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Ralph Bond BA Consulting Group Toronto, Ontario, Canada

Ralph Bond is the Executive Chairman of BA Consulting Group, a transportation planning and traffic engineering consulting firm based in Toronto. Ralph has 39 years of experience in transportation planning across Canada and internationally, including transportation demand management as well as parking planning, design and

management. He is currently President of the Canadian Parking Association, a board member on the Canadian Parking Foundation (CPF) and board member and treasurer for the Association for Commuter Transportation Canada. A frequent conference speaker, Ralph is a recipient of the CPF's Ted Seeberg and Ed Keate awards for outstanding contribution to the Canadian parking industry and the advancement of knowledge in the parking industry respectively.



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Vijay's areas of research include transportation and infrastructure performance measurement, supply chain costs, and regulatory issues. Since joining The Conference Board of Canada, he has produced research reports on infrastructure efficiency, alternative fuel vehicles, transportation labour challenges and airport competitiveness. He regularly facilitates workshops attended by senior leaders in the

Canadian transportation industry. Prior to joining the Conference Board, he was a senior economist with the Economic Analysis Policy Branch at Transport Canada. His work there included price and productivity performance measurement of transportation modes in Canada and the development of fully allocated transportation costs. He holds a bachelor's degree in economics and political science from the University of Toronto and a Master of Business Administration from the Schulich School of Business, York University.



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An independent transit consultant with over 25 years of international transit experience, Dr. Hemily focuses on best practices and innovation in the transit industry, in the areas of policy, management, planning, and advanced technology. From 1985 to 2000, Brendon worked at the Canadian Urban Transit Association

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Charlie Howard is the Director of Integrated Planning for the Puget Sound Regional Council (PSRC), a position that brings together the work the agency does in Growth Management, Economic Development, and Transportation Planning and the supporting data and technical resources. He has been with the PSRC since 2005. Prior to joining PSRC, Charlie worked with the Washington State Department of

Transportation for 18 years, most recently as the Director of Strategic Planning and Programming. Charlie has been involved in state and regional transportation issues for the past 30 years, including an active role in developing and implementing the state of Washington's growth management act. Charlie is a graduate of Ohio State University, and has a Master's Degree in City and Regional Planning from Harvard University.



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John Howe is the former Vice President, Investment Strategy and Project Evaluation, at Metrolinx. John joined Metrolinx during the organization's start-up in 2007. His achievements include leading benefits case evaluations of major rapid projects and advancing the Metrolinx Investment Strategy, a suite of proposed revenue tools needed to implement the \$50 billion regional transportation plan. John has 20 years

of infrastructure policy and planning experience in Ontario, including the ministries of Public Infrastructure, Finance and Transportation. John is a member of the Greater Toronto Marketing Alliance board of directors, an executive-in-resident at the University of Western Ontario Ivey School of Business, and a project selection advisor to the Canada Foundation for Innovation. John holds a Masters in Public Policy and Administration from Carleton University. In December 2013 John will assume the position of Vice-President, Strategic Consulting - Canada for Parsons Brinckerhoff.



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As Vice President of Strategy for Corporate and Public Affairs Research at Environics, Darren occupies a unique space where marketing research, strategy and communications intersect. He provides research-based insights, counsel and strategy to organizations on how to manage their environments, as well as understand and communicate with stakeholders and the public. Working with government and

NGOs, Darren has led successful surveys looking at public support for large-scale public transportation plans, views on the state of the current transportation system, various road pricing initiatives, vehicle licence and registration pricing, transit funding options, preferences and price sensitivities, marketplace segmentations, as well as the effect of current system on quality of life, consumer behaviours and housing decisions. His work has also spanned the full spectrum of public affairs issues, including education, the economy, energy and the environment, quality of life and health care. Darren's expertise covers public policy, communications and reputation research, pricing, policy and program evaluation, as well as client, resident and stakeholder satisfaction studies. He holds an MBA from the Kellogg School of Management an MA from the University of Western Ontario.



David King Columbia University New York, New York, USA

David King is an Assistant Professor of Urban Planning in the Graduate School of Architecture, Planning and Preservation at Columbia University. His research explores the impact of local transportation planning on the built environment, public finance and accessibility. As part of this research he has written about the

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A lawyer by training, Gunnar Söderholm has headed the City of Stockholm's Environment and Health Administration since late 2006. Between 2002 and 2006, Gunnar was the deputy CEO where he was responsible for the City's congestion charging project as well as housing and information and communications technology development. During the 1990s, he worked as a political assistant to the deputy

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Transport Futures was established in 2008 by Healthy Transport Consulting. Working with our valued advisors, contract staff, volunteers, sponsors and in-kind supporters, our goal is to facilitate an on-going rational and non-partisan dialogue on mobility pricing as a key demand management and infrastructure funding measure.



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