Curtis V. Anastasio

Chairman GasLog Partners LP

Anastasio is the chairman of GasLog Partners LP, a subsidiary of GasLog Ltd. He was appointed executive chairman in February 2014 and led the initial public offering of the company in May 2014.

Anastasio serves on the board of Par Pacific Holdings Inc., where he serves as chairman of the Audit Committee. He also serves on the board of The Chemours Company, which spun off from DuPont in 2015, and as a director of the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas.

He previously served as president and chief executive officer of NuStar Energy LP. Under his leadership, NuStar grew from a small business to a Fortune 500 company. Anastasio was also president and CEO of NuStar GP Holdings LLC.

Anastasio has held various positions in the upstream and downstream oil and gas industry, which have included responsibility for supply, trading, transportation, marketing, development and legal. He worked in the energy industry in Canada for several years.

He received a BA from Cornell University and a JD from Harvard Law School. After graduation, he practiced corporate law in New York City.

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Research Economist World Trade Organization

Bekkers is a research economist at the World Trade Organization, focusing on quantitative trade modeling. Before that, he was a postdoctoral researcher at the University of Bern and assistant professor at the University of Linz.

He conducts research on a wide range of topics in international trade such as firm heterogeneity, gravity modeling, traded goods prices, trade wars, food price pass-through, foreign affiliate sales and trade in services.

He has published in peer-reviewed journals such as the Economic Journal, European Economic Review, Canadian Journal of Economics, Review of International Economics, Economics Letters and World Economy.

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Cañas is a senior business economist at the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas analyzing regional economic growth. His research also focuses on issues pertaining to the Mexican economy, the U.S.-Mexico border economy and cross-border manufacturing.

He has written articles for academic journals such as Annals of Regional Science and Growth and Change and co-edited Ten Gallon Economy: Sizing up Economic Growth in Texas. His publication "Texas Border Cities Illustrate Benefits and Challenges of Trade" has been mentioned in the Wall Street Journal as well as in all major Texas newspapers.

Cañas is a member of the Mission Foods Texas-Mexico Center Faculty Advisory Board at Southern Methodist University, charged with the task of improving the Texas-Mexico relationship in its economic, political, social and cultural aspects. He is also an adjunct professor at Texas Christian University.

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The author of the book, The Electronic Silk Road, Chander is an expert on the global regulation of new technologies. He practiced law in New York and Hong Kong.

He has been a visiting law professor at Yale, the University of Chicago, Stanford, Cornell and Tsinghua. He previously served as director of the California International Law Center and as Martin Luther King Jr. Professor of Law at the University of California, Davis. A member of the American Law Institute, he has also served on the Executive Council of the American Society of International Law, where he co-founded the International Law and Technology Interest Group. A recipient of Google Research Awards and an Andrew Mellon grant on the topic of surveillance, he has served on International Center for Trade and Sustainable Development/World Economic Forum expert groups on the digital economy.

He also serves as an adjunct senior research scholar at Columbia University's School of International and Public Policy, a faculty advisor to Georgetown's Institute for Technology Law and Policy, and a faculty affiliate of Yale's Information Society Project.

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Daniel Chiquiar

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Chiquiar is currently the director of economic research at Banco de México. As chief economist of the central bank, he is the chief economic adviser to the Board of Governors. Among other responsibilities, he directs the Economic Research Division of the central bank, providing intellectual leadership and direction to the efforts aimed at contributing to the understanding of policy recommendations on current economic events and diverse issues. Much of the research is used as the basis for advice to the Board of Governors and published in top academic journals.

During his career, he has held professional appointments in both the private and public sectors. At Grupo BIMSA, he was appointed vice president of research, and later, as director of economic policy in the Finance Ministry of Mexico. In 2003, he joined Banco de México as an economic researcher, advancing to his current position. He has also been an adjunct professor at Instituto Tecnológico Autónomo de México (ITAM) and Centro de Investigación y Docencia Económicas.

He graduated from ITAM and earned a PhD in economics from the University of California San Diego.

Roberto Coronado

Senior Vice President in Charge and Senior Economist Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas, El Paso Branch

Coronado oversees the law enforcement functions and economic education programs across all offices of the Eleventh Federal Reserve District.

He also has oversight for the El Paso Branch and the Bank's economic research and outreach functions in West Texas and southern New Mexico and recruits branch board members. Coronado is also a senior economist and member of the regional group of the Bank's Research Department. In that capacity, he provides regional input into the Dallas Fed's monetary policy process and is responsible for monitoring and tracking economic and business activity in West Texas and southern New Mexico.

Coronado is a clinical assistant professor at the University of Texas at El Paso where he teaches in the Executive MBA program.

He holds a BBA in accounting and economics and an MS in economics from the University of Texas at El Paso and a PhD in economics from the University of Houston.

Alonso de Gortari

Assistant Professor Dartmouth College

De Gortari recently joined Dartmouth College as an assistant professor of economics following a one-year postdoctoral research fellowship at Princeton University.

His research has been presented in the world's foremost research universities and policy institutions and has been quoted in media outlets such as The Economist and The New York Times.

De Gortari holds a BA in economics from Instituto Tecnológico Autónomo de México (ITAM), an MA in economics from Harvard University and an MA in economic theory from ITAM. Alonso earned his PhD in economics from Harvard University. His dissertation, titled "Essays on Globalization," won the 2018 World Trade Organization's Best Essay Award.

Luisa del Rosal

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Del Rosal serves as the executive director of the Tower Center for Political Studies and founding executive director of the Mission Foods Texas-Mexico Center at SMU.

She has strategic and operational responsibility over both centers, staff oversight and board relations. Her leadership role ensures that all programming, research and fundraising align with the mission of each center.

Previously at the SMU Cox School of Business, she oversaw strategy and development of new global partners to engage in networking, leadership and business development for the Latino Leadership Initiative.

Prior to SMU, she was the community relations manager for Education is Freedom, a college access program. Previously, she was a manager of international business development for the Dallas Regional Chamber and held various positions with public relations firms. Through these positions, Luisa developed expertise in a host of areas including developing strategic initiatives, marketing, client services, fundraising and program administration.

She holds dual bachelor's degrees in political science and sociology, as well as a master's in higher education policy and leadership from SMU.

Marc Giannoni

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Giannoni is senior vice president and director of research at the Dallas Fed. He joined the Bank in 2017.

Giannoni previously was a research economist and assistant vice president in the macroeconomic and monetary studies function of the Federal Reserve Bank of New York. He is a native of Switzerland and began his career as an economist with the Swiss National Bank in Zurich in 1992.

He joined the New York Fed as an economist in 2000 before leaving to begin an academic career at the Columbia University Graduate School of Business. Giannoni rejoined the New York Fed in 2011 while continuing as an adjunct professor of finance and economics at Columbia.

He holds BA and MA degrees in economics from the University of Geneva in Switzerland and MA and PhD degrees in economics from Princeton University.

Ildefonso Guajardo Villarreal

Former Secretary of Economy of Mexico Mexico's USMCA Representative

For more than three decades, Guajardo has served in various public positions, specializing in international trade, trade negotiations, economic competition, industrial policy and regulatory reform.

He began his career as chief economist of the Brazil Section and associate economist in the Fiscal Affairs Department at the International Monetary Fund. Subsequently, he was appointed director of the North American Free Trade Agreement office at the Mexico Embassy in Washington, D.C.

Throughout his career, he has held several senior management positions at the federal and public levels including Secretary of Tourism, chief clerk of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and head of the Office of the Governor of Nuevo León.

Guajardo served as Secretary of Economy of Mexico from 2012 to 2018, where he coordinated the design and implementation of industrial policy, foreign trade, support for small and medium enterprises, business regulations, mining, regulatory reform, industrial property and consumer protection.

He earned a BA in economics from the Autonomous University of Nuevo León, a master's in economics from Arizona State University and pursued doctoral studies in public finance and economics at the University of Pennsylvania.

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Hollifield has served as an adviser to various governments in North and South America, Europe, East Asia and the Middle East and Africa, as well as the United Nations, the World Bank, the Inter-American Development Bank, the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development, the International Labor Organization, the International Organization for Migration, the European Union and other international organizations.

He is a member of the New York Council on Foreign Relations and a global fellow at the Woodrow Wilson International Center in Washington, D.C.

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Hollifield earned a BA in politics and economics from Wake Forest College, a DEA in applied economics from Sciences Po Grenoble and Paris and an MA and a PhD in political science from Duke University.

Robert S. Kaplan

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Kaplan has served as president and CEO of the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas since September 2015. He represents the Eleventh Federal Reserve District on the Federal Open Market Committee in the formulation of U.S. monetary policy and oversees the 1,200 employees of the Dallas Fed.

He was previously the Martin Marshall Professor of Management Practice and a senior associate dean at Harvard Business School. Prior to joining Harvard in 2006, Kaplan was vice chairman of Goldman Sachs Group Inc. He is the author of several books on leadership and management.

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Kehoe is the Distinguished McKnight University Professor in the Department of Economics at the University of Minnesota, where he has been a professor since 1987. He is also an adviser at the Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis.

His career has included numerous visiting professorships at universities across the globe, authoring more than 100 book chapters and academic articles and supervising 50 PhD theses in economics. He has received numerous research grants and awards and has been a fellow of the Econometric Society since 1991. In 2008, he was made Doctor Honoris Causa by the Universidad de Vigo in Spain.

Kehoe has taught at Wesleyan University, the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and the University of Cambridge in England. His research and teaching focus on the theory and application of general equilibrium models.

He received his BA in economics and mathematics from Providence College and his PhD from Yale University.

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Krueger is the senior research professor of international economics at the School for Advanced International Studies, Johns Hopkins University. She is also a senior fellow of the Center for International Development (of which she was the founding director) and the Herald L. and Caroline Ritch Emeritus Professor of Sciences and Humanities in the Economics Department at Stanford University.

She was first deputy managing director of the International Monetary Fund from 2001 to 2006. Prior to that, she taught at Stanford and Duke universities. From 1982 to 1986, she was vice president of economics and research at the World Bank. She had earlier been professor of economics at the University of Minnesota.

She is a distinguished fellow and past president of the American Economic Association, a senior research fellow of the National Bureau of Economic Research, and a member of the National Academy of Sciences, the American Academy of Arts and Sciences, the Econometric Society and the American Philosophical Society.

She has published extensively on economic development, international trade and finance and economic policy reform.

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Enrique Marroquin

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Marroquin is president of Hunt Mexico. In this role, he is responsible for expanding Hunt's presence in Mexico by seeking development and investment opportunities in the energy sector, and he currently oversees Hunt's operations in Mexico. He also leads all of Hunt's development activities in the desert Southwest region of the U.S.

Previously, Marroquin served as chief financial officer for Grupo Vanguardia in northern Mexico. Before that, he served in different business and infrastructure development roles at Grupo Cydsa in Monterrey, Mexico.

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McDaniel spent three years in Australia as deputy chief economist in Australia's patent office. She has published in the areas of international trade, intellectual property and empirical trade analysis and modeling.

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Prior to joining Brookings, he was posted as a diplomat at the Australian Embassy in Washington, D.C., where he was responsible for trade, climate and energy issues; prior to that, he was a trade negotiator in Australia's Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade.

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Before joining Monarch, he served in leadership roles at the ministries of tourism (SECTUR) and energy (SENER), where, at the latter, he served as a liaison with the Office of the President of Mexico, the state-owned companies Pemex and CFE, and the legislative branch and state governments, lobbying for passage of the 2008 energy reform and in support of the National Energy Strategy. Niembro has also served as country manager in Mexico for a renewable energy company where he built a +1 GW portfolio in solar- and wind-power projects.

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Her academic research focuses on the labor market impacts of immigration, unauthorized immigration and U.S. immigration policy. She is co-author of the book Beside the Golden Door: U.S. Immigration Reform in a New Era $of \, Globalization.$

In 2004-05, Orrenius was senior economist on the Council of Economic Advisers in Washington, advising the Bush administration on labor, health and immigration issues.

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Passel is a senior demographer at the Pew Research Center in Washington, D.C., an organization he joined in January 2005. His research interests include the demography of Hispanics and immigrants, integration of immigrants into American society and worldwide immigration trends. He has developed measures of immigration flows, especially estimates of the unauthorized immigrant population and components of change that are widely cited by all sides in debates over immigration and its effects. He also works on generational dynamics, population projections, defining racial/ethnic groups and measuring census undercount. Previous positions include principal research associate at the Urban Institute and various positions at the U.S. Census Bureau.

He has served on committees for the Population Association of America and panels for the National Academy of Sciences and the Social Security Advisory Board. He is a fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science and the American Statistical Association. In 2004, American Demographics magazine selected him as a "demographic diamond," one of the five demographers/social scientists most representative of influential work in the last 25 years.

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Widely published in the field of labor economics and international economics, Robertson previously chaired the U.S. Department of Labor's National Advisory Committee for Labor Provisions of the U.S. Free Trade Agreements and served on both the State Department's Advisory Committee on International Economic Policy and the Center for Global Development's advisory board.

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Matthew Rooney

Managing Director Bush Institute-Southern Methodist University Economic Growth Initiative, George W. Bush Institute

Rooney joined the Bush Center in June 2015 following a career as a foreign service officer with the U.S. Department of State. At postings in Washington and abroad, he focused on advocating market-driven solutions to economic policy challenges in both industrialized and developing countries, and on protecting the interests of U.S. companies abroad.

In Washington, Rooney was on loan to the U.S. Chamber of Commerce to create a high-level private sector advisory body for the Summits of the Americas, working closely with the U.S. private sector and with companies and business associations from throughout the Americas to negotiate an agenda to promote economic integration in the region. Previously, he was Deputy Assistant Secretary responsible for relations with Canada and Mexico and for regional economic policy.

Abroad, Rooney was Consul General in Munich, a consulate providing a full range of consular and export promotion services. As Counselor for Economic and Commercial Affairs at the U.S. Embassy in San Salvador, El Salvador, he laid the groundwork for free trade negotiations between the United States and the five countries of Central America and promoted market-based reforms for electrical power.

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His research explores the role of international trade in explaining real exchange rates and relative prices, the links between international trade and the process of economic development, the global effects of demographic change, the dynamics of external imbalances, and the structure of production through input-output linkages. His work has been published in peer-reviewed academic journals and Federal Reserve System publications.

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Sutcliffe's current research focuses on the Canada-U.S. border. One element of this research is the reform of the Detroit River crossing. This ongoing reform of the border crossing draws attention to the reality that the Canada-U.S. border is influenced by a diversity of actors, policy sectors and functions. This was the subject of his book, authored with William Anderson, The Canada-US Border in the 21st Century: Trade, Immigration and Security in the Age of Trump.

Sutcliffe's earlier research focused on the place and importance of local government within the European Union and in Canada, both as single case studies and in comparative perspective.

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His current research involves the linkages between international trade and structural change, long-run growth, and global value chains.

Prior to coming to Houston, Yi held positions with the Federal Reserve Banks of New York, Philadelphia and Minneapolis. In Philadelphia, he was the head of the macroeconomics section, and in Minneapolis, he was director of research and, subsequently, special policy adviser to the president.

He has also held positions with Rice University, the University of Iowa, the University of Virginia and the Wharton School at the University of Pennsylvania, as well as adjunct positions at Columbia University and New York University.

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He participates in academic and policymaking forums throughout the world and publishes his research in books, Dallas Fed publications and peer-reviewed journals.

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