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Managing Partner at Leadership Business Consulting

- 15+ years of experience in international management consulting;
- Coordinator of Unidade de Missão para a Sociedade da Informação (UMIC), under the jurisdiction of the Prime Minister's Office, and Member of Parliament;
- Co-Author of "Coaching for Executives".

Peter Coughlan



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Specialized Consultant in Design Thinking

- Principal @ Exile Leadership;
- Affiliate Teacher at Institute for the Future;
- Co-designed and delivered a 2-years masters program at Pinchot, on the topic of Organizational Leadership;
- Former Partner at IDEO, where he was involved in the creation of ExperienceInnovation – he was in IDEO for over 15 years.



Torben Rankine



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USA Country Manager @ Leadership Business Consulting

- 14+ years of international experience in finance services and management consulting
- Broad experience in projects of strategy, innovation, entrepreneurship, and market research.
- Senior Account Executive, Corporate Development at Intralinks
- Extensive experience managing teams and conducting business in the US, Latin America, and Iberia.

Autodesk



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Autodesk is a software company that serves over 100 million people in the world. Their software runs on both personal computers and mobile devices, and is designed to foster collaboration using the cloud.

Some of their most well-known products include AutoCAD, Revit, Maya, 3ds Max, Fusion 360, and SketchBook.

JJ Stott



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Marketing Specialist at Autodesk

- Marketing Coordinator at Autodesk for the past 6 years.
- Former Executive Assistant at Autodesk, role taken for almost 7 years.
- Bachelor's Degree at Hutchin's School of Liberal Studies.



ReadWrite Labs



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Founded in 2013, ReadWrite Labs is the world's leading Internet of Things (IoT) Accelerator.

ReadWrite Labs provides support to companies at all stages of their growth.

In ReadWrite Labs vision, the leading companies from the future will not sell products – they will build ecosystems that connect to partner companies, power thriving developers communities, and deliver seamless experiences to the end consumer.

Craig Dudenhoeffer



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Director of Labs at ReadWrite Labs

- As Director of Labs, Craig runs an accelerator program focused on the Internet of Things, being responsible for its program and curriculum, and overall management, including selection of Start-ups and management of sponsors and partners.
- Experience in Social Media Marketing



Sunrun



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Sunrun has the vision to solve the problem of the future of energy, making home solar the mainstream. Upfront cost was a huge barrier to home solar adoption, so they invented a way to remove it. In this pioneering model known as solar service, Sunrun allows homeowners to pay for the power, not the panels. This means Sunrun owns, maintains and monitors the system while homeowners pay for the electricity it produces at a low, locked-in rate—saving them money over time. Simply put, Sunrun makes solar easy and affordable.

Nick Smallwood



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Senior Director, Business Development at Sunrun

Former Assistant General Counsel at Sunrun
Former Senior Counsel, Project Finance at Sunrun
Former Associate at Milbank, Tweed, Hadley & McCloy, LLP
Former Grassroots Director at Texas Watch



NRG Energy

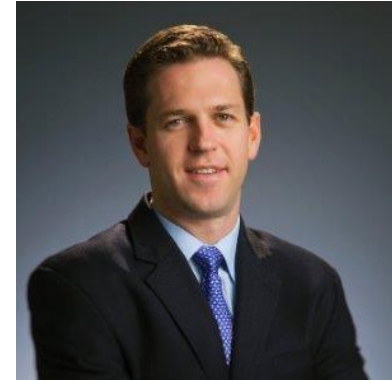


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NRG is an integrated power company, the U.S. leader in this market, also holding the country's largest and most diverse competitive electric generation portfolio and the leading retail electricity platform.

NRG Energy is also a Fortune 500 company, and aims at pioneering in developing smarter energy choices and delivering exceptional service. It serves almost 3 million residential and commercial customers throughout the country.

Craig Cornelius



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Senior Vice President, NRG Energy & President NRG Renewables, LLC at NRG Energy.

- Former Senior Vice President of Business Development at NRG Energy.
- Former Principal and Managing Director at Hudson Clean Energy.
- Former Photovoltaics Technology Manager and Program Manager - Solar Energy Technologies Program at the U.S. Department of Energy.
- Former Program Integration Manager - Exploration Systems Mission Directorate at NASA.



Tuesday
July 11th

Alberto Savoia



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**Innovation Agitator, Speaker, Coach,
and world reference as an Innovator**

- Founder and Chief Pretotyper at Pretotype Labs LLC;
- Innovation Lecturer at Stanford University;
- Former Engineering Director and Innovation Agitator at Google;
- Founder of two startups invested by renowned venture capital firms.

Google X



www.linkedin.com/company/x/

X is a moonshot factory with the mission to invent and launch breakthrough technologies that could make the world a radically better place.

Current projects include:

- Loon: balloon powered internet
- Makani: energy kites
- Wing: autonomous air delivery

Ramesh Bhardwaj



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Director, Battery group at Google X

- Former Battery Technologist at Apple Inc.



Plug and Play Tech Center



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Plug & Play Tech Center was founded in 2006 and has been ever since one of the largest incubators and innovation platforms in the world, being present in over 22 different countries.

Plug and Play's specialties include facilitating meaningful introductions, investing in startups, and bringing together key stakeholders into one world-changing network.

Success stories include Dropbox and PayPal.

Wade Bitaraf



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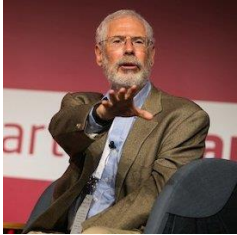
Director of Energy at Plug and Play Tech Center

- Former Business Development Specialist at iTutorGroup.
- Former Business Development Manager at Green Air Solutions.
- Former Business Analyst at American Solar Direct.
- Former Graduate Student and Teaching Assistant at West Virginia University.



Wednesday
July 12th

Steve Blank



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Adjunct Professor @ Stanford University

- Lecturer at Stanford University, Columbia Business School, UC Berkeley, New York University, and UCSF.
- Principal Investigator I-Corps, Architect Innovation Corps Curriculum, at the National Science Foundation
- Former Board Member of the California League of Conservation Voters
- Over the last 35 years, Steve Blank co-founded eight Silicon Valley Start-ups

Flex



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Flex (or Flextronics) is a company of international supply chain solutions.

It is the second largest manufacturer of both global services of electronics (EMS), and Original Design Manufacturer (ODM).

With more than 200,000 professionals across 30 countries, the company provides innovative design, engineering, manufacturing, real-time supply chain insight and logistics services to companies of all sizes in various industries and end-markets.

Benjamin Le



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Customer Experience at Flex

- Former Event Planner at Yoh, A Day & Zimmermann Company
- Former Marketing and Commercialization at Neopeutics Inc.
- Former Game Advisor at SCRAP Entertainment Inc.
- Former Marketing Coordinator at Nazqiz Inc.
- Former Sales Representative at JCPenney Inc.
- Former Technician at Microsoft.



Bloom Energy



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Bloom Energy has developed a revolutionary on-site primary (base load) power generation system called a Bloom Energy Server based on proprietary fuel cell technology that provides a more reliable, cleaner, and cost-effective alternative to the traditional electric power grid.

The technology was first developed for NASA's Mars Program, and it is currently producing power for several Fortune 500 companies, including Google, Walmart, AT&T, eBay, Staples, The Coca-Cola Company, as well as non-profit organizations such as Caltech and Kaiser Permanente.

Mohan Natarajan



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Managing Director, Global Strategy and Business Development at Bloom Energy

- Former Board Member at Action Aid USA.
- Former Senior Vice President, Global Strategy and Business Development at SheerWind.
- Former Managing Director at LN Holdings, Inc.
- Former CFO at Global Greengrants Fund.
- Former Director of Finance at Level 3 Communications.
- Former Consultant of Finance at ExxonMobil.



Falconry

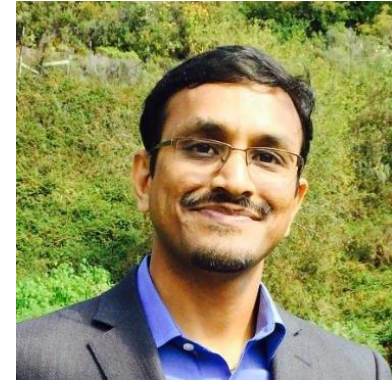


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Falconry is an artificial intelligence pattern recognition software to optimize operations, such as asset performance management, predictive maintenance, and process optimization.

Falconry based solutions work with existing infrastructures to bring intelligent pattern recognition to operations, bringing insight to allow for process analysis.

Nikunj Mehta



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Founder & CEO at Falconry

- Former Vice President of Customer Success at C3 Energy.
- Former Application Architect at C3 Energy.
- Formerd Invited Member, Web Apps WG at the World Wide Web Consortium (W3C).
- Former Founder and Architect Web Data Access at Oracle Corp.
- Former Senior Staff Engineer at Siebel Systems.
- Former Research Assistant at University of Southern California.
- Former Senior Architect at Fasturn.
- Former Founder and CTO at Mediaconnex.



Tesla



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Tesla is a company based in Palo Alto, California, with a mission is to accelerate the world's transition to sustainable energy through increasingly affordable electric vehicles, in addition to renewable energy generation and storage.

Currently, there are over 180,000 Model S and Model X vehicles on the road worldwide. To achieve a sustainable energy future, Tesla also created other scalable energy products: Powerwall, Powerpack and solar roof. The ultimate goal is getting the world to 100% renewable energy grids.

Andres Pacheco



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Business Development at Tesla Energy

- Former Senior Manager, Origination & Structuring at Recurrent Energy.
- Former Energy Associate at Energy & Environmental Economics.
- Former Research Assistant at Risø National Laboratory.