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Executive, Management and Board Changes in Canada's Oil & Gas Market

Top Moves



Sherri Brillon (left), who has served as **Encana Corporation's** chief financial officer since 2009, will retire at the end of May.

Corey Code has been [named](#) executive vice-

president and chief financial officer of Encana, effective May 1. With Encana since 1999, Code most recently served as vice-president, investor relations and strategy.



Michael J. Faust (left) was named interim president and chief executive officer of **Obsidian Energy Ltd.** for 12 months with an optional six-month extension. **Aaron Smith** will [assume](#) the

position of senior vice-president of development and operations with Obsidian. In related news, **David French** has stepped down as president and chief executive officer of Obsidian. French [will join](#) **Rosehill Resources Inc.** as director, president and chief executive, on or before April 30. He succeeds **Gary Hanna**, who will remain chairman of the company's board of directors.



Jason Jaskela (left) will assume the role of executive vice-president and chief operating officer of **Baytex Energy Corp.**, succeeding **Rick Ramsay**, who plans to [retire](#) on April 5. Jaskela

was previously chief operating officer of **Raging River Exploration Inc.**



David Cornhill (left), founder and chairperson of **AltaGas Ltd.**, is [stepping down](#) on April 1 as board chair. As of April 2, **Pentti Karkkainen** will assume the role of chairperson.

Karkkainen has more than 30 years of investment management, energy sector research and investment banking experience. Cornhill will remain on the board.

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Management Changes

- **Alan Withey** has been [appointed](#) interim vice-president, finance and chief financial officer at **Freehold Royalties Ltd.** following the resignation of **Darren Gunderson**. Gunderson has held many roles with the company since its inception in 1996 including controller and since 2008 vice-president, finance and chief financial officer. In related moves, **David Spyker** has been promoted to chief operating officer, and **Robert Lamond's** role has been changed to vice-president, asset development, a change from vice-president, exploration.
- **Rick Manhas** has [resigned](#) as chief operating officer of **Cordy Oilfield Services Inc.**
- **Marc Rhoades** has been [named](#) chief executive officer of **Tanager Energy Inc.** Rhoades replaces **Thomas Crain, Jr.** who has been appointed as company president and will remain on the board of directors. In addition, **Roger Braugh, Jr.**, a current board member, has been named executive chairman of the board.
- **Howard Crone** has [resigned](#) as executive vice-president of **Cequence Energy Ltd.** He will continue to serve as a director.
- **Eileen Marikar** has been named vice-president, finance at **Keyera Corp.** She was formally vice-president, controller.
- **Tom Medvedic** has been named chief financial officer at **NorthRiver Midstream Inc.** He was formerly senior vice-president, corporate development at **Calfrac Well Services Ltd.**
- **Chad Leier** is now president, Canadian operating division at **Calfrac Well Services Ltd.** He was formerly vice-president, sales and marketing for the Canadian division.
- **Cindy Chiasson** has been reappointed as a full-time hearing [commissioner](#) at the **Alberta Energy Regulator** for a term to expire on June 30, 2024. **Elizabeth McNaughtan** has been named a commissioner on a part-time basis for a term to expire March 7, 2024. **Judy Daniels** and **Brian Zaitlin** have been reappointed for part-time terms, which expire on June 30, 2024.



Board Announcements

- Evelyn Angelle** has been [appointed](#) an independent director and member of **STEP Energy Services Ltd.**'s audit committee. Angelle is a private investor and is currently a director of **Forum Energy Technologies**. Angelle served as executive vice-president and chief financial officer of **BJ Services** from January 2017 to November 2017.
- Steve Sinclair-Smith** has been [named](#) a new director of **Divestco Inc.** Sinclair-Smith is the company's current chief operating officer.
- Walter Dawson** has been [appointed](#) chairman of **Condor Petroleum Inc.**'s board of directors following the departure of **Sean Roosen**. Dawson has been a member of the board since 2011. Roosen will continue to support the company in a senior advisory role.
- David Cook** will be [appointed](#) chairman of **TransGlobe Energy Corporation**'s board of directors as part of the company's changes to its board at its annual meeting in May. **Ed LaFehr** is joining the board as a non-executive independent director. LaFehr, who is president and chief executive officer of **Baytex Energy Corp.**, replaces **Bob MacDougall**, who resigned from the board. In addition, **Robert Jennings** and **Matthew Brister** will both retire from the board in May.
- Ray Chan** and **Gary Bugeaud** will not stand for [election](#) as directors at **Baytex Energy Corp.**'s annual meeting in May.
- Dan O'Neil** has [replaced](#) **Daryl Gilbert** on the board of directors for **Cequence Energy Ltd.** O'Neil is a professional engineer with more than 30 years of experience working in the Canadian oil and gas industry, including senior management positions with **Encana Corporation**.
- Carrie Lonardelli** has been [appointed](#) to the board of directors of **Source Energy Services Ltd.** and as the new chair of the audit committee. **Marshall McRae** will not be standing for re-election to the board. His term expires on May 2 at the company's annual board meeting. Lonardelli is the chief financial officer of **Bonnetts Energy Corp.**
- Forrest Burkholder** has been named chair of the **Canadian Association of Geophysical Contractors**. Fifteen people have been [announced](#) as directors for 2019-2020.
- Rene Amirault** has [retired](#) from **Crescent Point Energy Corp.**'s board of directors. **Peter Bannister** and **Gerald Romanzin** both plan to retire from the board at the company's 2019 annual general meeting.

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