



Michael Linsk

ESC Consultant Since: 2012

Education:

MBA, University of Southern California
BS in Business Administration, University of
Southern California CPA (Active)
Licensed Real Estate Broker (California)

AREAS OF EXPERTISE: Organizational Assessment, Strategic Planning and Implementation, Board Development, Finance, Accounting

FOR-PROFIT AND GOVERNMENT EXPERIENCE: Michael has over 40 years of professional experience. He initially served as a senior financial executive with several national residential development, finance and investment companies. Later, he served as a consultant with an international organization providing strategic analysis, restructuring, litigation and due-diligence services to companies engaged in real estate development, investment and finance. In his most recent position, as Managing Director at FTI Consulting, Inc., Michael led assignments providing strategic reorganization and expert witness consulting on behalf of companies.

At the beginning of Michael's career he was a CPA with an international public accounting firm. He was then Chief Financial Officer with several major regional and national real estate developers, including a subsidiary of a NYSE listed insurance company. Subsequently, he was Chief Financial Officer of the service corporation subsidiaries of Glendale Federal Savings and Loan before being appointed President of the real estate investment, syndication and mortgage banking subsidiaries. Later, he was Senior Vice President of Leisure+Technology (NYSE) a developer of large scale active adult retirement communities.

Between 1997 and 2000, Mr. Linsk founded and led the the financial advisory service practice for an international accounting firm in Tokyo, Japan. In this capacity, he was instrumental in providing professional services related to disposition and resolution of portfolios of real estate secured loans, as well as the restructuring or sale of troubled companies.

NONPROFIT VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE: Michael is a current Board member and Audit Committee Chair of A Community of Friends, where he had also served as Board Chair. He has also served on the Boards of Temple Judea of Tarzana and American Theater Arts, a repertory theater company, where he was Board Chair.

EXAMPLES OF ESC CLIENTS: Developing Development Program (Junior Achievements), Wells Fargo New Executive Director Institute (UCLA Riordan Foundation), Daniel Pearl Foundation, Beit T'Shuvah

INTERESTS: Photography, music (singing), oil painting, travel