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Sallie Bailey

ALI Fellow

Sallie Bailey brings to ALI senior finance leadership experience within publicly traded companies, most recently serving as executive vice president and CFO of building products manufacturer Louisiana-Pacific Corp. Previously, she led the finance function at materials manufacturers Ferro Corp., and The Timken Company and currently serves on the boards of L3Harris, NVR, and Azek Building Products.

Sallie is a board member of the Dan & Margaret Maddox Fund, which supports education, marginalized youth, and wildlife conservation programs in Middle Tennessee, and of the YWCA of Nashville and Middle Tennessee. A co-chair of the Tennessee chapter of Women Corporate Directors and member of the Wellesley College Business Leadership Council, she also served as treasurer and on the board of Girl Scouts of Middle Tennessee.



Diane Ballweg

ALI Fellow

Diane Ballweg brings to ALI widely recognized civic engagement and nonprofit leadership in her home community of Madison, Wisconsin, serving on the boards of Madison's Youth Arts Center, Symphony Orchestra, and Community Foundation. She is also a member of The Kennedy Center's National Committee for the Performing Arts in Washington, D.C., past chair of the Community Foundation Board and the Madison Children's Museum Board, and on the University of Wisconsin School of Music Board.

As owner of Endres Manufacturing, a fourth-generation steel manufacturer and fabricator just outside of Madison, Diane serves as the president of the company's charitable foundation. A long-time teacher, she has taught music and led special education programs at the elementary level and, as an avid pilot, has founded, and for the past 20 years instructed, a high school aviation program in Madison.



Corinne Basler

ALI Fellow

Corinne Basler brings to ALI a distinguished record of advancing children's welfare, serving as the board chair of the Perkins School for the Blind, the past vice chair of Boston Children's Hospital Trust, and past board member of Cradles to Crayons. She is an overseer of the Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum and council member for Massachusetts General Hospital's Department of Medicine.

Corinne was part of the ownership group that led the Boston Celtics to a record 18th National Basketball Association Championship, and rebranded and relaunched the team's charity and community engagement through the Shamrock Foundation and the Celtics Women's Group. Previously, she was the youngest vice president at Saatchi & Saatchi, the world's largest advertising agency.



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Ragu Bharadwaj

ALI Partner

Ragu Bharadwaj brings to ALI systems thinking, innovation, and research experience. He is currently a consultant helping global clients solve problems at the intersection of business and math using inter-disciplinary systems thinking, computer science, crowd-sourcing, and data science. His industry focus includes ag-tech, pharmaceutical, food, networking and energy. Previously, Ragu was a research scientist working on supply chain planning and molecular modeling for drug discovery at Vertex Pharmaceuticals; prior to Vertex, Ragu worked at Daylight Chemical Information Systems, where he helped develop languages and tools to search and store molecules digitally.

Ragu joins his wife, ALI Fellow Deepa Krishnamurthy, as an Advanced Leadership Initiative Partner.



Sally Bloomberg

ALI Partner

Sally Bloomberg brings to ALI experience in strategic planning, organizational change management, coaching, and product development. Early in her career, Sally developed and launched electronic mail services years before email was a part of everyday life. Most recently she worked at MITRE Corporation, a nonprofit that manages federally funded research and development centers supporting several U.S. government agencies, where she helped government clients undertake transformation and address the human side of change; she also provided coaching to individuals and teams. She is a founding board member of Compass, a provider of pro bono consulting services to nonprofits.

Sally joins her husband, ALI Fellow David Hindin, as an Advanced Leadership Initiative Partner.



Judith Brown Clarke

ALI Fellow

Dr. Judi Brown Clarke brings to ALI a portfolio of multi-sector leadership experiences. The chief diversity officer and vice president of equity and inclusion at Stony Brook University, she previously served as diversity director of a five-member bio-computational evolution research consortium housed at Michigan State University and funded by the National Science Foundation. Judi was elected to and served four years on the Lansing, Michigan City Council, holding the roles of council vice president and president during her tenure. Earlier, she served as a child protective services investigator in Michigan's Department of Human Services, following a decorated track career which saw her earn an Olympic silver medal, multiple Pan Am gold medals, a world record, and an NCAA championship.



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Martin Bussmann

ALI Fellow

Martin Bussmann brings to ALI global fiduciary experience and board leadership experience. He has served as trustee of the Mannheim Trust, a single-family office, and as managing director of Mannheim LLC, overseeing its portfolio investments, including Springer Publishing LLC, and Rhodanie Investment AG. Martin is a board member of Paramount Group, Inc., and began his career at BASF and Abbott Laboratories.

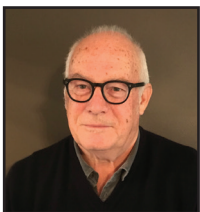
A German native, Martin is president of the Ladenburg Foundation. He also serves on several cross-cultural boards, including the American Council on Germany and Heidelberg University's Center for American Studies. Martin is managing board member of the Friedrich Engelhorn Archiv e.V.



James Carras

ALI Fellow

Jim Carras brings to ALI urban policy and community and economic development expertise. Through his firm, Carras Community Investment, he facilitated the creation and expansion of over fifty community development corporations and development financial institutions and authored numerous affordable housing studies and revitalization plans. A recognized national expert on development finance, Jim was the founding executive director of the National Association of Affordable Housing Lenders, the founding president of the Broward Housing Partnership and the South Florida Community Land Trust, chair of the Broward Housing Council, and the executive director of the Massachusetts Urban Reinvestment Advisory Group. He has also taught graduate level courses for the last thirty years, most recently at Harvard's Kennedy School of Government.



John Carroll

ALI Fellow

John Carroll brings to ALI senior legal expertise from his roles as partner in the international law firms Skadden Arps Slate Meagher & Flom and Clifford Chance; at Clifford Chance, he was partner-in-charge of the Americas and a member of the firm's global executive committee. Earlier, as assistant U.S. attorney for the Southern District of New York, he served as chief of the Securities and Commodities Task Force.

John is the president of The Legal Aid Society, the largest, most influential social justice law firm in New York City, where he works with the Society's senior management on operational issues, finance and development, diversity and culture, and recruiting the organization's next generation of leaders.



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David Cifrino

ALI Fellow

David Cifrino brings to ALI significant legal experience in corporate governance and securities law. He was partner, founder, and co-chair of the public companies practice and pro bono committee member at the international law firm McDermott Will & Emery. Earlier, David held several positions in broadcast journalism, most notably as producer and manager of the Boston bureau of CBS News.

David is a trustee and past chairman of the nominating and corporate governance committees of The Carroll Center for the Blind, one of the world's preeminent blindness rehabilitation centers. He also served as the president of the Eastern New England chapter of the Society for Corporate Governance, a nonprofit network of corporate secretaries and general counsel promoting responsible governance at public, private, and nonprofit organizations.



Brooke Coburn

ALI Fellow

Brooke Coburn brings to ALI high-growth entrepreneurial experience in multinational private equity, currently serving on the management committee of The Carlyle Group, one of the world's largest private equity firms. He also serves as deputy chief investment officer of the firm's real assets segment and was a founding member of its U.S. middle market buyout, growth capital, and renewable energy businesses.

Brooke serves as a trustee of the Washington National Cathedral, chairman of the investment committee at the Protestant Episcopal Cathedral foundation, trustee of the Institute for Citizens and Scholars, and trustee of National Public Radio station WMVY. He is an active supporter of efforts seeking to tackle pressing issues around economic disenfranchisement and education system deficiencies.



Kathleen Cox

ALI Fellow

Kathleen Cox brings to ALI experience leading change at some of the country's most recognized institutions. She served as executive director and chief operating officer of Washington National Cathedral, the second largest cathedral in the U.S., and led the organization through a global recession, a physical repair of the cathedral, and a scaling of programming around collective action by faith groups.

Previously, Kathleen worked at The Corporation for Public Broadcasting, where she served successively as general counsel, chief operating officer, and, ultimately, president and chief executive officer. In this role, she provided national leadership to PBS, NPR, and more than 1,000 public radio and television stations across the country during a time of media and technology transformation.



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Michelle deSilva

ALI Partner

Michelle deSilva brings to ALI deep community and nonprofit leadership. She has worked with the St. Louis and Kansas City Community Foundations to develop donor assets under management and marketing. She serves as an ambassador for the Global Lyme Alliance, and held many board roles, including St. Louis Children's Hospital, St. Louis Public Radio, Truman Medical Centers Charitable Foundation, and the Starlight Theatre in Kansas City, among others. Michelle focused on investments and wealth management at Thomson Reuters and Fidelity Investments previously in her career.

Michelle joins her husband, ALI Fellow Peter deSilva, as an Advanced Leadership Initiative Partner.



Peter deSilva

ALI Fellow

Peter deSilva brings to ALI C-level experience leading retail finance business, as well as deep nonprofit board leadership. Most recently he served as president of the retail business at TD Ameritrade and earlier was president of Scottrade Financial Services, chairman & CEO of UMB Financial Corp., and senior vice president and general manager of the retail and brokerage businesses at Fidelity Investments.

Peter's many civic engagements include service as a trustee of The National WWI Museum and Memorial, the St. Louis Regional Business Council, the Robert W. Plaster Foundation, and MRI Global. He previously chaired the Greater Kansas City Chamber of Commerce, chaired major fundraising campaigns for the YMCA and United Way in Kansas City, and was a trustee of Park University.



Haifa Dia Al-Attia

ALI Fellow

Haifa Dia Al-Attia brings to ALI deep experience increasing access to and reinventing education in her native Jordan and across the Arab world. Most recently, she led expansion of Luminus Education, a technical education and vocational training provider, and was CEO of its blended learning initiative. Haifa was active in formulating education policy in Jordan and was founding CEO of the Queen Rania Foundation for Education and Development, an umbrella organization for eight independent NGOs introducing the first nonprofit MOOC platform in the Arab world with over 2 million learners. She serves on the steering committee of the Paris Peace Forum and panel of experts of Aurora Prize. She served on Jordan's National Committee for Human Resources Development Strategy, and chaired both the Jordan Education Initiative and Queen Rania Teacher Academy.



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Carla Dirlikov Canales

ALI Fellow

Carla Dirlikov Canales brings to ALI global experience bridging cultures through performing arts. She is an internationally renowned mezzo-soprano opera singer, best known for her portrayals of Bizet's "Carmen," which she has performed nearly 100 times in more than 12 countries. A social advocate and cultural entrepreneur, Carla is the founder of The Canales Project, an arts advocacy organization that uses performance and music to address issues and promote conversation about cultural exchange and identity worldwide. She served as co-creator, CEO, and artistic director of programming for the CultureSummit, a forum held in Abu Dhabi to convene arts and policy leaders from around the world on issues of cultural diplomacy, and is also a long-time arts envoy for the U.S. Department of State.



James Terry Edmonds

ALI Fellow

Terry Edmonds brings to ALI expertise in nearly every aspect of communications and public affairs. Most notably, he served as the chief speechwriter for President Bill Clinton, becoming the first African American to ever hold this title. He was responsible for the president's final State of the Union address and all domestic policy speeches, touching on issues of education, race relations, welfare, and health care reform. Terry most recently served as chief speechwriter for the New York State's Attorney General and previously served in the Obama administration as chief speechwriter for both NASA's Administrator and the CEO of the Corporation for National & Community Service; he has also written for top executives at IBM, Columbia University, Time Warner, AARP, and the National Urban League.



Carladenise Edwards

ALI Fellow

Dr. Carladenise Edwards brings to ALI executive-level experience in healthcare innovation and at the intersection of healthcare and technology. She is the senior vice president and chief strategy officer of Henry Ford Health System; she previously served as executive vice president and chief strategy officer for Providence St. Joseph Health and chief strategy officer for Alameda Health System in Oakland, California. Carladenise was founding CEO of the nonprofit which governed California's electronic Health Information Exchange and held technology leadership roles in Georgia's Department of Community Health. She serves on the boards of the University of Pennsylvania's School of Nursing, the College Success Foundation, and Heluna Health, a nonprofit population health organization.



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Jeanne Esler

ALI Partner

Jeanne Esler brings to ALI clinical expertise in behavioral and mental health. A licensed clinical psychologist with experience treating those afflicted with anxiety and eating disorders, she is also the president and co-founder of the Esler Family Foundation, a philanthropy that has been involved with the global nonprofit World Vision on economic development projects in Malawi, and with the nonprofit StrongMinds on mental health treatment for women suffering from depression in Uganda and Zambia.

Jeanne joins her husband, ALI Fellow John Esler, as an Advanced Leadership Initiative Partner.



John Esler

ALI Fellow

John Esler brings to ALI deep entrepreneurial and business scaling experience. He is the founder and past CEO of Esler Companies, a national home improvement business with 2,200 employees in 10 states. Esler Companies is the largest affiliate of Renewal by Andersen, the premium replacement window and door business line of Andersen Corp., the largest window and door manufacturer in North America.

John led the Worcester, MA expansion of Entrepreneurship for All, a nationwide nonprofit helping under-represented individuals start businesses, and is now helping with EforAll's national expansion. He also serves on Worcester State University's Entrepreneurship Advisory Board, and is the founder of the Esler Family Foundation, through which he and his family support economic opportunity, youth leadership, and mental health programs in the U.S. and Africa.



Jessica Faieta

ALI Fellow

Jessica Faieta brings to ALI 30 years of experience at the United Nations, leading Latin American development programs focused on poverty reduction, environmental sustainability, humanitarian and disaster response, democratic governance, women's empowerment, and peace building. A native of Ecuador, she most recently led the U.N. Development System in Colombia; previously, she was U.N. Assistant Secretary-General and UNDP Regional Director for Latin America and the Caribbean, responsible for the U.N. country teams and development programs in 33 countries. Jessica led all UNDP post-disaster recovery efforts following the 2010 Haiti earthquake, had country-level responsibilities for the UNDP in El Salvador, Argentina, Belize, Panama, Guyana, and Cuba, and also was chief of staff for the U.N. Deputy Secretary-General.



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Randy Freer

ALI Fellow

Randy Freer brings to ALI C-level leadership at some of the world's premier media brands and a track record for conceptualizing, launching, and growing innovative new digital platforms through strategic partnerships. Most recently he was CEO of Hulu, a leading streaming service offering live and on-demand TV and movies. Previously Randy was president and COO of Fox Networks Group, with responsibility for media properties including Fox Television Group, FX, FOX Sports, and National Geographic Partners. As president of FOX Sports, he negotiated broadcast rights with some of the world's most respected professional sports leagues, including FIFA, the NFL, NASCAR, MLB, USGA, and the UFC; he joined Fox after serving as executive vice president at Turner Broadcasting.



Minelik Alemu Getahun

ALI Fellow

Minelik Alemu Getahun brings to ALI significant diplomatic and international organization leadership experience. Most recently, he served as assistant director general of the World Intellectual Property Organization, a United Nations global forum for intellectual property (IP) policy and cooperation, with oversight on cross-cutting challenges such as building respect for IP, external relations, genetic resources, traditional knowledge, traditional cultural expressions, and IP and global challenges. Minelik served as the permanent representative of his native Ethiopia to the U.N. offices in Geneva and Vienna; Ethiopia's Ambassador to Switzerland and non-resident ambassador to Austria, Bulgaria, Hungary, and Romania; as the legal advisor to Ethiopia's Ministry of Foreign Affairs; and member of the African Union Commission on International Law.



Pamela Haering Freer

ALI Partner

Pam Haering Freer brings to ALI experience as a marketing consultant and a passion for education equity and environmental conservation. She served as a brand strategist at top-tier ad agencies, a global marketing executive at Time Warner/Turner, and a business line creator and leader as senior vice president at Viacom. Pam's nonprofit board work focuses on ensuring educational access for students globally and preserving the environment through work on The Nature Conservancy's marketing advisory board.

Pam joins her husband, ALI Fellow Randy Freer, as an Advanced Leadership Initiative Partner.



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Ciarán Hayes

ALI Fellow

Ciarán Hayes brings to ALI leadership in local government innovation and problem solving. As chief executive of the Sligo County Council, the administrative authority advancing all county development planning, he inherited Ireland's largest county-level revenue deficit, stabilized county finances, won €250M in public development contracts, and secured European Investment Bank backing for Sligo to pilot a Smart City investment program. Ciarán also chairs Sligo's tourism authority, is a board member for the local international airport, maritime board, and county enterprise fund, and leads national climate change adaptation and mitigation planning for local government agencies across Ireland. Previously, he held local leadership roles in Galway and management roles in Kilkenny and Dublin.



Wendy Hayes

ALI Fellow

Wendy Hayes brings to ALI extensive financial consulting and business oversight experience in China and the U.S. She is a venture partner at a venture capital firm based in Silicon Valley, serves on the boards of several NYSE and NASDAQ listed companies, and is an advisor to several companies with cross-border operations. A native of China, she started her career in Beijing when KPMG first expanded into the country. She later joined Deloitte San Francisco and became a partner at Deloitte China, working in Beijing and Hong Kong. Wendy served as the China expert and led inspections for the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board, an organization established by the U.S. Congress, overseen by the Securities and Exchange Commission, and charged with reviewing audits of public companies in order to protect the interests of investors.



David Hindin

ALI Fellow

David Hindin brings to ALI deep experience in federal environmental protection. A member of the Federal Senior Executive Service, his distinguished career was at the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, most recently serving as director of the EPA's Office of Compliance. David has led national policy development and program implementation, working with stakeholders at both the federal and state levels to modernize air, water, and waste enforcement programs. His work has reduced pollution through advanced technology monitoring, electronic reporting, data analysis, expanded public transparency, and increased compliance. David was an early champion of evidence-based government to use behavioral science knowledge and research methods to improve program performance. He has been recognized by the Partnership for Public Service for his contributions to protect public health and the environment.



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Charles Hirschler

ALI Partner

Charles Hirschler brings to ALI significant business and board experience, both domestically and internationally, and a passion for physiology, health, and athletic performance optimization. He is a past member of the audit committee and current member of the family shareholders committee for the publicly traded global agribusiness Bunge Ltd., and a current advisor to athletic performance innovation companies FitBiomics and Whoop. Charles is a member of the board of advisors of Doctors Without Borders and a member of the board of directors of EcoHealth Alliance.

Charles joins his wife, ALI Fellow Ruth Streeter, as an Advanced Leadership Initiative Partner.



Zoran Jolevski

ALI Fellow

Zoran Jolevski brings to ALI significant experience in foreign relations, diplomacy, and government. His career has been spent in service to his home country of North Macedonia, for which he has served as minister of defense, ambassador to the United States, chief of staff to the president, and first secretary in the Macedonian Mission to the World Trade Organization (WTO) and the United Nations in Geneva. Among his many notable accomplishments, he successfully coordinated Macedonia's response to the refugee crisis during the Kosovo War, helped lead the Ohrid agreement which brought peace to the country, oversaw Macedonia's successful accession to the WTO, and initiated the first use of the Macedonian army as a peace-keeping force.



Kevin King

ALI Fellow

Kevin King brings to ALI a successful track record of developing new concepts and bringing them to market. Most recently, he served as chief operating officer of London-based TESM, a software-as-a-service consultancy, leading the effort to restructure business operations in preparation for sale; and DEXDA, a machine learning and big data startup for the intelligent operational management of assets. Earlier, Kevin led global IT transformation projects at Credit Suisse and Deloitte, and served as the general manager for the Dublin, Ireland operations of Man Group plc, a publicly traded global investment management firm. Outside of his private sector work, he has held non-executive director positions on the boards of the UK Ministry of Justice and the Department of Justice in his native Northern Ireland.



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Karen Korellis Reuther

ALI Fellow

Karen Korellis Reuther brings to ALI leadership in industrial design, brand strategy, and consumer-centric innovation. She most recently served as vice president of creative direction and future at Reebok, a leading worldwide fitness apparel and footwear brand, where she led global creative strategy and implementation. Previously, as global creative director at NIKE, Karen developed major product, merchandising, and brand strategies and led creative vision and design; she also drove consumer focused industrial design for Digital Equipment Corporation and Wang Laboratories. Karen is a MIT Solve member, serves on the advisory board of the Institute for Creative Entrepreneurship at Berklee College of Music, and on the jury for product design at iF International Forum Design.



Sandra Kresch

ALI Fellow

Sandy Kresch brings to ALI a career of strategic advisory services to media and consumer products and services clients along with deep nonprofit board service. She is the founder and president of PSD International, a boutique advisory firm, was the first woman partner at Booz, Allen & Hamilton, and was partner and led the media and entertainment strategy consulting practice at PricewaterhouseCoopers. Additionally, Sandy held senior management roles at Time, Inc.

Sandy was a managing director of Golden Seeds, an angel investment group supporting women owned and operated startups, and continues to serve as an alumni member and on the boards of portfolio companies. Among her numerous nonprofit board roles, she is vice chair of the board of New York City's Theater Development Fund, and has served on the boards of the Evan B. Donaldson Adoption Institute, Spence Chapin Services to Families and Children, and the YWCA of the USA.



Deepa Krishnamurthy

ALI Fellow

Deepa Krishnamurthy brings to ALI strong real estate finance, retail, general business and small business sector knowledge. As partner, COO, and CFO of Linear Retail Properties, an institutionally funded firm investing in and managing shopping centers and other retail storefronts, she helped assets under management grow from a start-up stage to \$800 million during her 16 year tenure. Earlier, Deepa worked for a large-scale urban real estate developer, a publicly-traded real estate investment trust, and a North American office and retail properties investment firm. She began her career at Mahindra and Mahindra, an Indian conglomerate, and the Industrial Development Bank of India. Deepa is a board member of the Greater Boston Real Estate Board's Real Estate Finance Association, Massachusetts Housing and Shelter Alliance, and Sea Bags of Maine, a retailer making and selling bags and accessories from recycled sailcloth.



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Gina Lazaro

ALI Fellow

Gina Lazaro brings to ALI global marketing and brand transformation expertise. She served as executive vice president and CMO of FGX International, a leading designer and marketer of non-prescription eyewear. Prior to FGX, she was vice president of Latin America marketing and of global skin care at The Alberto-Culver Company, and a brand manager on the Gatorade and Snapple brands at Quaker Oats.

Gina helped lead FGX's partnership with the nonprofit RestoringVision, facilitating donations of over 11 million reading glasses globally and launching a campaign to raise awareness of the need for reading glasses in developing countries. She was board president of HighSight, a nonprofit provider of scholarships and support to low-income high school students, and a Junior Achievement middle school teacher in Chicago.



Adriana Leon

ALI Fellow

Adriana Leon brings to ALI expertise in Latin American market development and a passion to provide higher education opportunities for under-served youth. As CEO of Bretano Corp., she leveraged global raw materials trading markets to import and distribute petrochemicals and food additives throughout Latin America. Adriana has also worked in marketing roles at Varta/Rayovac, Serta, Quala, and Unilever.

Adriana is the founder and CEO of Aspirantes Virtual, a nonprofit preparing marginalized Colombian youth for college success. She serves on the boards of Enseña por Colombia, Colombia's version of Teach for America, and Lumni Colombia, a fund that finances education for low-income students; she also launched an innovation lab to foster the development of social businesses in her native Colombia.



Wendy Levine

ALI Partner

Wendy Levine brings to ALI experience fostering academic and personal growth in students of diverse backgrounds and learning styles. For many years she has tutored youth in humanities, writing, and math, in developing effective study skills, and in standardized test prep, and has also been active as a tap dance instructor, teaching tap within school systems as well as at colleges and to senior citizens. Previously Wendy taught English language arts and literacy in several New York City high schools.

Wendy joins her partner, ALI Fellow Terry Edmonds, as an Advanced Leadership Initiative Partner.



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James Leyden

ALI Fellow

Jim Leyden brings to ALI corporate legal experience in governance, mergers and acquisitions, and public reporting. He served as corporate vice president, general counsel, and secretary for Teleflex, a publicly held global provider of medical technologies; general counsel of InfraSource Services, a utility infrastructure construction company; and associate general counsel at Aramark Corporation, a publicly held provider of food service, facilities, and uniform services to hospitals, universities, school districts, stadiums and other businesses around the world. Jim began his legal career as a mergers and acquisitions attorney at the global law firm Morgan, Lewis & Bockius. He serves on the board of Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Southeastern Pennsylvania.



Peter Liang

ALI Fellow

Peter Liang brings to ALI diverse functional experience in marketing, digital innovation, investment management, and software development. He served as head of marketing and communications of the digital experience group at Wolters Kluwer, a global information services company, as an investment manager at the Wall Street firm of Gerstein Fisher, and as a software developer at Reuters.

Peter is the founder of Leadership4Kids, an organization committed to helping kids cultivate authentic leadership skills including self-awareness, confidence, courage, grit, and gratitude. Through his family office, Owl City Ventures, he invests in socially responsible start-ups that reduce suffering and put humanity first. Peter is a board director of the Columbia University Alumni Association.



Doug Lober

ALI Fellow

Doug Lober brings to ALI extensive experience in institutional investment management, grass roots development in Africa, corporate environmental management teaching and research, and nonprofit board and institutional leadership and entrepreneurship. At Fidelity Investments, Doug managed the \$5 billion Canada Fund and co-built the \$100 billion Canadian investment group. He was an assistant professor at Duke University where he also established and directed the Duke Center for Business and the Environment. Doug served as a fisheries extension officer with the U.S. Peace Corps in Kenya.

Doug serves on the Board of Zoo New England and the Mass Veterinary Medical Association Charitable and is an Ambassador for the New England Aquarium.



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David McCue

ALI Fellow

David McCue brings to ALI entrepreneurial experience building an industry leading company known for its community engagement and employee-focused culture. He is the founder, past owner, and CEO of McCue Corporation, a Massachusetts-based global provider of damage prevention equipment used by more than 80% of the biggest names in retail and distribution to protect their facilities and employees.

A native of England, David is past board member of the English Speaking Union and has held numerous other board roles for organizations including Children's Friend and Family Services, Boston Concert Opera, Boston Philharmonic Orchestra, and YPO International. He is the co-founder of The Women's Chorus in Boston for Homeless Women.



Timothy Merrill

ALI Fellow

Tim Merrill brings to ALI a dedication to uplifting young people, both in his native Camden, New Jersey and beyond. An education advocate, youth leadership developer, counselor, mentor, and pastor, he has helped under-resourced young people pursue productive lifestyles. Tim helped create Amachi, a national program mentoring 300,000+ young people with incarcerated parents; co-founded Community Education Resource Network, an adult education program that served 6,500+ participants and was New Jersey's largest African American/Latino community-based program; founded Watu Moja, a global service program for Camden's African American and Afro Latino young adults; and co-founded Street Psalms, a leadership training ministry of 1,000+ grassroots leaders serving the world's most challenging communities.



Mark Michael

ALI Fellow

Mark Michael brings to ALI experience bootstrapping a start-up into a market leader. Together with his brother, he founded Occasions Caterers, growing it into the country's largest off-premise caterer with additional vertical businesses including event staffing, corporate catering, and the industry's most widely licensed software catering platform. Mark also has extensive for-profit board experience.

Mark has been a director of Washington, D.C.'s Higher Achievement Program, a nonprofit educational enrichment program for under-performing D.C. public schools; D.C. Central Kitchen, a social enterprise combating hunger and poverty; and the Network for Teaching Entrepreneurship, a global educational nonprofit focused on bringing the power of entrepreneurship to youth in low-income communities.



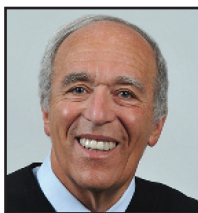
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Vikram Mittal

ALI Fellow

Vikram Mittal brings to ALI global business and entrepreneurial leadership in multiple sectors. He was co-founder and a board member of WorkWell, the largest occupational medicine provider in Monterey County, California, which he sold to private equity investors. Previously, Vikram spent 10 years at HSBC, running international business lines as global head of insurance sales and senior vice president of global cards. He served on the leadership team at TradeOut, a venture-backed internet platform enabling B2B transactions for surplus inventory and assets; was CIO of Raytel Medical, a publicly traded healthcare diagnostic and imaging company; and CTO of General Electric's Supply Division. An angel investor, he has also advised Indus Growth Partners, the U.S. private equity arm of India's Piramal Group.



Anthony Mohr

ALI Fellow

Tony Mohr brings to ALI distinguished service within the criminal and civil justice system at the state level. He most recently served as a sitting judge of the Superior Court of California in Los Angeles County, where he presided over civil and felony trials. On two occasions, Tony sat for several months as judge pro tem on the California Court of Appeal. Earlier, he was a judge of the Los Angeles Municipal Court, and in private legal practice.

Among his numerous professional affiliations, Tony served on the Executive Committee of the Los Angeles Superior Court and chaired both the Superior Court's ethics review and response committee and the statewide Committee on Judicial Ethics of the California Judges Association. He serves on the Regional Board of Directors for the Anti-Defamation League's Los Angeles Region.



John Mooney

ALI Fellow

John Mooney brings to ALI corporate financial and sustainability leadership in global manufacturing. Most recently, he served as chief financial officer and head of sustainability for Haworth, Inc., a multi-billion-dollar global manufacturer of office and premium residential furniture with operations in 40 countries. Earlier, John led finance within multiple divisions of Motorola, a multinational telecommunications company.

John is a member of the board of directors of the Michigan Chamber of Commerce and a member of the regional alliance board for the Gerald R. Ford Regional Airport in Grand Rapids, Michigan. He is a past board member and board president of the World Affairs Council of Western Michigan, a nonprofit, non-partisan organization empowering people and organizations in the region to engage with the world.



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Yinka Omorogbe

ALI Fellow

Yinka Omorogbe brings to ALI experience in the energy sector, academic administration, and state-level government. She most recently served as the second-ever female attorney general and justice commissioner in Edo State, Nigeria, where she also chaired Edo's taskforce against human trafficking. Previously, Yinka was secretary and legal adviser to the Nigerian National Petroleum Corporation and held academic teaching appointments at multiple universities, most notably serving as dean of the faculty of law at the University of Ibadan, one of the most prestigious universities in Africa. She is co-founder of the anti-human trafficking Edo Women's Development Initiative, trustee of Christ Against Drug Abuse Ministry, and trustee of the Vine Heritage Home orphanage in Abuja.



Linda Orlans

ALI Fellow

Linda Orlans brings to ALI pioneering experience making legal services more affordable and accessible through lean practices and technological innovation. She is the founding partner of Orlans PC, a multi-state real estate law firm that has received numerous industry awards and recognition, including the Award of Excellence from America's Mortgage Banking Attorneys for 12 consecutive years. She is also the founder of one of the largest independent real estate title agencies in the U.S.

A champion of Detroit, Linda has served in leadership roles with the Detroit Institute of Arts, Michigan Opera Theatre, Junior Achievement, The Heat and Warmth Fund, and Beyond Basics. She is a trustee, past board chair, and alumna of the year at Michigan State College of Law, trustee for Michigan's State Building Authority, and a member of the Michigan Supreme Court's Attorney Discipline Board.



Luis Perez

ALI Fellow

Luis Perez brings to ALI senior legal and philanthropic experience in Latin America. He most recently was a partner in the Miami office of the global law firm Hogan Lovells, where his practice focused on M&A and corporate governance for clients in the U.S. and Latin America. He is widely recognized for his work in renewable energy development and financing, as well as structuring public-private partnerships.

Luis is a life member of the Council on Foreign Relations, a member of the Cuban Association of the Knights of Malta's Executive Committee, and a past board member of the Cuba Study Group. With the Catholic Archdiocese of Miami and Amor en Acción, he has organized relief efforts supporting orphanages and medical and nutritional care in Haiti, the Dominican Republic, and Mayan communities in Mexico.



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Marc Porter

ALI Fellow

Marc Porter brings to ALI senior leadership experience in the arts, working with foundations, ministries of cultural affairs, and museums. He has worked for almost 30 years in increasingly senior roles at Christie's, the world's leading arts business, most recently as Chairman, Americas. Through auctions, he raised over \$1 billion for philanthropy since 2018, and he is the inaugural chair of Christie's Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Committee and its American Advisory Board.

Marc is committed to service and social responsibility, especially around urban development, the environment, and LGBTQ rights and representation. He is a trustee of the New York Botanical Garden and the American Friends of the Tel Aviv Museum of Art, the most socially progressive contemporary art museum in Israel. He has served on the Boards of the Brooklyn Botanic Garden and the Alliance for the Arts, NYC.



Margarita Prieto

ALI Partner

Maggie Prieto brings to ALI experience advocating for marginalized and minority communities. She served as an attorney in the disability rights section of the U.S. Department of Justice's Civil Rights Division, a policy analyst for UnidosUS, the largest Latino advocacy organization in the country, and a staff member at the National Network of Hispanic Women. Maggie has also been an active volunteer at Sidwell Friends School, receiving the Newmyer Award as one of its most dedicated volunteers.

Maggie joins her husband, ALI Fellow Mark Michael, as an Advanced Leadership Initiative Partner.



Mmakeaya Magoro Tryphosa Ramano

ALI Fellow

Tryphosa Ramano brings to ALI deep multi-sector financial leadership experience, serving as chief financial officer of PPC, South Africa's largest cement manufacturer, South African Airways, and WIPHOLD, South Africa's premier black woman-owned investment company. She also leads the asset liability group within South Africa's Treasury and serves on numerous public and private company boards; she is currently a board member of South African Reserve Bank.

Tryphosa has a passion for uplifting young professional Black women, which she does through her role as chair of Young Leaders Connect, a mentoring initiative of the South African chapter of the International Women's Forum, where she is a board member. She is the president of both African Women Chartered Accountants and the Association of Black Professionals, and a director of the Black Business Council.



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Linda Rebrovick

ALI Fellow

Linda Rebrovick brings to ALI business leadership and corporate board experience. She served as CEO and on the board of SaaS software company Consensus Point, CMO at BearingPoint, and board member and healthcare/life sciences practice managing partner at KPMG, after beginning her career at IBM. Linda holds board roles at publicly traded HealthStream and Reliant Bancorp, as well as Guidehouse, Inc.

Linda was a candidate for the office of mayor of Metropolitan Nashville, running on a platform to build a tech-enabled, more efficient and effective city. She served on the Auburn University College of Business Advisory Board, and her many nonprofit board roles have included the Community Foundation of Middle Tennessee, the Nashville Entrepreneur Center, United Way of Middle Tennessee, and Leadership Nashville.



Margarita Rosa

ALI Fellow

Margarita Rosa brings to ALI a career of dedicated public and social sector executive leadership. Among her most notable roles, she served for 20 years as executive director of Grand Street Settlement, an historic comprehensive human service agency in Manhattan, and as the commissioner of the New York State Division of Human Rights at the height of the AIDS crisis. Margarita has also led the Caribbean Cultural Center African Diaspora Institute, a social justice and cultural preservation organization, and the National Center for Law and Economic Justice, which advances the cause of economic justice for low-income communities across the U.S. She has held numerous civic appointments in New York City and multiple prominent board roles, including service as a trustee of her alma mater, Princeton University.



Khatuna Salukvadze

ALI Fellow

Khatuna Salukvadze brings to ALI a career in diplomacy and government service. She most recently served as ambassador extraordinary and plenipotentiary of Georgia to the Republic of Lithuania. Previously, Khatuna held several other roles within Georgia's Ministry of Foreign Affairs, including ambassador-at-large, political director, director of the department for the Americas, and counselor in the ministry's policy planning and analysis division. She has been a senior adviser to Georgia's Prime Minister and a consultant and advisor to the committee on defense and security within Georgia's Parliament. Khatuna has worked for the United Nations World Food Program and has been a professor in the faculty of social and political sciences at Tbilisi State University.



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Betsy Schwartz

ALI Fellow

Betsy Schwartz brings to ALI experience as a mental and behavioral health advocate at the national, state, and local levels. She served as vice president of public education and strategic initiatives for the National Council for Behavioral Health, an advocacy group for 3,000+ member organizations delivering mental health and addiction treatment and services. Betsy leads the Council's Mental Health First Aid USA program that has trained over 2 million Americans to recognize and respond appropriately to persons with mental health or addiction problems. Earlier, she was the CEO of Mental Health America of Greater Houston, significantly growing its staff, resources, and impact. Betsy has served on several nonprofit boards and been appointed to several oversight committees for her behavioral health expertise.



Lillian Sparks Robinson

ALI Fellow

Lillian Sparks Robinson brings to ALI an award-winning career dedicated to uplifting and empowering indigenous people and tribal communities. A member of the Rosebud Sioux Tribe, she was appointed by President Obama, and confirmed by the U.S. Senate, as commissioner for the Administration for Native Americans in the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. In this role, Lillian worked on programs and policy impacting Native languages, education, and social and economic development for American Indian, Alaska Native, and Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islander communities. Previously, she served as executive director of the National Indian Education Association and staff attorney at the National Congress of American Indians. Lillian owns and operates Wopila Consulting, through which she advises federal, state, and tribal government agencies.



Thomas Sperry

ALI Fellow

Tom Sperry brings to ALI experience launching businesses that create jobs and improve economic opportunity. He co-founded and is managing director of Rogue Venture Partners, a venture capital firm investing in historically under-capitalized regions. Earlier, Tom was CEO of video game developers Blade Games and Exit Games and was a founding member of Microsoft's Games Division.

Tom has a passion for working with under-served communities and frontier markets. He is currently working with the World Bank to develop an entrepreneur and investor ecosystem in Palestine, previously worked with global humanitarian aid NGO Mercy Corps to build the first start-up accelerator in the Gaza Strip, and launched a fund to invest in companies founded and led by women.



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Ruth Streeter

ALI Fellow

Ruth Streeter brings to ALI an award-winning career working for *CBS News*, one of the world's most respected news media properties. Most recently, she was a producer at *60 Minutes*, where for more than 30 years she covered stories on politics, law, social justice, science, the arts, and culture. Ruth's earlier work at *CBS News* included producing stories for its documentary unit *CBS Reports*, *On the Road with Charles Kuralt*, and *Walter Cronkite's Universe*. Her work has been recognized with the Alfred I. duPont-Columbia University Gold Baton, the George Foster Peabody Award, and three Emmys, amongst countless other awards and commendations. She is a member of the board of The America Civil War Museum in Richmond, Virginia and is a past trustee of The Ethel Walker School in Simsbury, Connecticut.



Elisabeth Ungar

ALI Fellow

Elisabeth Ungar brings to ALI expertise in strengthening democracies against corruption through citizen participation, social movements, and public and private sector transparency. She served on the board of Transparency International, an anti-corruption NGO, and was executive director of Transparencia por Colombia, its chapter in her native Colombia. Elisabeth founded the government watchdog organization Congreso Visible and served on the boards of World Movement for Democracy and the Latin American and Caribbean Network for Democracy. An independent panel selected Elisabeth to serve on a special electoral commission created through the peace agreement between the Colombian government and the FARC-EP. She is also a permanent columnist for Colombia's second largest newspaper, *El Espectador*, and serves on the board of Universidad de los Andes, where she was a long-time professor.



Paige Warren

ALI Fellow

Paige Warren brings to ALI deep private real estate debt experience. Most recently, she served as global chief operating officer at PGIM Real Estate Finance, the commercial and agricultural real estate investment management arm of Prudential, and previously was president of Prudential's Federal Housing Administration commercial lending business and portfolio manager for its affordable housing business.

Paige brought community development and investment experience to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, where as deputy director she helped a public-private partnership restructure the debt and preserve the physical viability of 3,000+ multifamily properties. She is a trustee of The Washington Center, a nonprofit that has provided over 50,000 academic seminars and residential internships to college students around the world.



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Peter Williams

ALI Fellow

Peter Williams brings to ALI expertise in nonprofit capacity building and policy and program development in affordable housing, civil rights, and civil justice. He served as the executive vice president for programs at the NAACP, the president and CEO of the Mid-Bronx Desperadoes Community Housing Corporation, vice president of continuing education and community programs for Medgar Evers College, City University of New York, and director of housing and community development for The National Urban League. Peter also served as a legislative assistant for U.S. Congressman Edolphus Towns and as deputy advocate in New York City's Office of the Public Advocate. He continues to share his policy and program development expertise through consulting work and teaching at Medgar Evers College.