

# British Columbia Chamber Executives



2016 - 2017

# Membership Directory

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## BCCE Past Presidents

1982/83 Ross Axworthy, Penticton  
1983/84 Ross Axworthy, Penticton  
1984/85 Dudley Ritchie, M.R./Pitt Meadows  
1985/86 Diane Haycock, Burnaby  
1986/87 Alan Forsdick, Summerland  
1987/88 Alan Forsdick, Summerland  
1988/89 Roslyn Castleden, Delta  
1989/90 Barbara Berry, Dawson Creek  
1990/91 Susan Carlson, Nanaimo  
1991/92 Lou Biggerman, Parksville & District  
1992/93 Bobbie Phillips, Terrace & District  
1993/94 Bobbie Phillips, Terrace & District  
1994/95 Wendy Magee, Squamish  
1995/96 Elizabeth Voigt, Tri-Cities  
1996/97 Trudy Eklund-Dorie, Fort St. John  
1997/98 Barry Wood, Comox Valley  
1998/99 Judi Ainsworth, North Vancouver  
1999/00 Judi Ainsworth, North Vancouver  
2000/01 Brenda Dehn, Chilliwack  
2001/02 Lynn Whitehouse, Greater Langley  
2002/03 Adelheid Bender, Revelstoke  
2003/04 Bonnie Bates-Gibbs, Kelowna  
2004/05 Cori Lynn Carlson, Greater Nanaimo  
2005/06 Karin Penner, Cranbrook  
2006/07 Coralee Oaks, Quesnel  
2007/08 Audrey Maxwell-Polovnikoff, Castlegar  
2008/09 Paul Wortley, Sparwood  
2009/10 Dianne Hawkins, Comox Valley  
2010/11 Deb McClelland, Kamloops  
2011/12 Colleen Clark, Sechelt  
2012/13 Maureen Czirfusz, Houston  
2013/14 Maureen Czirfusz, Houston  
2014/15 Allan Asaph, Abbotsford

## Gerry Frederick Memorial

### Executive of the Year Award

1990 Diane Remple, Surrey  
1991 Gerry Frederick, Kelowna  
1992 Lou Biggerman, Parksville & District  
1993 Roslyn Castleden, BC Chamber  
1994 Inge Wilson, Hope & District  
1995 Bobbie Phillips, Terrace & District  
1996 Peggy Chute, Lytton & District  
1997 Karin Penner, Cranbrook  
1998 Judi Ainsworth, North Vancouver  
1999 Lynn Whitehouse, Langley  
2000 Sherry Sethen, Prince George  
2001 Bonnie Bates Gibbs, Kelowna  
2002 Adelheid Bender, Revelstoke  
2003 John Singleton, Penticton  
2004 Cori Lynn Carlson, Nanaimo  
2005 Doreen Favel, Sicamous  
2006 Paul Wortley, Sparwood  
2007 Claudia Blair, Williams Lake  
2008 Deb McClelland, Kamloops  
2009 Coralee Oakes, Quesnel  
2010 Bruce Carter, Victoria  
2011 Pete Roaf, Delta  
2012 Colleen Evans, Houston  
  
2013 Maureen Czirfusz, Campbell River  
2014 Patti Noonan, Armstrong  
2015 Susan Clovechok, Columbia Valley  
2016 Trish Parsons, Kitimat



**BCCE Committees & Task Forces 2016/2017**

<b>COMMITTEE</b>	<b>CHAIR</b>
Awards	Patti Noonan, Armstrong Spallumcheen
Bursaries	
Communications - Newsletter and Governance  - Website	Dan Rogers, Greater Vernon  Allan Asaph, Abbotsford
Conference & Sponsorship	Sonja Nagel Duncan-Cowichan
Membership	Fieny van den Boom, Chilliwack
Nominations	Allan Asaph, Abbotsford
Finance	Tammy Verigini-Burk Castlegar & District
Professional Development/ Education	Brandy Maslowski, Penticton & Wine Country

## **BCCE Members (alphabetical)**

### ***Abbotsford Chamber of Commerce***

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Year started as Executive Director: 2011

Membership: 700

### ***Abbotsford Chamber of Commerce***

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Year started as Office Manager: 1994

Membership: 700

### ***Alberni Valley Chamber of Commerce***

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Email: [bill@albernichamber.ca](mailto:bill@albernichamber.ca)

Web: [www.albernichamber.ca](http://www.albernichamber.ca)

Year started as Executive Director: 2013

Membership: 300+

### ***Armstrong Spallumcheen***

#### **Chamber of Commerce**

#### **Patti Noonan, Executive Director**

Box 118

Armstrong, V0E 1B0

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Year started as Executive Director: 2004

Membership: 210

### ***Barriere & District Chamber of Commerce***

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Year started as Manager: 2016

Membership: 60

### ***British Columbia Chamber of Commerce***

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Year started with the BC Chamber: 2017

Membership: 122 chambers, 585 corporate

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Year started with the BC Chamber: 2017

Membership: 122 chambers, 585 corporate

### ***Burns Lake & District Chamber of Commerce***

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Year started as Manager: 2017

Membership: 145

**Campbell River & District Chamber of Commerce**  
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Year started as Executive Director: 2007  
Membership: 400

**Castlegar & District Chamber of Commerce**  
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Year started as Executive Director: 2012  
Membership: 250

**Chemainus Chamber of Commerce**  
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Chemainus, BC V0R 1K0  
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Year started as Executive Director:  
Membership:

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Web: [www.chetwyndchamber.ca](http://www.chetwyndchamber.ca)  
Year started as Manager: 2017  
Membership: 121

**Chilliwack Chamber of Commerce**  
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Year started as Executive Director: 2013  
Membership: 500

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Year started as Executive Director: 2010  
Membership: 260

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Web: [www.comoxvalleychamber.com](http://www.comoxvalleychamber.com)  
Year started as Executive Director: 2004  
Membership: 537

**Cranbrook & District Chamber of Commerce**  
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Year started as Manager: 2015  
Membership: 484

**Creston Valley Chamber of Commerce**  
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Year started as Manager: 2016  
Membership: 150

**Dawson Creek & District Chamber of Commerce**  
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Year started as Manager: 2011  
Membership: 285

**Delta Chamber of Commerce**  
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Year started as Executive Director: 2016  
Membership: 407

**Duncan-Cowichan Chamber of Commerce**  
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Year started as Executive Director: 2012  
Membership: 450

**Enderby & District Chamber of Commerce**  
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Year started as General Manager: 2017  
Membership: 146

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Year started as Executive Director: 2015  
Membership: 266

**Fort St. James Chamber of Commerce**  
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Year started as Manager: 2014  
Membership: 80

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Year started as Manager: 2014  
Membership: 377

**Fraser Lake & District Chamber of Commerce**

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Year started as Manager: 2016  
Membership: 21

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Year started as Manager:  
Membership: 212

**Houston & District Chamber of Commerce**

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Year started as Manager: 2007  
Membership: 105

**Kitimat Chamber of Commerce**

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Year started as Manager: 2009  
Membership: 248

**Kamloops Chamber of Commerce**

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Year started as Executive Director: 1999  
Membership: 785

**Ladysmith Chamber of Commerce**

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Year started as Manager:  
Membership: 175

**Kelowna Chamber of Commerce**

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Year started as CEO: 2017 (Vernon 2014)  
Membership: 1325

**Langley (Greater) Chamber of Commerce**

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Year started as Executive Director: 2016  
Membership: 980



**Lumby & District Chamber of Commerce**  
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Year started as Executive Director: 2005  
Membership: 100

**Mackenzie Chamber of Commerce**  
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[www.mackenziechamber.bc.ca](http://www.mackenziechamber.bc.ca)  
Year started as Manager: 2012  
Membership: 140

**Maple Ridge & Pitt Meadows Chamber of Commerce**  
**, Executive Director**  
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Year started as Manager: 2014  
Membership: 484

**Mission Regional Chamber of Commerce**  
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Year started as Executive Director: 2015  
Membership: 485

**Nakusp & District Chamber of Commerce**  
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Web: [www.nakusparrowlakes.com](http://www.nakusparrowlakes.com)  
Year started as Executive Director: 2011  
Membership: 135

**Nanaimo (Greater) Chamber of Commerce**  
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Web: [www.nanaimochamber.bc.ca](http://www.nanaimochamber.bc.ca)  
Year started as Executive Director: 2014  
Membership: 752

**Nelson & District Chamber of Commerce**  
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Year started as Executive Director:  
Membership: 500+

**New Westminster Chamber of Commerce**  
**Lizz Kelly, CEO**  
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New Westminster V3L 3A7  
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Year started as CEO: 2016  
Membership: 375

**North Vancouver Chamber of Commerce**

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North Vancouver V7M 3N3

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Year started as CEO: 2017

Membership: 695

**Port Hardy & District Chamber of Commerce**

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Web: [www.porthardychamber.com](http://www.porthardychamber.com)

Year started as Manager: 2014

Membership: 173

**Parksville & District Chamber of Commerce**

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Parksville, BC V9P 1G3

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Year started as Executive Director: 2009

Membership: 430

**Prince George Chamber of Commerce**

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Year started as CEO: 2013

Membership: 880

**Pender Island Chamber of Commerce**

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Year started as Executive Director: 2015

Membership: 81

**Prince Rupert & District Chamber of Commerce**

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Year started as Executive Director: 2013

Membership: 273

**Penticton & Wine Country Chamber of Commerce**

**Brandy Maslowski, General Manager**

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Year started as Manager: 2015

Membership: 685

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Year started as President/CEO: 2012

Membership: 270

***Quesnel Chamber of Commerce***

**Amber Gregg, Manager**

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Year started as Manager: 2014

Membership: 242

***Salmon Arm Chamber of Commerce***

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Year started as General Manager: 2006

Membership: 275

***Revelstoke Chamber of Commerce***

**Executive Director**

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Year started as Director:

Membership: 299

***Sechelt & District Chamber of Commerce***

**Theresa Logan, Executive Director**

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Year started as Executive Director: 2016

Membership: 180

***Richmond Chamber of Commerce***

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Year started as Executive Director: 2015

Membership: 900

***Sicamous & District Chamber of Commerce***

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Year started as Manager: 2017

Membership: 105

***Saanich Peninsula Chamber of Commerce***

**Denny Warner, Executive Director**

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Year started as Executive Director:

Membership:

***Smithers District Chamber of Commerce***

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Year started as Manager: 2007

Membership: 200

**Sooke Region Chamber of Commerce**

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Year started as Office Manager:

Membership: 162

**Sparwood & District Chamber of Commerce**

**Beverly MacNaughton, Manager**

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Year started as Manager: 2013

Membership: 133

**South Cariboo Chamber of Commerce**

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Year started as Manager: 2014

Membership: 149

**Squamish Chamber of Commerce**

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Year started as Manager:

Membership: 345

**South Okanagan Chamber of Commerce**

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Year started as CEO:

Membership: 260

**Summerland Chamber of Commerce**

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Year started as Manager: 2012

Membership: 720

**South Shuswap Chamber of Commerce**

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Year started as Executive Director:

Membership: 100

**Terrace & District Chamber of Commerce**

**Michelle Taylor, Executive Director**

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Year started as Executive Director: 2017

Membership: 280

***Tofino- Long Beach Chamber of Commerce***

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Year started as Executive Director: 2014

Membership: 300

***Ucluelet Chamber of Commerce***

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Year started as General Manager: 2017

Membership: 120

***Trail & District Chamber of Commerce***

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Year started as Executive Director: 2015

Membership: 220

***Valemount Chamber of Commerce***

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Year started as General Manager:

Membership: 60

***Tri-Cities Chamber of Commerce***

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Year started as Executive Director: 2010

Membership: 925

***Vancouver Board of Trade (Greater)***

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Year started as membership director:

Membership: 5000

***Tumbler Ridge Chamber of Commerce***

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Year started as Manager: 2016

Membership: 72

***Vanderhoof Chamber of Commerce***

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Year started as Executive Director:

Membership: 168

***Vernon (Greater) Chamber of Commerce***

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Year started as General Manager: 2017

Membership: 532

***Williams Lake & District  
Chamber of Commerce***

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Year started as Executive Director: 1985

Membership: 285

***Victoria (Greater) Chamber of Commerce***

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Year started as CEO: 2016

Membership: 1400

***Westside (Greater) Board of Trade***

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Year started as Manager: 2012

Membership: 340

***Whistler Chamber of Commerce***

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Year started as CEO: 2016

Membership: 650

## What does your BCCE do for you?

### ***What is BCCE?***

The British Columbia Chamber Executives is a not-for-profit voluntary association created especially for Chamber of Commerce and Board of Trade managers and staff in British Columbia. Our affiliation with CCEC (Chamber of Commerce Executives of Canada) provides a strong Canadian network of Chamber of Commerce/Board of Trade professionals. Membership is open to all Chamber of Commerce/Board of Trade management.

### ***Why should you be a member?***

British Columbia's top Chamber Executives agree that "life-long learning" is an important philosophy for Canada's future. BCCE exists as an avenue to further your professional development in Chamber/Board management. The networking opportunities, interchange of information and ideas, and access to tools and training designed specifically for association staff and administrators will assist you in providing professional and effective management of your organization.

### ***Our Objectives Are:***

- to promote ethical standards and professionalism in the management of Chambers of Commerce and Boards of Trade;
- to encourage the mutual interchange of information and ideas among its members;
- to enhance the personal growth, development and management effectiveness of Chamber of Commerce and Board of Trade Executives; and
- to undertake such services and activities as shall be deemed to be in the best interest of the Manager / Executive Directors.

### ***What Benefits Do You Receive?***

- access to the Membership Directory, an invaluable tool for networking,
- liaison with the Canadian Institute for Organizational Management,
- meetings with other professionals in your field offering provincial diversity and sharing of ideas, and,
- keeping in touch with a regular newsletter and many opportunities for networking.

### ***And There's More...***

- helpful hints on issues such as: motivating Board members; coping with annual volunteer transition; orienting new Board members on their roles and responsibilities;
- an accreditation program for Chamber managers (the only one in Canada) that gives credit for courses taken through BCCE, CIOM, elective courses through community colleges as well as experience on the job;
- novel fund-raising and promotional ideas; and
- the advantage of provincial survey results provided to members.

Join the rest of your peers and share your ideas with BC's top Chamber Executives!