

Andrei Marcu

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Sept 2000 – present

INTERNATIONAL EMISSIONS TRADING ASSOCIATION President & CEO

- Lead the organization, manage the activities of the Secretariat and increase membership
- Ensure the development of a business friendly global GHG market by promoting market mechanisms as a solution to climate change
- Represent the Association and its members in international forums as well as in front of regulators such as the EU, UNFCCC, national governments, etc
- Capacity building activities in develop and developing countries
- Market enlargement including development of Community Development Carbon Fund
- Develop partnerships with stakeholders such as WB, ADB, WWF, EPRI, IEA, UNDP, etc
- Develop and standardize key market building blocks including master contracts, validation and verification manuals, etc.

1998 – Sept 2000

UNITED NATIONS DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME

Private Sector Development Programme Manager, Corporate Initiatives

- Develop strategy for UNDP co-operation with the private sector
- Establish and maintain relations with corporations and umbrella organisations (ICC, WBCSD)
- Identify concrete projects and create partnerships with the private sector for the implementation of those projects
- Provide support to UNDP Country Offices in establishing partnerships with the private sector.
- Member of the UNDP Climate Change Steering Committee
- Develop UNDP co-operation with energy regulatory bodies: Manage UN Inter-Agency CDM Project
- Chairman of the E7 Climate Change Working Group

1981 - 1998

ONTARIO HYDRO

Toronto, Ontario

1995 to 1998

Manager Institutional Relations & Ontario Hydro E7 Representative

- Lead Ontario Hydro's participation in E7 activities. The E7 is an association of eight of the largest electric utilities in the world.
- Develop CO2 trades.
- Lead E7 participation in the Rio+5 review process and set up process for collection, dissemination and implementation of Best Practices in the electric energy field.
- Co-Chair the E7 Climate Change Working group, including implementation of projects under the AIJ Pilot Phase and represent the E7 at COP and other Climate Change international forums
- Create a network of electric utilities from G7 and developing countries to promote sustainable energy development
- Participate in international forums and coordinate E7 cooperation with international organizations such as the World Bank, UNDP, UNEP, etc.
- Define the E7 position and implement projects and initiatives on issues such as nuclear power safety, electric vehicles and renewable energy.

1995 - 1996

Sr. Advisor to the SG of the Habitat II Conference (Istanbul 1996)

- Advise the Secretary General on energy related issues in human settlements, including renewable energy technologies and electric transportation

1993 - 1995

Office of the Chairman & CEO

- Ensure overall coordination of the Chairman's activities
- Brief the Chairman on strategic issues as well as day-to-day activities.
- Review material submitted to the Chairman, provide comments and suggest follow-up
- Ensure liaison with direct reports
- Coordinate special projects, including high level international meetings
- Maintain liaison with NGOs and international multilateral organizations.
- Attend meetings with and on behalf of the Chairman

1991 - 1993

Government Relations and Public Hearings Analyst

- Co-ordinate and review Ontario Hydro's rate application.
- Prepare the strategic approach to the hearing, analyze issues from the corporate perspective, review submission, liaise with line units and regulatory board staff.

1981 - 1991

Engineer, Power System Operations Division

- Develop and maintain the corporation's relationship with neighbouring utilities, both in the US and Canada, from a technical and commercial point of view.
- Participate in efforts to market electricity surplus to the US and Canada.
- Monitor and assess the impact of changes in the U.S. regulatory framework on Ontario Hydro's marketing efforts. Maintain and develop contacts with various U.S. regulatory bodies.
- Monitor and report to upper management on Ontario Hydro's performance with respect to electricity exports
- Develop procedures for the monetization of environmental impacts of electricity exports and their recovery through the pricing structure of export sales.

1980 - 1981

BELL CANADA

Toronto, Ontario

Junior Engineer - Responsible for estimating, scheduling, writing specifications and monitoring the installation of special assemblies in the Toronto area.

EDUCATION

1988

University of Toronto

Master in Business Administration

1980

McGill University

Bachelor of Engineering

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP

- Association of Professional Engineers of Ontario
- McGill Society of Toronto

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Bilingual in English and French

Hobbies : reading, tennis, travel, soccer, scuba diving

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Andrei Marcu is President and CEO of the International Emissions Trading Association, a business association with offices in Geneva, Switzerland and Toronto, Canada. IETA includes organizations such as bp, Shell, Tokyo Electric, Ontario Power, Dupont, TransAlta, etc dedicated to the creation of an efficient and environmentally robust market for greenhouse gases to address the issue of global warming and climate change. In this capacity he has been deeply involved in COP process and the national and international effort to make the provisions of the Kyoto Protocol operational and create its governance regime

Mr. Marcu has spent most of his career in the electric power industry with Ontario Hydro in Toronto, Canada where he has worked in many areas of the corporation in a senior capacity including contracts, energy efficiency, regulatory affairs, and international operations.

As Deputy Managing Director of the E7 and Chair of the Climate Change Subcommittee he has had the opportunity to work on issues related to sustainable energy development in a sector critical to development and in implementation of Agenda 21.

He has also worked in the field of development as Manager of Private Sector Cooperation in the United Nations Development Programme, where he has pioneered cooperation between the UN system and multinational corporations.

Mr. Marcu holds a degree in electrical engineering from McGill University in Montreal and an MBA from the University of Toronto.