



***Call for Expression of Interest for Appointment to the
Supply Chain Canada National Board of Directors
Bio Sheet***

Name: Thiago Braga

Do you have the SCMP designation? Yes - If so, year obtained: 2016

Name of Institute (if applicable): Alberta Member since (if applicable): 2014

Executive Summary

Thiago has close to 20 years of progressive experience in Supply Chain/Procurement and has built his career in Brazil, the US, and Canada through multiple industries. He brings board governance experience and a track record of leading multiple transformation programs, achieving significant improvements in both customer service and value generation.

Education:

- MBA from Pontifical Catholic University of Rio Grande Do Sul
- Bachelor in Business Administration from Mackenzie Presbyterian University
- Strategic Leadership Program by Ivey Business School
- SCMP

Employment Background:

- Director, Supply Chain Management / City of Edmonton (Edmonton, AB) / Jan 2019-Present
- Head of Supply Chain / TransAlta (Calgary, AB) / Dec 2016 – Dec 2018
- Supervisor, Supply Chain Management / ATCO Group (Edmonton/Calgary, AB) / Jan 2014-Dec 2016
- Head of Supply Chain & General Manager / Argos Global (Kentucky, USA) / Feb 2008 – Nov 2013
- Previous Supply Chain and Procurement roles from 2004-2008

Previous Board Experience:

- Board Director & Treasurer / SCC-AB Institute / Sept 2020 – Present
- Audit & Finance Committee Member / Christian Credit Union / AB / Mar 2022 - Present

Involvement in Volunteer Activities:

- Member – Harvard Business Review / Jul-2022 - Present
- Panel Member - Ivey Purchasing Managers Index (Ivey PMI) / Jul-2020 – Present
- Instructor, Master Faculty – TransAlta Corporation / May 2017- Dec 2018
- EPIC – Employees Participating in Communities – ATCO Group / Jan 2014 – Dec 2016
- Various other volunteer roles in Church communities (Brazil, US, Canada)



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Name: ___Harley Camsell_____

Do you have the SCMP designation? ___No_____ If so, year obtained: _____

Name of Institute (if applicable):_Saskatchewan_____ Member since (if applicable):_2005_____

Executive Summary

Motivated professional in the Supply Chain, has held several different board roles and other senior roles in supply chain. Being heavily involved in creating engagement policies for and with indigenous stakeholders. This includes both engagement and hiring policies.

Education:

- Certificate in Purchasing - PMAC
- CPSM – Institute for Supply Management
- Project Management Certificate – Edwards School of Business

Employment Background:

- Manager Procurement Services, Saskatoon Public Schools, 2018 to present
- General Manager, PAFHQ – Saskatoon, 2012 - 2018
- Buyer 2, Mosaic Potash, Regina, 2010 - 2012

Previous Board Experience:

- Financial Director – SCMA Saskatchewan
- Procurement Director - SASBO
- General Manager - PAFHQ

Involvement in Volunteer Activities:

- SCMA Sask – Golf Committee
- SCMA Sask – Past Financial Director
- Ivey Purchasing Managers Index



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Name: Patrick J. Gauch

Do you have the SCMP designation? No If so, year obtained: _____

Name of Institute (if applicable): _____ Member since (if applicable): _____

Executive Summary

In his role as Chief Financial Officer for YMCA Canada, Patrick is responsible for providing the overall strategic direction for corporate services and financial management of YMCA Canada and strategic leadership to Federation-wide Finance and Human Resource initiatives and Federation shared services.

Patrick has more than 25 years of experience in both the corporate and not-for-profit sectors, most recently as the Vice President of Corporate Services and Chief Financial Officer at Supply Chain Canada. Patrick holds a Master of Business Administration from Royal Roads University and a Master of Laws from Osgoode Hall Law School, York University. In addition, he holds several professional credentials in executive leadership, association management, finance, human resources, and governance.

Education:

- Master of Laws (LLM) – York University - Osgoode Hall Law School
- Master of Business Administration (MBA) – Royal Roads University
- Excellence in Executive Leadership Certificate – University of Toronto – Rotman School of Management
- Director Education Program (September 2022) – University of Toronto – Rotman School of Management

Professional Certifications:

- Accredited Director (Acc.Dir.) – The Chartered Governance Institute of Canada
- Certified Association Executive (CAE) – Canadian Society of Association Executives
- Certified Human Resources Leader (CHRL) – Human Resources Professionals Association
- Chartered Professional in Human Resources (CPHR) – CPHR Alberta

Employment Background:

- Chief Financial Officer, YMCA Canada, Toronto Ontario (July 2021 to Present)
- Vice-President, Corporate Services and Chief Financial Officer, Supply Chain Canada, Toronto, Ontario (October 2012 to June 2021)
- General Manager, Rogers Communications, Retail Division, Ottawa, Ontario (July 2000 to January 2012)

Previous Board Experience:

- Canadian Society of Association Executives
 - Board of Directors - October 2017 to Present
 - Secretary / Treasurer - October 2018 to October 2021
- Human Resources Professionals Association
 - HRPA Board Nominating Committee
 - Member - July 2019 to Present
 - HRPA Toronto
 - Past Chair - May 2018 to May 2019
 - Chair - May 2016 to May 2018
 - Treasurer - September 2015 to May 2016
 - Membership Committee - October 2012 to June 2015
- Downtown Yonge Business Improvement Area
 - Chair, CEO Selection Committee - May 2022 to Present
 - Board of Management - July 2016 to December 2018
 - Treasurer / Executive Committee - July 2016 to December 2018
 - Finance Committee - October 2012 to December 2018
- This is my most recent Board experience. Over the past 25 years, I have served on over 15 Boards in the not-for-profit and private sector.

Involvement in Volunteer Activities:

- Please see Board experience as they are all volunteer positions.



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Name: Kelly Singleton

Do you have the SCMP designation? Yes If so, year obtained: 2011

Name of Institute (if applicable): SCC MB Member since 2008

Executive Summary

Supply chain expert and multi-faceted senior leader with 15 years of progressive management experience. Industry recognized as one of the Women to Watch in Canadian Supply Chain in 2019. A longstanding strategic advisor and thought leader in providing directives, decision-making, guidance and change management recommendations for critical partners, new business acquisitions, executive and internal teams.

Education:

2008 – 2011	Supply Chain Canada	Graduated with Honours:	Completed SCMP Designation
2008	University of Manitoba	– Intro to Canadian Business	
2009	University of Manitoba	– Managerial Accounting	
2010	University of Manitoba	– Financial Management	
2010	University of Manitoba	– Organizational Behavior	
2005	Academy of Broadcasting	– Graduated top of the class with 97% avg.	

Additional Seminars/Workshops:

New Wave Leadership 2015
Various Supply Chain and Human Resource related Seminars and workshop at the SCC National Conference and ISM conference annually since 2013
The Challenge of Leadership 2013

Employment Background:

Feb 2007- Present Supply Chain Director, Price Industries, Winnipeg MB

- Established relationships with global supply chain partners to maximize value, reliability, and responsiveness.
- Identified potential partners via plant visits, trade shows and networking with industry vendors. Oversaw performance management of partners and problem-solved varied issues such as damaged goods, packaging, quality control and delivery issues.

- Led the Canadian supply chain team on vendor management, cost control, carrier management and distribution throughout North America and abroad.
- Managed key performance indicators to support continued cost controls and customer service.
- Developed relationships with partners focused on building stability in the supply chain.
- Developed and implemented a Supplier Accountability program to improve landed cost, product quality and reliability of supply. Formalized supply agreements to mitigate supply chain risk.
- Built a professional team focused on delivering value.

Selected Achievements:

- Drove supply chain cost savings from \$25,000 in 2009 to over \$2.5 million by December 2010. Delivered similar results year over year.
- Led new supplier development and diversification from single/sole-sourced supply arrangements to improve supply chain reliability.

September 2012 – Present Instructor – Supply Chain Canada and University of Winnipeg (PACE)

- Delivered the curriculum for a multitude of SCC's SCMP and SMT Courses as well as Workshops, teaching weekly lectures for up to 28 students each term using a business case analysis approach to optimize procurement and product quality.

Previous Board Experience:

- June 2011 – 2012 SCC MB Director of Communications
- June 2012 – 2017 SCC MB President
- June 2012 – 2017 SCC National Director
- June 2012 – 2017 SCC Federation Council
- Sept 2009 – 2019 Kick Butt Run for Colon Cancer Research, Director

Involvement in Volunteer Activities:

- Sept 2008 – Present Supply Chain Canada Member events
- June 2012 – 2017 SCC Awards Committee member
- Sept 2005 – 2019 Kick Butt Run for Colon Cancer Research event volunteer

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SCMA National Board of Directors
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Name: **CHRIS SOROKA**

Do you have the SCMP designation? **YES**, if so, year obtained: **2013**

Name of Institute **NS** Member since **2010**

Executive Summary

Reporting to the VP Municipal Group, responsible for overseas logistics, all customs and IMDG/IATA or TDG moves. Handed all Special Projects. Spend 25% of time in Labrador assisting employees with Corporate Company policy direction and SOPs.

Education:

Master of Science (Management) University of South Wales 2014-2016 – Thesis Succession Planning & Knowledge Management

Masters Certification in Project Management Schulich Business School & Saint Mary's University 2016-2017

Symplicity Design Novo Change Leader & Facilitator 2017-2018

Employment Background:

Director Supply Chain, Municipal Group, Bedford, Nova Scotia – 2011 to Present (Materials Manager 2008-2011)

Facilities Coordinator, Canadian Forces Personal Support Agency, Goose Bay, NL – 2005 to 2008

Her Majesty's Forces 1982 to 2005

Previous Board Experience:

President Nova Scotia Institute from Jun 2018-Present

VP Nova Scotia Institute SCMA Jun 2016-2018

Nova Scotia Board Director 2013-2016

National Conference Committee Member, Halifax – 2014 & 2015

Involvement in other Volunteer Activities:

Happy Valley Goose Bay Minor Soccer Association Coach/Committee - 2006-2016

Host for the Northern Show Tour Canadian Forces Base Goose Bay - 2007 & 2008

Host for the Ottawa Marathon (United Kingdom, Jamaica & Barbados) - 2006



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Name: John M. Vandenberg

Do you have the SCMP designation? Yes If so, year obtained: 2009

Name of Institute (if applicable): Northern Territories Member since 1989

Executive Summary

Responsible for eight government divisions including Procurement Shared Services Division. Extensive experience presenting to senior executives, legislators and large assemblies. Career focus on procurement, transportation and profit and loss operations. Past President of two non-profit organizations, and founder of nascent educational non-profit. Demonstrates conduct of highest integrity and fiduciary responsibility.

[\(1\) John Vandenberg | LinkedIn](#)

Education:

- Master of Business Administration, Athabasca University (degree)
- Bachelor of Arts, Administrative Studies, University of Winnipeg (degree)
- Supply Chain Management Professional (designation)

Employment Background:

- Assistant Deputy Minister, Marine and Fuel Services, Department of Infrastructure, Government of the Northwest Territories (Jan 2021 – Jan 2022)
- Assistant Deputy Minister, Programs and Services, Department of Infrastructure, Government of the Northwest Territories (March 2017 – Jan 2021)
- Assistant Deputy Minister, Energy, Department of Public Works and Services, Government of the Northwest Territories (April 2015 – March 2017)
- Director, Petroleum Products Division, Department of Public Works and Services, Government of the Northwest Territories (October 2006 – April 2015)

Previous Board Experience:

- Founded the *Western Arctic Marine Training Consortium* (NWT-inc. non-profit; nascent)
- President, Arctic Energy Alliance (September 2016 – June 2019)

- **President, Northern Territories Institute SCMA (September 2012 – August 2016)**
- **Secretary, Northwest Territories Institute SCMA (September 2010 – August 2012)**

Involvement in Volunteer Activities:

- **All board and non-profit related activities listed were/are volunteer and without financial compensation.**