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John Bessolo

John Bessolo spent the first several years of his career with the Los Angeles office of Price Waterhouse where he became a CPA. From 1985-1993 he worked for Ernst & Young where he was a member of the Entrepreneurial Services Group and a co-director of the Personal Financial Counseling Specialty Group for the Los Angeles area offices. Prior to founding Bessolo Haworth & Vogel LLP, he spent 15 years as a partner at a Los Angeles firm of approximately 120 people. His clients draw on his more than 30 years of experience in financial planning, estate planning and taxation, income taxation and wealth management services. In August 2007, he was recognized by The San Fernando Valley Business Journal as one of the TOP 25 CPA's in the San Fernando Valley. A sought after resource in personal financial planning, Mr. Bessolo has given numerous presentations and has written articles dealing with estate planning concepts and issues affecting owners of privately held businesses.

Mr. Bessolo received his Bachelor's degree in Accounting from the University of Southern California and his Master's degree in Taxation from Golden Gate University. He is a member of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants and the California Society of Certified Public Accountants. He holds the Personal Financial Specialist (PFS) designation from the AICPA and is a Registered Investment Advisor Representative. Mr. Bessolo is also a licensed life insurance agent.



Thomas J. Condon

Before his retirement in 2003, Tom Condon worked in the securities industry for 42 years. The last 24 years were spent at Provident Investment Counsel as Managing Director.

Tom is presently active in several philanthropic organizations and serves on a number of boards. He is a member of the Order of Malta, Western Association, where he serves as Executive Vice President of the Southwest region and as President of the Los Angeles area. Tom is a member of the Board of Trustees of Mayfield Senior School, Chaminade College Preparatory, the University of Southern California Catholic Center and the Advisory Board of Professional Business Bank. He is also involved in the Archdiocese of Los Angeles, serving as Chair of the Cardinal's Awards Dinner committee, the Catholic Education Foundation Legacy committee and on the Mausoleum committee, as well as the Holy Family Parish Finance Council.

Tom earned a Bachelor of Science degree in economics in 1963 from California State University at Los Angeles.



Dominic F. Doyle

Dominic F. Doyle is an associate professor of theology at Boston College's School of Theology and Ministry. A graduate of the University of Cambridge and Harvard Divinity School, he received his doctorate in systematic theology from Boston College. His writing has appeared in *Theological Studies*, *Gregorianum*, *Irish Theological Quarterly*, and *Studies*

in Spirituality. His theological interests include theology of culture, doctrine of God, and theological anthropology.

Dominic has received a number of awards, including a John Templeton Award for Theological Promise, the Catholic Theological Society of America's Catherine LaCugna Award to New Scholars, and an Analytic Theology Course Award from the University of Notre Dame's Center for Philosophy and Religion. He has also participated in the Institute for Advanced Catholic Studies' Generation in Dialogue Program with Bernard McGinn and in a Wabash Center Workshop on Teaching and Learning. He is presently working on a book on the relationship between positive psychology and the theological virtues. A native of the United Kingdom, he lives in Boston with his wife, Tracy.



Daniel Finn

Daniel Finn is Professor of Theology and the William E. and Virginia Clemens Professor of Economics and the Liberal Arts at St. John's University in Collegeville, Minnesota. He is a past-president of the Catholic Theological Society of America, the Society of Christian Ethics, and the Association for Social Economics.

Daniel is the director of the Institute's True Wealth of Nations research project. He is working on a project, supported by the Institute, to engage the Catholic Church in Latin America to work with civil society organizations to confront government corruption. He has provided leadership on affordable housing in the five-city St. Cloud, Minnesota, area for the Great River Interfaith Partnership, a faith-based community organization.

He has received the Monica Hellwig Award for Outstanding Contributions to Catholic Intellectual Life from the Association of Catholic Colleges and Universities, the Thomas F. Divine Award for Lifetime Contributions to Social Economics and the Social Economy from the Association for Social Economics, and the Robert L. Spaeth Teacher of Distinction Award from Saint John's University.

His most recent books are *The True Wealth of Nations: Catholic Social Thought and Economic Life* (Oxford), *The Moral Ecology of Markets: Assessing Claims about Markets and Justice* (Cambridge), and *Just Trading: On the Ethics and Economics of International Trade* (Abingdon). He earned the B.S. from St. John Fisher College and the M.A. and Ph.D. from the University of Chicago.



Ellen M. Hancock

Ellen M. Hancock is currently the Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Institute for Advanced Catholic Studies, and Chairman of the Board of Trustees of Marist College.

Hancock serves on the board of directors of Aetna and Colgate. She is a member of the Council on Foreign Relations and serves on the board of the Pacific Council for International Policy. Hancock is a member of the Rand Corporation Infrastructure, Safety, and Environment Advisory Board.

She served as President & COO of Acquicor Technology Inc. and is former Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of Exodus Communications, a leader in complex Internet hosting and managed services. Hancock was with IBM for 29 years, serving in various staff and line executive positions. She was appointed an IBM vice president in 1985 and senior vice president in 1992. Her last position was as senior vice president and group executive, responsible for the networking hardware division, the networking software division, and the software solutions division. She was also a member of the IBM Corporate Executive Committee and the IBM Worldwide Management Council.

Following IBM, Hancock joined National Semiconductor in September 1995 as an executive vice president and chief operating officer in the office of the president reporting to the CEO. Hancock was responsible for the company's technology, applications, and product development.

Hancock also served with Apple Computer in 1996 as executive vice president, R&D and chief technology officer. She was responsible for research, quality and assurance, OS development, multimedia and networking software development, as well as overall technical strategy.



J. Bryan Hehir

Bryan Hehir is the Parker Gilbert Montgomery Professor of the Practice of Religion and Public Life at the Kennedy School of Government at Harvard University. He is also the Secretary for Social Services in the Archdiocese of Boston.

Prior to assuming these positions, Father Hehir served as President and CEO of Catholic Charities USA, the national network of Charities in the United States, from 2001-2003. From 1973-1992, he served on the staff of the U.S. Catholic Conference of Bishops in Washington, D.C., addressing issues of both foreign and domestic policy for the church in the United States. From 1984-1992, he served on the faculty at Georgetown University in the School of Foreign Service and the Kennedy Institute of Ethics. From 1993-2001, he served on the Harvard Divinity School faculty as Professor of the Practice in Religion and Society. From 1998-2001 he served as Interim Dean and Dean of the Divinity School.

Father Hehir took his A.B. and Master of Divinity degrees at St. John's Seminary and his Doctor of Theology at Harvard Divinity School. His research and writing focus on issues of ethics and foreign policy, Catholic social ethics and the role of religion in world politics and in American society.

He is a member of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences, the American Philosophical Society and the Council on Foreign Relations. He serves on the Board of the Arms Control Association, the Global Development Committee and the Independent Sector. He was named a MacArthur Fellow in 1984.

Publications include: *The Moral Measurement of War: A Tradition of Continuity and Change*; *Military Intervention and National Sovereignty*; *Catholicism and Democracy*; *Social Values and Public Policy: A Contribution from a Religious Tradition*; and *The Moral Dimension in the Use of Force*.



Rev. Dennis H. Holtschneider, C.M.

The Rev. Dennis H. Holtschneider, C.M., is president of DePaul University, the nation's largest Catholic university and the largest private university in the Midwest, and chairman of Ascension, the nation's largest Catholic and non-profit health system.

He also serves on the boards of the American Council on Education (ACE), the Chicago History Museum and the steering committee of the Illinois Business Immigration Coalition. Fr. Holtschneider became DePaul's 11th president on July 1, 2004 and oversees a \$550 million budget, 23,539 students and 924 full-time faculty on four Chicago and suburban campuses. He has led DePaul through two successful strategic plans. The current plan, "Vision 2018: Dedication to Excellence, Commitment to Community, was launched in September 2013 and is designed to enhance academic quality and educational innovation, deepen connections to the global city of Chicago, strengthen DePaul's Catholic and Vincentian identity, foster diversity and inclusion and ensure the university's financial strength.



Alan Kreditor

Alan Kreditor became the University of Southern California's senior vice president for university advancement in 1992. As one of five senior vice presidents at the university, Kreditor directed USC's relations with the philanthropic and volunteer communities, including prominent individual supporters, charitable foundations, corporate donors and alumni until his formal retirement in June, 2008.

During his tenure as senior vice president, Kreditor spearheaded the most ambitious fund-raising effort in USC's history, the Building on Excellence campaign, which established an initial goal of \$1 billion. By the end in 2002, the campaign raised \$2.9 billion, making it, at the time, the most successful campaign in the history of higher education. In his sixteen year tenure as senior vice president, the university raised more than \$5.5 billion in gifts and pledges.

A major focus of Kreditor's vice presidency has been the strengthening and expansion of the university's alumni relations. Under his direction, the USC annual alumni giving rate has nearly quadrupled. Kreditor established an office of international development and alumni relations to solidify USC's educational partnerships, particularly in the Pacific Rim. He has personally led many delegations to Asia to meet with educators, alumni and friends of the university.

An expert on real estate, urban planning and design, Kreditor was founding dean of the USC School of Urban Planning and Development before his appointment to the senior vice presidency. Established in 1974, the School of Urban Planning and Development was the first independent school of its kind in the nation.

Kreditor was instrumental in establishing the school's Lusk Center for Real Estate in 1988. The Lusk Center helps developers, lenders, real estate attorneys, accountants, designers and others associated with real estate development, investment and management to join with university faculty, students and staff in promoting real estate as a field of study and a professional discipline. Kreditor was executive director of the center and held the Lusk Chair in Planning and Development for a number of years.

Although he was raised in the Northeast and graduated from the University of Pennsylvania, Kreditor has devoted most of his professional life to Southern California. He is prominent in civic affairs and served as chairman of the California Building Industry Foundation and the Los Angeles Urban Design Advisory Committee.

He has served on a number of national and international boards and commissions and, over the years, has advised corporation, foreign governments, international organizations and other universities. He has been a member of advisory committees for the National Science Foundation, the National Institutes of Health and the Urban Mass Transit Administration. He has also served in a number of committees of the Urban Land Institute, American Planning Association, the Association of Collegiate Schools of Planning, and the American Institute of Architects.

He is former vice president of the International Association of Urban and Regional Research and Education, a Paris-based organization supported by UNESCO, and was founding member of the board of the Pacific Rim Council on Urban Development. He has worked in Ireland, Mexico, Venezuela, Taiwan, France and the Middle East. Kreditor joined the USC faculty in 1966 and continues to hold a faculty position as professor of planning and development. Kreditor lives in San Marino, California, with his wife, Marcia, an alumna of USC.



Julie McAndrews Mork

Julie McAndrews Mork is Managing Director of the ECA Foundation, a private, corporate foundation based in Denver with a focus on youth and education. She has been a Director of Energy Corporation of America since 1993. Mrs. Mork served as a founder and Secretary/Treasurer of Pacific States Gas & Oil, Inc., and Eastern American Energy Corporation. From 1989 to 1991, she was Eastern's Community Relations and Human Resources Director.

Mrs. Mork received a B. A. in History from the University of California in Los Angeles in 1972. She also holds a Certificate in Real Estate Paralegal Training. Mrs. Mork has volunteered her time to several organizations including the Anchor Center for Blind Children where she currently serves as a member of the Advisory Board and is a past President of the Board of Directors. She also served as a member of the Cherry Creek Schools Foundation for six years. In October 2004, Mrs. Mork was elected to the National Board of College Summit, an organization dedicated to increasing the college enrollment rate of low-income students in America.

Mrs. Mork is married to John Mork, CEO of Energy Corporation of America and has two grown children, Kyle, a resident of Charleston, West Virginia and Alison, a resident of Marina del Rey, California.



Michael Moreland

Professor Moreland received his BA in philosophy from the University of Notre Dame, his MA and PhD in theological ethics from Boston College, and his JD from the University of Michigan Law School. Following law school, Professor Moreland clerked for the Honorable Paul J. Kelly, Jr., of the United States Court of Appeals for the Tenth Circuit and was an associate at Williams & Connolly LLP in Washington, DC, where he represented clients in First Amendment, professional liability, and products liability matters. Before coming to Villanova, he served as Associate Director for Domestic Policy at the White House under President George W. Bush, where he worked on a range of legal policy issues, including criminal justice, immigration, civil rights, and liability reform.

He is now Professor of Law at Villanova, where he served as Vice Dean to the Law School.

Professor Moreland also served as the project leader for The Libertas Project, a program from 2013 to 2015 at Villanova sponsored by a grant from the John Templeton Foundation exploring religious and economic freedom in the context of law and religion in American public life.



Peter Mullin is Chairman of MullinTBG, the nation's largest independent executive benefits services and solutions provider. Prior to the formation of MullinTBG in 2006, Peter served as Chairman of Mullin Consulting, Inc., a leading nonqualified benefits firm he founded in Los Angeles in 1969. He is also co-founder and Chairman of the Board of M Financial Holding Company, whose M Financial Group network of independent firms serves the financial and life insurance needs of corporations, executives and affluent individuals. MullinTBG is the largest member of M Financial Group.

Peter has consulted on executive compensation and benefit issues for more than 30 years for public and privately held firms across a variety of industries, including many Fortune 500 companies. He has written numerous articles on executive compensation and benefit planning. Peter is involved in the Archdiocese of Los Angeles, serving on the Board of Trustees and the Executive Committee of the Education Foundation.



Patrick Pascal

Patrick Pascal is president of Chelsea Management Co. in Los Angeles, California. In addition to serving on the Institute's board, Mr. Pascal also serves on the Advisory Board for the USC Caruso Catholic Center, and serves as chairman for St. Anne's, the only social service agency in Los Angeles that specializes in serving the needs of at-risk pregnant and parenting young women and children. He sits on the board of the Los Angeles County Bicycle Coalition.

Born in Ireland, Mr. Pascal moved to Los Angeles as a child. He earned a bachelor's of arts from the USC Dornsife College of Letters, Arts & Sciences and he remains keenly interested in 20th century California history and architectural preservation.

He and his wife Julie Hollinger Pascal have two children – Eamonn, who earned a degree in computer engineering at Santa Clara University in 2009, and Angela, who is earned a degree in film from the University of Oregon and currently works as a producer at the RPA Agency.



Brother Bernard Ploeger, SM, Ph.D.

Brother Bernard Ploeger, SM, Ph.D. officially accepted the position of president for Chaminade University on March 19, 2009, after a unanimous vote by the university's board of regents and a national search.

Considered the chief architect of Chaminade's strategic plan for 2008-2013, Ploeger played an integral part of the *Transformations* overall campaign, which successfully raised \$66.5 million during the presidency of Dr. Sue Wesselkamper.

Ploeger was also very involved with the successful completion of the university's WASC review with commendations this year. Ploeger and Wesselkamper were close colleagues, working in tandem to revive and revitalize Chaminade, propelling it along a growth trend that continues at present.

Since his arrival in 2001, Ploeger served the university as its executive vice president and provost at the invitation of Wesselkamper. During her illness, he stepped up to the plate as Chaminade's interim president twice: first in 2005 when Wesselkamper was initially diagnosed with cancer until her return and later in the fall 2008. As provost and executive vice president, Ploeger worked intensively with deans and divisional faculty to strengthen the quality of Chaminade's curriculum and increase its currency and relevance for students. He has promoted academic excellence and scholarship.

Previously, Ploeger served at the University Of Dayton as its vice president for administration/ senior vice president for administration from 1986 to 2001 before accepting Wesselkamper's invitation to Chaminade. Before coming to Chaminade, he was the vice president for administration/ senior vice president for administration for the University of Dayton from 1986 to 2001. He concurrently served on the Provincial Council as a councilor.

Ploeger received his doctorate from The Ohio State University – Columbus, Ohio in 1975. He also received his M.S. degree in 1973 from The Ohio State University and was an N.D.E.A. Fellow there from 1971-74. He received his B.S. degree in 1971 (summa cum laude) from the University of Dayton.

A Marianist, Bro. Ploeger took first vows in the Society of Mary (Marianists) in 1967.



Maureen A. Shea

As CEO and Co-founder of Right Management - Florida/Caribbean Region, Maureen Shea drives Right's growth in diverse talent management and career management services for privately and publicly owned companies throughout Florida and the Caribbean Region. Previously, she served as Chief Financial Officer since 1986.

As a strategic resource, Maureen makes it her mission to "Guide and Inspire" her team and colleagues region wide. Recognized for helping shape and support South Florida's HR profession, she is a past president of the Human Resource Association of Broward County and was inducted into its Hall of Fame in 2009.

Maureen was honored with the Enterprising Women of the Year Award, Leadership Broward's Profiles In Leadership Award, Florida Diversity Council's Glass Ceiling Award, and has received South Florida Business Journal's CFO of the Year award. Recognizing her community leadership, the National Conference of Community and Justice presented her with its Silver Medallion Award, and she was inducted into Junior Achievement's South Florida's Business Hall of Fame. Right Management - Florida/Caribbean was named 2013's Socially Responsible Corporation of the Year by the Casimiro Global Foundation.

Maureen has served on the Board of Trustees and the Finance committee for Holy Cross Hospital. She is a Leadership Broward Foundation alumna and a member of the Board of Trustees for St. Thomas University. She has served on the finance committee of United Way of Broward and is currently serving as Vice Chair for the American Heart Association's Executive Heart Walk Challenge.

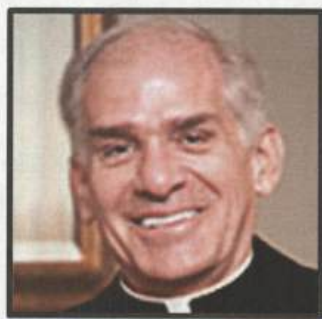
A prominent insurance and HR executive before joining Right Management, Maureen was director of Recruiting for Mass Mutual Life Insurance Company and Lincoln National Life. Among many honors, while at Lincoln National Life she earned the "Recruiter of the Year" Award as the top recruiter in the nation. Her undergraduate degree is from Kean College in New Jersey.



Robert Smith

Bob Smith completed a 31-year career as the Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer of Security Pacific Corporation until its merger with Bank of America in 1992. Following the merger, he served as president, Chief Operating Officer and as a member of the Board of Directors of Bank of America and later as a principal of Smith & Crowley, a California investment-banking firm. Until recently, he also served as founding director of Commerce National Bank in Newport Beach. He is a graduate of the University of Southern California Sol Price School of Public Policy ('57) and holds a law degree from Van Norman University ('66).

He is the author of five books, *Walking, Bye Bye Banks, Boardroom Confidential, The Changed Face of Banking* and most recently *Confession of a Catholic Convert*. He has served on the boards of both University of Southern California (now as a Life Trustee) and Santa Clara University since 1988.



Fr. Martin Solma, SM

Fr. Martin Solma, SM, has served as provincial of the Marianist Province of the United States since July 1, 2010.

Fr. Martin's ministry experiences have taken him from Kalamazoo to Kenya. He began his career teaching religious education and English at Msgr. John Hackett High School in Kalamazoo, Mich. (1971-1975) and Purcell Marian High School in Cincinnati (1979-1982).

In 1982, Fr. Martin began more than 25 years of ministry in Eastern Africa. He first served as assistant novice director at the Marianist novitiate in Ekpoma, Nigeria, and became director of the Marianist novitiate in Nairobi, Kenya, in 1985.

Fr. Martin was appointed regional superior for Eastern Africa in 1992, a position he held until 1998. He served five years (1999-2004) as director of the Marianist scholasticate in Nairobi before being appointed to a three-year term as district superior of Eastern Africa in 2004. Fr. Martin served as manager of Our Lady of Nazareth Primary School in Nairobi where he was actively involved in the school's development for more than 13 years. OLN is a school for 1,900 children from the Mukuru kwa Njenga slums in Nairobi.

Fr. Martin was born in Cleveland, where he met the Marianists while attending St. Joseph High School. Upon graduation in 1966, Fr. Martin entered the Marianist novitiate at Marcy, N.Y. He professed first vows in 1967 at Marcy and perpetual vows in 1973 at Mount Saint John in Dayton. Fr. Martin was ordained in 1978 in Dayton.

He received a bachelor's degree in philosophy and English in 1971 from the University of Dayton and a master's degree in religious education in 1975 from Boston College. In 1979, Fr. Martin received a master of divinity degree from the University of St. Michael's College in Toronto.



Peter Steinfels

Peter Steinfels is an author, religion columnist for *The New York Times*, University Professor at Fordham University in New York City, and Co-Director of the Fordham Center on Religion and Culture.

His best-selling book, *A People Adrift: The Crisis of the Roman Catholic Church in America* (Simon & Schuster, 2003) is now in paperback. After serving from 1988 to 1997 as senior religion correspondent of *The New York Times*, he continues to write "Beliefs," a biweekly column on religion and ethics, for *The Times*. In the past, he has served as an editor of *Commonweal*, the independent journal published by Catholic lay people, and *The Hastings Center Report*, the leading journal of medical and scientific ethics.

A graduate of Loyola University in Chicago with a Ph.D. in history from Columbia University, he has been a visiting professor of history (1997-2001) at Georgetown University, of American studies (1994-95) at the University of Notre Dame, and of religious studies (2005) at the University of Dayton.

He has written on topics ranging from international affairs to church history and medical ethics; has contributed essays to twenty books; and published "The Neoconservatives," a pioneering analysis of a major political current, in 1979.

In 2003, he and his wife, Margaret O'Brien Steinfels, who served for fifteen years as editor of *Commonweal* and co-directs the Fordham Center, were the recipients of the Laetare Medal for service to the church and society from the University of Notre Dame. They have received similar awards from the University of Dayton and Loyola University in Chicago. They have two grown children and two grandchildren.