

Northwestern University Electricity Dialogue on Harmonizing the Gas and Electric Industries: Weather, Markets, and Reliability

Biographies



PHILIP L. BARTLETT II, J.D., was appointed to the Maine Public Utilities Commission in June 2019 by Governor Janet Mills. Prior to his appointment, he practiced law with Scaccia, Bartlett & Chabot. He also served in the Maine Senate from 2004 to 2012 and was elected by his peers to serve as Senate Majority Leader from 2008 to 2010. Bartlett chaired the Energy, Utilities and Technology Committee as well as the Joint Select Committee on Maine's Energy Future and he served on the Government Oversight Committee, Natural Resources Committee and Labor Committee. He taught micro and macroeconomics at the collegiate level. Chairman Bartlett holds a juris doctorate degree from Harvard Law School. He completed his undergraduate work at Tufts University, where he graduated Summa Cum Laude majoring in Economics and Political Science. His term expires in March 2025.



NAOMI BONESS (Ph.D.) is the Managing Director of the Natural Gas Initiative (NGI) at Stanford University, an affiliates program that conducts research on natural gas to maximize the environmental, social and economic benefits. Dr. Boness is an experienced practitioner in the energy sector, with expertise in reservoir geophysics, environmental management, reserves, investment analysis and strategic planning.

Prior to joining Stanford, Dr. Boness held a variety of technical and management positions at Chevron, most recently in upstream strategy and portfolio analysis, with particular emphasis on North America shale gas and global LNG projects. Her current research interests are in the use of Hydrogen and natural gas for decarbonization; optimizing shale gas developments; and eradicating energy poverty in developing countries.

Dr. Boness is an invited member of the United Nations Expert Group on Resource Classification, a member of the Renewable Natural Gas Coalition Advisory Committee, and a past Chair of the Society of Exploration Geophysicists Oil and Gas Reserves Committee. Her work has been published in peer-reviewed journals; she teaches a 'Hydrogen Economy' seminar at Stanford; she presents regularly at professional conferences; and she is the author of several online geophysics and investment courses.

Dr. Boness holds a Ph.D. from Stanford University in Geophysics, a M.Sc. from Indiana University and a B.Sc. from the University of Leeds.



JONATHAN BOOE is the Executive Vice President & Chief Operating Officer of the North American Energy Standards Board (NAESB) and has been working as an attorney for the organization since 2007. As the Chief Operating Officer, Jonathan manages all NAESB staff and is responsible for the day-to-day operations of the organization, including all standards development activities undertaken to support the wholesale and retail natural gas and electricity markets. Through his various roles with NAESB, he has worked with hundreds of companies to develop business practice standards, standardized contracts, certification programs, and industry tools that add efficiency, transparency, and security to market processes. Jonathan manages the submission of all regulatory filings and other communications with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC), state utility commissions, and other state and federal entities on behalf of NAESB. He also supports the NAESB Board of Directors on corporate governance issues, strategic planning and revenue generation.

Jonathan is the acting NAESB liaison to the Department of Energy, the FERC, the National Institute of Standards and Technology, the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners, the North American Electric Reliability Corporation, the American National Standards Institute (ANSI) and many energy trade associations. Jonathan represents NAESB at various industry meetings throughout the country and abroad and has been published in several trade publications on topics related to energy and standards development. He was also recognized by the Smart Grid Interoperability Panel in 2011 for his leadership in standards development to support the Energy Independence and Security Act of 2007.

Jonathan received a Bachelor of Science from Texas A&M University and a Juris Doctorate from South Texas College of Law. He is a member of the State Bar of Texas, the Energy Bar Association and serves as a Vice Chair of the Infrastructure Security Committee for the Infrastructure and Regulated Industries Section of the American Bar Association. Jonathan is also a member of the ANSI Board of Directors, the Green

Button Alliance Board of Directors, and currently serves on the coordinating subcommittee for the National Petroleum Council's GHG Emissions Study.



DIANE X. BURMAN Since 2013, Diane X. Burman serves as a Commissioner of the New York State Public Service Commission (Commission).

Ms. Burman is a member of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners' (NARUC) serving on numerous committees including the Committee on International Relations, Washington Action Program, the Committee on Critical Infrastructure, and the Special Subcommittee on Pipeline Safety. Ms. Burman is Chair of the NARUC-Department of Energy Natural Gas Partnership Initiative. She was also appointed as Co-Vice Chair of the Select Committee on Regulatory and Industry Diversity.

Immediately prior to starting with the Commission, Ms. Burman was with the New York State Senate since 2009 having last served as the Chief Counsel to the New York State Senate Republican Conference. She served in this capacity under the Republican Majority Leader and then continued in this capacity under the Majority Coalition led by both the Republican Majority Leader and Independent Democratic Conference Majority Leader. In her capacity as the chief legislative legal officer for the New York State Senate, Ms. Burman was responsible for advising the Temporary President of the Senate and each member of the Republican Conference on every major legislative policy initiative confronting the State. Prior to her position with the Senate, she served as Special Counsel to the New York State Public Service Commission.

Ms. Burman obtained her Bachelor of Arts degree from Molloy College and her Juris Doctor degree from Fordham University School of Law. Ms. Burman was admitted to the bar in 1992.



RENUKA CHATTERJEE leads operations at the Midcontinent Independent System Operator (MISO), overseeing functions that ensure efficient and reliable grid operations. She leads all aspects of system operations, operational planning and market operations, including market settlements.

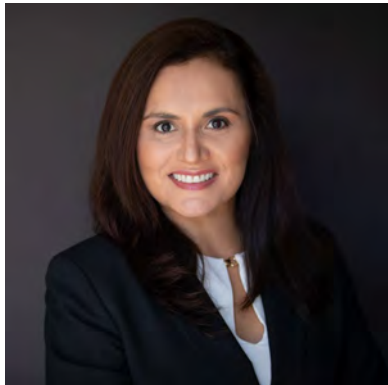
Chatterjee is well-noted for her vision on grid operations of the future that defines how the industry needs to transform the control room operations in response to the energy

portfolio evolution. She is recognized as an international leader for her contributions to grid operations through CIGRE, a global organization committed to the creation and sharing of power systems expertise.

Chatterjee joined MISO in 2000, and has served in leadership positions within operations & markets and transmission planning. She was instrumental in the establishment and implementation of MISO's reliability & market services.

At MISO, Chatterjee has led multiple strategic initiatives including wind integration, the development of seams agreements between MISO and its neighbors, resource adequacy reforms and, most recently, MISO's reliability through significant weather events including Winter Storm Uri and Hurricanes Laura and Ida. Her knowledge and experience in the field of information technology enabled her to lead MISO's application services division where she improved operational excellence through business services integration.

Chatterjee holds a Doctorate degree in Electrical Engineering from Illinois Institute of Technology in Chicago and a Master's degree in Electrical Engineering from Indian Institute of Science in Bangalore, India.



LORI COBOS was appointed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas by Governor Greg Abbott on June 17, 2021. Commissioner Cobos has been appointed to state positions four times by Governor Abbott.

Prior to being appointed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, Commissioner Cobos served as the Chief Executive and Public Counsel at the Office of Public Utility Counsel (OPUC). During her leadership at OPUC, Commissioner Cobos elevated the agency's profile and strengthened the agency's legal representation, policy advocacy, and consumer outreach and assistance.

Commissioner Cobos has over 20 years of broad experience in the Texas electric power industry in both the public and private sector. She has served in several senior-level positions at the PUCT, including serving as an advisor for two PUCT Commissioners, assistant counsel to the PUCT Executive Director, and senior policy analyst in the PUCT's policy development division, and served as in-house counsel at ERCOT.

In the private sector, Commissioner Cobos has served as a director of government and regulatory affairs for a power generation company and has served as principal owner of her own legal and consulting firm, where she represented and advised clients on legal, regulatory, public policy, legislative, and business development matters in the Texas electric power industry.



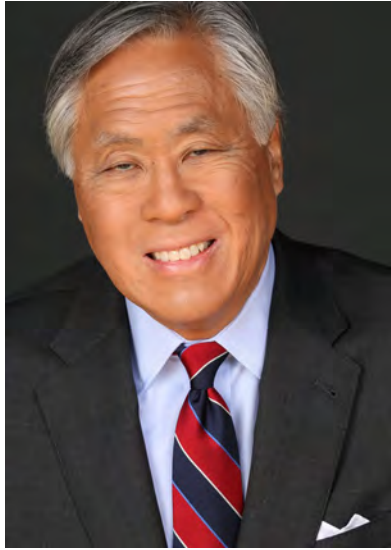
JULIE FEDORCHAK Commissioner of the ND Public Service Commission. Julie Fedorchak has served on the Commission since 2012. She heads the pipeline, electric transmission and energy conversion siting; railroad; MISO/OMS; and economic regulation-gas portfolios.

Julie is the first vice president of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners (NARUC), past president of the Organization of MISO States (OMS), vice-chair of the NARUC Gas Committee and vice president of the Gas Technology Institute's advisory board. She is a member of the Aspen Institute's Rodel Class of 2015.

A North Dakota native, Julie was appointed to the Public Service Commission in December 2012 by Gov. Jack Dalrymple. She was confirmed by voters in 2014 and was elected to a full six-year term in 2016 and again in 2022.

Julie's overarching priority is to make government more responsive to North Dakota citizens. With her leadership, North Dakota became the first state to mitigate the light pollution caused by continuous red blinking lights on wind generators spanning the state's open landscape. She has pushed for innovative ways to connect rural areas to natural gas service and led efforts to enhance the Commission's pipeline reclamation program and tree and shrub mitigation plans. Julie developed and received legislative approval for a state rail safety program and is a tireless advocate for reliable, affordable utility services. She also reinstated the Commission's consumer affairs portfolio to provide greater public awareness, participation, and transparency in the work of the PSC.

Julie graduated with honors from the University of North Dakota and is married to Mike Fedorchak of Minot. They have three children and live in Bismarck. Julie is a trustee for the University of Mary, board member of the Missouri Valley United Way and is a regular volunteer for her local homeless shelter. In her free time, she enjoys reading, cooking, entertaining, swimming and biking.



ROBERT W. GEE is President of Gee Strategies Group, LLC, a Washington, D.C. consulting firm providing policy analysis, advocacy, and litigation support for investors, trade associations, utilities, renewable energy companies, independent power companies, and public institutions. A thought leader in the energy industry for over 40 years, he has served as an attorney, senior state and federal public official, and technology executive. His commentary has appeared on widely viewed media such as PBS, CNBC, and BBC television. His editorials have been published in the Los Angeles Times, the Dallas Morning News, and the Houston Chronicle.

He served as Vice President for Development and Partner Relations for the Electricity Innovation Institute (E2I), an affiliate of the Electric Power Research Institute (EPRI), where he advocated development of the smart grid to digitize the electric utility power delivery system.

From 1997 to 2000 he served as Assistant Secretary for Policy and International Affairs and as Assistant Secretary for Fossil Energy of the U.S. Department of Energy in Washington, D.C. He chaired the Energy Department's Central Asia/Caspian energy strategy, and was responsible for the timely completion of the Department's 1998 Comprehensive National Energy Strategy. He also oversaw the operation of the Strategic Petroleum Reserve, and the national research program to develop and demonstrate advanced clean coal, natural gas, and petroleum technologies.

From 1991 until 1997 he served on the Public Utility Commission of Texas and as its Chairman from 1991 through 1995. During his service, he chaired the Committee on Electricity for the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners.

He has served as an Attorney Advisor at the Interstate Commerce Commission and as a Supervisory Trial Attorney at the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission. He was also Of Counsel to the law firm of Akin, Gump, Strauss, Hauer & Feld.

Mr. Gee currently serves on the boards of various institutions, including the United States Energy Association (Treasurer), North American Energy Standards Board Advisory Council, and Asian Americans in Energy, the Environment, and Commerce (AE2C)(President). He is a former board member of the Committee of 100.

His past affiliations included serving as a Trustee for St. Edward's University in Austin, Texas, and as a member of the Dallas Regional Panel of the President's Commission on White House Fellowships.

He is a recipient of various honors and awards, including the distinction of having a hearing room named for him by his colleagues at the Public Utility Commission of Texas.

He holds a Bachelor's Degree with Honors and a Law Degree from the University of Texas at Austin.



JOHN L. HAYNES is the Chief Commercial Officer of Boardwalk Pipelines which includes the interstate natural gas pipelines and associated gas storage facilities of Texas Gas and Gulf South. He is also the President of Boardwalk's intrastate gas pipeline companies, Boardwalk Texas Intrastate and Boardwalk Louisiana Gas Transmission. With over 15,000 miles of pipelines and 200 BCF of storage, Boardwalk's assets span the region from South Texas to Ohio and from Oklahoma to Florida. It's customers represent a diverse group of LDC's, LNG terminals, power generators, industrials, producers, and marketers.

While Mr. Haynes has been with Boardwalk for 16 years, he previously served in senior strategic planning and major capital project development roles for CenterPoint Energy, Tennessee Gas, Columbia Gulf and Global Marine. He holds a BS degree from University of Houston and MBA from the University of St. Thomas.

In addition to his Boardwalk position, Mr. Haynes also serves as a member of the Board of Advisors to the University of St. Thomas, Cameron School of Business in Houston, TX.



MELISSA LAVINSON is Head of Corporate Affairs for New England for National Grid, where she is responsible for leading National Grid's issue management, state legislative affairs and government relations, community engagement and local government relations, large customer services, stakeholder and reputation management, media relations, strategic communications, political strategy, and the company's Grid for Good philanthropic program for the region. She joined National Grid in September 2022 from Exelon Corporation, where she was SVP of Federal Government and Regulatory Affairs and Public Policy.

Melissa previously served as SVP of Governmental and External Affairs for Pepco Holdings, Inc. (PHI), the parent company of Pepco, Delmarva Power and Atlantic City Electric, which provide gas and electric service to Delaware, Maryland, New Jersey and the District of Columbia. During her tenure at PHI, she was responsible for the design and implementation of stakeholder relations and issues

management programs, as well as legislative affairs in each jurisdiction. She also oversaw the company's reputation and corporate responsibility initiatives, including philanthropic and volunteer programs.

Prior to PHI, Lavinson spent more than 20 years at California-based PG&E Corporation holding a number of successively larger leadership roles culminating as the vice president of Federal Affairs and Policy and Chief Sustainability Officer.

Earlier in her career, Melissa worked at MRW and Associates and in ICF Consulting's Climate Change Practice. She sits on several local and national boards, including the Keystone Center Energy Advisory Board and Smart Electric Power Association Board and holds a bachelor's degree in Economics from Hamilton College.



ANN MCCABE was appointed to a five-year term at the Illinois Commerce Commission starting February 1, 2022. She previously served on the Commission from March 2012-January 2017.

Prior to returning to the ICC, for two years Ann led the US team at the Regulatory Assistance Project (RAP) and consulted with non-profits and trade associations. She has over 25 years of energy, climate and environmental policy experience in the public, private and non-profit sectors.

Ann is on the boards of the Organization of PJM States, Inc. (OPSI), Financial Research Institute, Institute of Regulatory Law and Economics, and GridForward. She has a master's degree in public policy from the University of Chicago's Harris School and a bachelor's in political science from Williams College.



PAUL F. MCGLYNN is executive director – System Operations at PJM Interconnection. Mr. McGlynn is responsible for the management of the System Operation Division to ensure the secure, reliable, economic, and coordinated operation of the PJM Interconnection system. In this role, Mr. McGlynn directs and oversees all System Operation Division activities for the efficient and reliable operation and coordination of the PJM bulk power system including load forecasting, scheduling and dispatch of generating units, coordinating generating unit and transmission outages, scheduling power interchange transactions with neighboring systems and monitoring and

control of the loading and voltages of the system within established reliability standards.

Prior to assuming his position in System Operation, Mr. McGlynn was the senior director – System Planning, PJM Interconnection. In that role, he was responsible for the development of the PJM Regional Transmission Expansion Plan, including transmission planning, interregional planning and the analytic activities in support of the interconnection process. These responsibilities include assessing long-term transmission system adequacy and reliability, and recommending bulk transmission system expansions or enhancement options

Prior to joining PJM, Mr. McGlynn held various positions in engineering and operations at Exelon.

Mr. McGlynn earned a Bachelor of Science in electrical engineering from The Pennsylvania State University and a Master of Science in electrical engineering from Drexel University. He is a registered professional engineer in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and is a senior member of the IEEE. PJM Interconnection, founded in 1927, ensures the reliability of the high-voltage electric power system serving 65 million people in all or parts of Delaware, Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Maryland, Michigan, New Jersey, North Carolina, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Tennessee, Virginia, West Virginia and the District of Columbia. PJM coordinates and directs the operation of the region's transmission grid, which includes over 84,236 miles of transmission lines; administers a competitive wholesale electricity market; and plans regional transmission expansion improvements to maintain grid reliability and relieve congestion. PJM's regional grid and market operations produce annual savings of \$2.8 billion to \$3.1 billion. For the latest news about PJM, visit PJM Inside Lines at insidelines.pjm.com.



PHILIP D. MOELLER is Executive Vice President, Business Operations Group and Regulatory Affairs at the Edison Electric Institute (EEI). EEI is the association that represents all of the nation's investorowned electric companies.

Mr. Moeller has significant responsibility over a broad range of issues that affect the future structure of the electric power industry and new rules in evolving competitive markets. He has responsibility over the strategic areas of energy supply and finance, environment, energy delivery, energy services, federal and state regulatory issues, and international affairs.

EEI's member companies increasingly are focused on delivering innovative solutions that meet customers' changing expectations. Mr. Moeller works with EEI's member companies to identify policy solutions and business opportunities to better serve customers.

Prior to joining EEI in February 2016, Mr. Moeller served as a Commissioner on the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC), ending his tenure as the second-longest serving member of the Commission. In office from 2006 through 2015, Mr. Moeller ended his service as the only Senate-confirmed member of the federal government appointed by both President George W. Bush and President Barack Obama. At FERC, Mr. Moeller championed policies promoting improved wholesale electricity markets, increasing investment in electric transmission and natural gas pipeline infrastructure, and enhancing the coordination of the electric power and natural gas industries.

Earlier in his career, Mr. Moeller headed the Washington, D.C., office of Alliant Energy Corporation. He also served as a Senior Legislative Assistant for Energy Policy to U.S. Senator Slade Gorton (R-WA), and as the Staff Coordinator of the Washington State Senate Energy and Telecommunications Committee in Olympia, Washington.

Mr. Moeller was born in Chicago and raised on a ranch near Spokane, Washington. He received a BA in Political Science from Stanford University.



from Hamilton College.

CHRIS MOSER, Executive Vice President, Head of Competitive Markets and Policy, leads the regulatory and government affairs teams at NRG. In this newly created position, he is responsible for advancing and protecting competitive energy markets while developing NRG's advocacy strategy and defending the company's interests both at the state and federal levels. Prior to this role, Chris served for six years as Executive Vice President, Market and Plant Operations, where he oversaw both the operation of the company's generation fleet and the commodity trading activity. Chris has a master's degree from the University of Pittsburgh's Graduate School of Public and International Affairs and a bachelor's degree



STEVE PIPER Research Director, Energy, S&P Global Commodity Insights, has over 25 years' experience in the electric power and upstream fuels business, specializing in market price forecasting, economic feasibility assessment, demand forecasting, and environmental analysis. Mr. Piper manages strategic research and forecasting for Market Intelligence and Commodity Insights clients in the utilities, natural gas, and coal industries. Mr. Piper earned a BA from Grinnell College and an MPM from the School of Public Affairs at University of Maryland-College Park.



BRUCE REW is Senior Vice President of Operations for Southwest Power Pool, Inc., located in Little Rock, Arkansas. He is responsible for SPP's real-time reliability and market operations. These responsibilities include the Balancing Authority, day-ahead and real-time markets, market design, and analysis support of all reliability functions. Recently Mr. Rew has been working on SPP's expansion in the Western Interconnection including the RC services, Western Energy Imbalance Service market, Markets+ and the RTO expansion. He started his 30+ year career with SPP in the planning area and has served in various engineering and management positions. Prior to SPP, Mr. Rew served in the United States Air Force on a

Titan II nuclear missile launch crew.

Mr. Rew received a Bachelor of Science Degree in electrical engineering from Louisiana Tech University in 1990 and a Master of Science in operations management from the University of Arkansas in 1992. He is also a graduate of Harvard's Business School's Advanced Management Program. He is a registered Professional Engineer in Arkansas.



BENJAMIN J. SCHOENE is Director, Regulatory Affairs, Commercial Gas and Power, for ConocoPhillips.

After an early professional career in the fleet management business, Schoene began his energy career with Enron in 2001 and ConocoPhillips in 2002 as a natural gas scheduler. He furthered his commercial natural gas experience through an analytical role primarily focused on longer-term supply and demand fundamentals from 2005 to 2008.

After two years in ConocoPhillips' corporate Strategy and Portfolio Management group, Schoene returned to Commercial to support the implementation of a new risk and trading platform for natural gas. He transitioned to his current regulatory role in 2013, supporting ConocoPhillips' Commercial Gas and Power organization with a primary focus on FERC natural gas pipeline proceedings and related activities, as well as natural gas market policy issues.

Schoene serves on NGSA's FERC Natural Gas Advisory Group and Power Markets Advisory Group, API's Gas and Power Market Subcommittee (Chair), and NAESB's WGQ Executive Committee and WGQ Business Process Subcommittee (Co-Chair).

Schoene graduated from the University of Oregon in 1997 with a bachelor of business administration and earned a master of business administration from the University of Houston in 2010. He is married with two sons and spends his free time coaching youth baseball and fixing his golf game.



DOUG SCOTT was appointed Chair of the Illinois Commerce Commission by Governor J.B. Pritzker on June 17, 2023. This is Scott's second stint as Chair, having served in that position from 2011-2015. Between engagements with the ICC, Scott was Vice President of the Great Plains Institute, where he worked on decarbonization efforts with States, utilities and other interested parties. His team at GPI focused on utility business models, transmission and clean energy/climate plans. As part of that work, Scott served as an advisor to the Illinois Governor's Office on energy and environmental issues, including development of the Climate and Equitable Jobs Act.

Before his first session with the ICC, Scott served in a variety of public sector positions for over twenty-five years, including Director of the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency, Mayor of the City of Rockford, State Representative and City Attorney for

Rockford. A native of Rockford, Scott received his Bachelor of Arts with honors from the University of Tulsa, and a Juris Doctorate with honors from Marquette University.

Doug and his wife Tammy have been married since 1985 and reside in South Beloit, Illinois.



SARAH STEINBERG is a Policy Director at Advanced Energy United, an industry association of advanced energy companies seeking to repower the economy with 100% clean energy. She is leading United's work related to the gas transition, with a focus on the intersection between the electric and gas systems. Sarah has spent the last several years working on legislative and regulatory policy across the country in states such as Nevada and Indiana. This has included resource planning, utility business model innovation, distributed energy resources, transportation electrification, and more. Prior to United, she worked for several years on energy policy for a Massachusetts State Representative. She holds a Bachelor of Arts from Middlebury College, and a Master of Public Administration from the University of Colorado Denver.



SUSAN TIERNEY is an expert on energy economics, regulation, and policy, particularly in the electric and gas industries. She has consulted to businesses, federal and state governments, tribes, environmental groups, foundations, and other organizations on energy markets, economic and environmental regulation and strategy, and energy projects. She has testified before Congress, state and federal regulatory agencies, and federal and state courts. Previously, she served as the Assistant Secretary for Policy at the U.S. Department of Energy. In Massachusetts, she was the Secretary of Environmental Affairs, Commissioner at the Department of Public Utilities, Chairman of the Board of the Massachusetts Water Resources Authority, and Executive Director of the Energy Facilities Siting Council. She earned her Ph.D. and M.A. in regional planning at Cornell University.

Dr. Tierney has authored numerous articles, taught at the Department of Urban Studies and Planning at MIT and at the University of California at Irvine, and lectured at Harvard, Yale, New York University, Tufts, Northwestern, and University of Michigan. She chairs the Board of Resources for the Future. She is a trustee of the Barr Foundation, the Alfred P. Sloan Foundation, the Coalition for Green Capital, and World Resources Institute. She is a member of the advisory councils at New York University's

Policy Integrity Institute and of the New York Independent System Operator (NYISO), and participates in the Keystone Center's Energy Board meetings. She is a member of the National Academies of Sciences, Engineering and Medicine's (NASEM) Committee on Accelerating Decarbonization in the U.S., and their Climate Crossroads Advisory Council. She was a member of the NASEM's Committee on the Future of Electric Power and the Committee on Enhancing the Resilience of the Nation's Electric Power Transmission and Distribution System. She chairs the External Advisory Council of the National Renewable Energy Laboratory (NREL), previously chaired DOE's Electricity Advisory Committee, and has assisted the North American Energy Standards Board (NAESB) in its Gas-Electric Harmonization Forums. In 2020 was designated as a lifetime National Associate of the National Research Council of the National Academies.



REBECCA CAMERON VALCQ (Becky) was appointed by Governor Tony Evers to serve as a Commissioner at the Public Service Commission of Wisconsin (PSC or Commission) on January 7, 2019 for a six-year term. In March 2019 she was appointed Commission Chairperson for a two-year term and subsequently reappointed as Chairperson in 2021 and 2023. She is the first Latina to hold the position of Chairperson.

Prior to accepting her position at the PSC, Becky was a Partner at Quarles & Brady in the Energy, Environment, and Natural Resources practice group. Previously, Becky was Regulatory Counsel for Wisconsin Electric Power Company, where she advised management on all areas of regulatory law in multiple jurisdictions and compliance matters.

As a member of the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners, Becky serves on the Water Committee and the Select Committee on Regulatory and Industry Diversity. Becky also serves on the National Utilities Diversity Council Board of Directors as Co-Chair. She previously served on the Advisory Committee of the Midcontinent Independent System Operator (MISO), a Regional Transmission Organization which administers the wholesale electricity market in all or parts of 11 U.S. states and the Canadian province of Manitoba. She also served on the Board of Directors of the Organization of MISO States.



SAMUEL T. WALSH was sworn in as the General Counsel of the Department of Energy on August 11, 2021. Immediately prior to re-joining DOE, Mr. Walsh was a partner at the law firm Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis LLP in Washington, DC. Mr. Walsh previously served at the Department from 2010 to 2016, as Deputy General Counsel for Energy Policy, Associate General Counsel, and Senior Legal Advisor to the General Counsel. Before his former service at DOE, Mr. Walsh was an attorney in the energy group at Hogan Lovells LLP and a law clerk to the Honorable Judge David S. Tatel of the U.S. Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit. Mr. Walsh holds a B.A. from Yale College, an M.P.A. from the Harvard Kennedy School, and a J.D. from Harvard Law

School.

Originally from New York, Walsh now lives in Washington D.C. with his wife and two children.