Technology International, Management Consultant International, European Banker, Cards

International, the International Accounting Bulletin, Private Banker International, Bank Financial Management International, Electronic Payments International, etc. He was educated at the Johns Hopkins School of Advance Studies (SAIS), Bologna, the Johns Hopkins University - Paul H. Nitze School of Advanced International Studies (SAIS), the Columbia Teachers College Peace Corps Training, Williams College and Milton Academy. His Honors and Awards include recognition by Georgia Gov. Sonny Perdue as the individual winner of the Governor's International Award.



Colin Brady, OBE

President and CEO of Pinnacle Partners International, Inc.

Colin Brady is the President and CEO of Pinnacle Partners International, Inc., a management consultancy focused on serving the broad needs of small and start-up companies. Prior to founding PPIL, Mr. Brady spent 16 years in senior management and consulting roles for several global executive search firms. Earlier, he was a division president and corporate officer of Philips Industries, as well as CEO of Portals, Inc, and a board member of the UK parent company. Mr. Brady is the founder and Chairman-Emeritus of the International Leadership Council, a forum for the leaders of the 35 bilateral international chambers of commerce in Atlanta. He is a member of the Institute of Directors (IOD) in London, an organization devoted to promoting good corporate governance. He has lectured and published articles on leadership and global business issues and was an instructor in the Graduate School of Industrial Administration at Carnegie Mellon University. The New York Times and Business Week magazine have featured Mr. Brady as a technologically astute businessman. Colin Brady received his Bachelor of Science degree from Southern Methodist University in Dallas and earned his MBA from California State University at Fresno. Mr. Brady is one of only a handful of Americans inducted into an Order of Knighthood by Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II.



Karen Robinson Cope

Vice President Out-of-home Media, NanoLumens Inc.

Karen was the President and CEO of Prime Point Media, one of the largest alternative out of home advertising companies in the United States that was acquired by a publicly traded company in 2006. Before joining Prime Point, Karen was chairwoman, President and CEO of Enrev Corporation, a technology company that was sold in 2001. In 2000 she was honored as the Georgia Technology Woman of the Year and Wireless Weekly named her one of the top 20 Women in the wireless industry. She is a frequent speaker at both the regional and national level where she has spoken at MIT, Georgia Tech, Harvard and Emory Universities. She is

also a frequent judge, most recently at the Ernest and Young Entrepreneur of the Year.



Ken Cutshaw

EVP, General Counsel & Chief Compliance Officer, Church's and Texas Chicken

Kenneth A. Cutshaw serves as an Executive Vice President, Chief Legal Officer and Secretary of the Company. Cutshaw manages the legal affairs of Company and is responsible for global expansion of Church's and Texas Chicken. Cutshaw has professional experience in a wide spectrum of work experiences, including entrepreneurial ventures, management, foreign policy, law, business, government, academic and politics. He was formerly a partner with Holland & Knight, LLP, one of the larger law firms in the world. In the Restaurant Industry, Cutshaw was co-founder of casual dining restaurants, Cheers Funeatery, in Tennessee; founding partner of the Red, Hot & Blue restaurant chain and a founder of Let's Go Back, LLC, the first franchisee of the Flying Biscuit restaurants in Atlanta. He is active with the International Franchise Association and the National Restaurant Association. Cutshaw received a Master of Law International degree from American University (1987); a J.D. business law degree from The University of Tennessee (1978); a B.A. public administration degree from The University of Tennessee (1975). Cutshaw graduated from the Executive course at India Institute of Management Ahmedabad and Duke University for Global Leaders Management in 2007.



Grace Fricks

Founder, Access capital for Entrepreneurs

Fricks founded Access to Capital for Entrepreneurs (ACE) in 1997 and began the microlending service in 2000. She currently serves on the national Appalachian Capital Advisory Committee of the Appalachian Regional Commission (ARC) and is a member of the Advisory Board for Enterprise to Empower (En2Em), a Georgia Institute of Technology student-led organization. Fricks is a past member of the board of directors of the national trade association, Association for Enterprise Opportunity (AEO), and is past treasurer of Georgia Microenterprise Network (GMEN). Fricks, a small business owner for over 15 years, is a former board member of the National Association of Women Business Owners, Atlanta chapter. Other community work includes former Board of White County Rotary Club and former Trustee of the Board of North Georgia Technical College. Fricks was the 2005 recipient of the Founders Award for GMEN.



Kazi Huque

CEO, Grameen Intel Social Business

Plays diverse leadership roles in the application and commercialization of information technology. Experienced in software solutions, finance, strategic visioning and implementation. Specialties include strategic planning, financial controls, company startup, acquisition integration, recruiting and board of directors activities. Grameen Intel Social Business is a startup company providing technology solutions in the developing world for healthcare and commerce, with a focus on social impact.



Zeev Klein

Board Member at Digital Wish

General Partner at [Landmark Ventures](#)

Co-Founder & Director at Doing IT for Good

Zeev Klein is part of the founding team of Landmark Ventures and responsible for business development, investment banking and venture capital investments working with a portfolio of early-stage technology companies. Zeev gained experience working in the VC & Strategic Investment division of Chase Manhattan Bank (now JPMorgan), where he helped analyze and evaluate emerging technology companies. He was the co-founder of a successful Chicago-based technology services company during the late 1990's, and has since advised dozens of enterprise software, network infrastructure and digital media firms on their strategic development, operational and financial growth strategies. Zeev founded and is actively involved with Landmark's corporate philanthropy program, Doing IT for Good, that provides financial and operational grants to deserving technology-related nonprofit organizations such as Year Up, NPower and Digital Wish. He graduated with a BA in Economics from Northwestern University and received his MBA from NYU Stern School of Business.



C.N. (Madhu) Madhusudan

CEO VectorSpan Inc. and President of TiE Atlanta

C.N. (Madhu) Madhusudan is an accomplished executive with over 25 years experience in setting up, acquiring and operating

businesses in Europe, India and the United States. His expertise areas include launching new businesses, turnaround management, outsourcing, strategic investments, and acquisitions. As an early member of the team that built the NIIT Group in India, he held key roles including setting up NIIT Bangalore operations, turning around NIIT Mumbai (Bombay) operations, and establishing NIIT HR, IS and Corporate Planning functions. In 1991, he relocated to the United States to build the first overseas presence of NIIT for its software, training and knowledge process outsourcing businesses. He is the founder and CEO of VectorSpan Inc., an enterprise focused on enabling companies to plan their growth strategy, engineer inorganic growth and make integration and cross border transactions successful. He is a TIE mentor and past Chairman of the Board of the Georgia Indo-American Chamber of Commerce (GIACC). He studied at the St. Josephs College, Bangalore, and the Indian Institute of Management, Ahmedabad. His professional education includes Business Evaluation at the Harvard Business School.



Andrea T. Mills, MBA, CPA, CCSA®

Fiscal Management Associates, LLC

Andrea T. Mills is the Director of FMA, works with nonprofit organizations, individuals, and foundations to strengthen fiscal decision-making and improve effectiveness. She assists organizations in developing fiscal management tools, establishing appropriate fiscal policies and procedures, and advising on strategic decisions. She helps lead FMA's training initiatives in New York, Chicago, and across the country for executive directors, fiscal staff and board members of organizations and foundations. Andrea recently has been a presenter at the City of Chicago's Department of Family and Support Services Annual Fiscal Conference, and is a faculty member of Donors Forum of Chicago. Andrea came to FMA with over 15 years of public accounting experience with nonprofit organizations and start-up venture capital companies through her association with a regional accounting firm and as a supervisor in the Philadelphia office of Grant Thornton LLP. At FMA, she was named to partnership as a Director in 2006. In her volunteer work for the New York Chapter of Soroptimist International, the world's largest professional women's service organization, Andrea is a nongovernmental organization representative, providing reports to organization members on biweekly United Nations briefings that address economic development and human rights policies. She also serves on the Board of Directors of Unifem/USA, NY Metro Chapter and the Board of the Ireland/US Council. Andrea holds the Certification in Control Self-Assessment (CCSA®) awarded by The Institute of Internal Auditors to practitioners who are able to provide guidance on risk, controls and business objectives. She is a member of the American Institute of CPAs and The Institute of Internal Auditors, and is an adjunct professor at Columbia University's School of Continuing Education, where she lectures on accounting issues for nonprofit organizations. Andrea earned an MBA degree from Drexel University, and graduated magna cum laude with a BBA from Temple University.



Tamela G. Noboa

Chief of Strategy and New Business,

Discovery Channel Global Education Partnership

Tamela Noboa has worked with DCGEP for 12 of its 14 year history, playing a key role in the strategic growth and direction of the organization, which now reaches over 3 million people in 16 countries. Noboa has developed and managed partnerships among government, private and non-profit partners, and directed project implementation in Africa, Latin America and Eastern Europe. As

Chief of Strategy and New Business, she leads the organization's strategy and program design, and oversees global partnerships to further the organization's reach and impact. Discovery Channel Global Education Partnership (DCGEP) is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization using the power of media to transform education and improve lives in the developing world. Established by Discovery Communications in 1997, DCGEP brings quality educational content – created in collaboration with local communities – equipment, and long-term teacher training to under-resourced schools and communities around the world. <http://www.thepoweroftv.org>



Rajan Palaniswamy

Chairman & CEO, Virima Technologies

Palaniswamy "Raj" Rajan co-founded Virima Technologies and serves as the company's Chairman & CEO. With more than 15 years experience in the technology industry, Rajan has a deep understanding of current technologies and has the ability to articulate the application of these technologies in various business contexts and models. A highly versatile and proven entrepreneur, Rajan also founded Vigilar, Inc, a leading network security technology firm; eLaunchpad, LLC, an early stage venture capital firm/incubator focusing on Internet infrastructure and network security technologies; and Emerald Systems, a boutique technology consulting firm. During his tenure at Vigilar, he grew annual revenues to \$32M from 2000 to 2005, during the most difficult technology industry climate. Another previous success, financial aggregator VerticalOne was sold to S1 in 1999 in a deal valued at \$166 million. Rajan was instrumental in establishing the Atlanta CEO High Tech Council, where he serves as the Chairman of the Board of Directors, and he co-founded and serves on the Board of Directors of the Atlanta Chapter of The Indus Entrepreneurs (TIE). Rajan was honored as Georgia Trend's "40 Under 40" Rising Stars in 2000. He holds a Bachelor's degree in Computer Engineering and a Master's degree in Computer Science from the Florida Institute of Technology.



Kristin Peterson

Co-Founder and Chief Executive Officer of Inveneo

Kristin Peterson is the Co-Founder and Chief Executive Officer of Inveneo, a non-profit social enterprise focusing on Information and Communications Technologies (ICTs) in rural areas throughout the developing world. With more than 20 years of business and new market development experience, primarily from the technology and communications industries, Kristin has been responsible for strategy, partnership and support development since Inveneo's inception in 2004. She has led Inveneo's efforts to deliver education, healthcare, economic development and relief projects in Haiti and in 25 countries throughout Sub-Saharan Africa and South Asia, touching the lives of over 1,500,000 people with life-impacting ICTs.

Prior to Inveneo Kristin was VP of Marketing at an enterprise IP services technology start-up, and she founded Velocity Consulting, an organization that provided go-to-market guidance to a range of networking, wireless and VoIP tech start-ups. Before Velocity, she was Executive Director, Business Development at GoRemote through IPO. She has also held various roles in international product management and market development for AT&T. She has a B.S. in Civil Engineering from NMSU and an M.B.A. in International

Marketing from Pepperdine University. Kristin recently awarded the [2011 ITU World Telecommunication and Information Society Award](#) in recognition of her dedication to promoting ICTs as a means of providing a better life for humanity, particularly in rural communities. In 2007 She was named a CNN Principal Voice in Innovation and Technology. Through Inveneo she has been a featured speaker on ABC News, at the Clinton Global Initiative and Global Philanthropy Forum annual meetings, and for various UN and bilateral agencies, advocating on behalf of technology access in developing countries.



Fazlur Rahman, MD.

Founding Partner, West Texas Medical group

Fazlur Rahman, M.D., F.A.C.P. is an oncologist and a founding partner of West Texas Medical group. Dr. Rahman is a seasoned entrepreneur and is very passionate about social business ideas. He is certified by American Board of Internal Medicine, American Board of Hematology, and American Board of Medical Oncology. He received his M.B.B.S. (Bachelor of Medicine and Surgery) from Dhaka Medical College, Dhaka, Bangladesh, and did his internship at St. John's Hospital, Yonkers, NY. He completed his residency in Internal Medicine - Long Island Jewish Medical Center - Queens Hospital Center and Baylor College of Medicine, Houston and a fellowship in Hematology - Baylor College of Medicine, Houston. Dr. Rahman is a Fellow of American College of Physicians, American Society of Hematology, American Society of Oncology, and American Federation for Clinical Research. He is associated with San Angelo Community Medical Center and Shannon Medical Center. Dr. Rahman is trustee member of the Austin College and has published over 50 articles, essays, and columns in medical and non-medical journals and papers, including the New York Times and Wall Street Journal.



Kanchana Raman

President & CEO Avion Systems, Inc. and TiE Mentor

Kanchana Raman founded Avion Systems in 1996 in Atlanta, Georgia. Avion is a 600 people global company with offices in North America, South America, Asia. Avion Systems provides comprehensive next-generation broadband communication networks engineering services in 3G & 4G Cellular Networks. Kanchana has been featured in several magazines including most recently in the Fortune Magazine. Kanchana was selected to represent three US delegations, one to S. Africa in 2005, S. America in 2006, London in 2008. Kanchana chairs several board positions, the Georgia Women's Business Council and represents Georgia on the National Leadership forum for the Women Business Enterprise National Council (WBENC), the Women's Leadership Enterprise (WLE) to name a few. Kanchana is the recipient of the President's "A Shining Star" Award from the Georgia Women's Business Council 2004, Quiet Storm Technology Award at the 2005 Women's Power Caucus, National Woman of Color Award for

Entrepreneurial Business Woman of the Year 2006 from the CCG group, the "Business Star" Award in 2007 from Women Business Enterprise National Council. In 2008 Avion Systems was named the recipient of the NXTSolution Award at the NXTcomm08 Conference, the most significant telecommunications industry gathering in the world. In 2010, Kanchana has been selected by AT&T to be part of a 30 member AT&T Women Entrepreneurs' Forum. Kanchana has a MBA from Emory University.



Sandhya C. Rao

Senior Advisor for Private Sector Partnerships at USAID

Sandhya works in the Bureau for Global Health at the US Agency for International Development. Over the past 17 years, she has advised governments, NGOs and corporate foundations on the design, management and evaluation of humanitarian aid programs. Sandhya has devoted much of her career to improving the lives of girls and women around the world, working with organizations such as Marie Stopes International, Nike Foundation and the International Center for Research on Women. In her spare time, she advises social entrepreneurs in India and is a reading judge for the William James Foundation Social Business Plan Competition. Sandhya has lived and worked in over 20 countries and speaks Spanish, Italian and Kannada. Her specialties include: public health, sustainable development, corporate social responsibility, public-private partnerships, market-based health and development approaches, program evaluation, research, strategic planning, management consulting, and business development.



Kenneth Shumard

President & CEO, Precision Practice Management, Inc.

Ken, serves as the Chief Executive Officer and President of Atlanta at Precision Practice Management, Inc. Mr. Shumard Co-founded Medical Doctor Associates Inc.(MDA) in 1987 and served as its Chief Executive Officer since 1987. He co-founded MDA. Mr. Shumard also served as Chairman of Medical Doctor Associates Inc. He serves on the Boards of community and national organizations and is active in his church. He graduated from Lipscomb University with a degree in Accounting in 1965.



Narayan Sundararajan

CTO, Grameen-Intel Social Business, Intel Corporation

Narayan Sundararajan is the Chief Technology Officer (CTO) of the Grameen Intel Social Business. He oversees technology and product development as well as strategy for the company with sustainability and social impact as the key drivers. He is also a core member of the emerging markets healthcare team in the World Ahead Program at Intel. Prior to this, Narayan has traversed various technical, business and management roles at Intel working in diverse groups such as the New Business Initiatives (NBI), Digital Health Group (DHeG) and Corporate Technology Group (CTG). Educated at the Indian Institute of Technology (B.Tech) and Cornell (M.S, PhD), he holds 17 patents issued, with 50 pending and has co-authored a book titled "Micro fabrication for Micro fluidics" published by Artech Publishers. Narayan is also a freelance documentary and film-maker.



Eileen Sweeney

Senior Director of Motorola Giving and Philanthropic Relations, Motorola Inc.

Eileen is heading up a \$20-30M annual global Giving budget that includes Motorola Foundation grants and corporate contributions. Her responsibilities include driving corporate strategy for Motorola's community relations, participating in Motorola's corporate social responsibility steering committee, leading employee volunteerism and disaster relief efforts. Her specialties include Building global corporate philanthropic programs, Launching corporate employee volunteer programs and creating "Days of Service", and creating highly focused grants programming, especially on education themes.

Judges from Yunus Competition Alabama included:

Johnny Ford Mayor City of Tuskegee [World Conference of Mayors Inc](https://theworldconferenceofmayors.org/) <https://theworldconferenceofmayors.org/>

Chris Macrae [Norman Macrae Foundation](#)

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