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CRAIG JIMENEZ is a corporate board member with extensive experience in international energy, climate governance, and aviation.

He is known for prudent oversight of risks, opportunities, reporting, safety, and culture.

Since 2019, Craig has been an independent director at Air Tractor, a manufacturer of precision agricultural, firefighting, and special-use aircraft with robust international growth.

He is a pilot at American Airlines and previously served on Envoy Air's accident investigation committee and on ALPA International Air Safety Organization's Aircraft Design & Operations group. He also chaired ALPA's Energy & Environment group which covered Sustainable Aviation Fuels, contrails, and airport infrastructure.

Craig served 2021-2023 as a designated board observer at Advanced Ionics, a green industrial hydrogen company. He served 2014-2018 as co-founder and board member of EcoCentri, a provider of industrial emissions control and carbon capture.

He served 2005-2012 as President of OGE Energy Resources, the \$1.3B energy and environmental-products subsidiary of OGE Energy Corp. He realigned the company to optimize assets and provide risk-management for fuels, emissions, and renewable energy. Beyond markets, he worked to reduce SO_x, fugitive methane, and safety exposures.

At the parent level (NYSE OGE), Craig chaired the Commodity Guidance Committee, served on the Corporate Risk Oversight Committee, and served on various committees overseeing safety, community outreach, and incentive compensation.

Craig's year of work and study in Italy led him to seek international postings. From 1991-1997, Craig lived in Dhahran (KSA), where he led multi-disciplinary teams to develop geo-statistical tools for Aramco's simulator POWERS, a successful implementation of massively-parallel computation.

At Mirant (now NRG), Craig held P&L roles in energy storage and international liquified natural gas (LNG) arbitrage. He founded Mirant's weather-energy (parametric) options business, which tailored risk mitigation products for retail energy providers.

At FEA (now Allegro), Craig prototyped and sold the market-leading software for valuation and risk management of energy storage. His publications, presentations, product support, and personal connections drove sales in the US and Canada.

Craig's prior boards also include OGE Energy Resources, National Energy Services Association, PWA, Angel Flight (Chair Safety & Tech), Oklahoma School of Science and Mathematics (Chair Finance), and NACD North Texas.

Craig is a speaker and author on energy, climate, and risk. He co-authored articles for the Directors and Chief Risk Officers Group on compensation and risk committee issues, was named to *Private Company Director* magazine's Directors to Watch, and has been an invited climate panelist at NACD Summit, LCDA Convening, Diligent's Climate Leadership Certificate program and NACD Climate Continuous Learning Cohort.

He is NACD Directorship Certified™, an NACD Board Leadership Fellow and a Diligent Climate Leadership Certificate holder. He's active in NACD, the Institute for Excellence in Corporate Governance (at the University of Texas Dallas), and the Latino Corporate Directors Association.

Craig earned an MS Computational & Applied Math from UT Austin, an M.Eng. Offshore Engineering from Cal Berkeley, and a BSME from Stanford. His curiosity drives ongoing university courses in energy, climate, finance, trade, technology, cryptography, AI, and cybersecurity (<https://AwlBiz.com/courses.htm>).