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Highlights

Brad Johnson 31 Mutual Connections
You and Eben both know Brad Johnson, Kevin Book, and 29 others

University of Wisconsin-Madison You both studied at University of Wisconsin-Madison
Eben studied at University of Wisconsin-Madison before you started

Experience

Cheniere Energy, Inc. Vice President, Communications
Cheniere Energy, Inc.
Mar 2017 - Present • 1 yr
Houston, Texas Area

U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) Director of Public Affairs
U.S. Department of Energy (DOE)
Jun 2016 - Jan 2017 • 8 mos
Washington, DC

Top public affairs official for U.S. Department of Energy as Senior Executive Service political appointee in Obama administration; create and oversee communications efforts for U.S. Secretary of Energy Ernest Moniz, DOE leadership, and agency consisting of 100,000+ employees and 17 national labs. Manage team of 20+ communication professionals and oversee 100+ public affairs staff throughout DOE complex. Direct DOE communications on major Obama administration and agency initiatives, including largest single energy efficiency rule in history, Iran nuclear deal, Paris climate negotiations, and presidential transition. Staff Secretary Moniz on domestic and international travel, including highly-sensitive trips for nuclear, energy, climate negotiations. Grew @EnergyPressSec account by 9,000+ followers. Top secret clearance granted.

U.S. Department of Energy Deputy Director, Public Affairs
U.S. Department of Energy
May 2015 - Jun 2016 • 1 yr 2 mos

United States Director of Strategic Communications and Speechwriter

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Michael Carr • 2nd Partner - Energy Consulting

Melanie Nakagawa • 2nd Head of Climate Initiative, Prin Global

Melanie Kenderdine • 2nd Principal at Energy Futures Init

David T. Danielson • 2nd Managing Director, Breakthrou Energy Ventures; Former DOE Assistant Secretary of Energy Efficiency & Renewable Energy

Jeff Logan • 2nd Clean Energy Analyst

Joshua Saks • 2nd Legislative Director at National Wildlife Federation

Ernest Moniz • 2nd President & CEO of the Energy Futures Initiative

Learn the skills Eben has

Communicating in T 6 Change Viewers: 7,106



Office of Senator Ed Markey

Lead communications strategist for high-profile Senator elected in special election. Responsible for all communications, including earned media, social media, political positioning, crisis communications. Chief speechwriter on all issues. Focus on energy and environment policy. Grew social networks and increased engagement, taking Senator Markey's Twitter account from inception to more than 19,000 followers and Facebook to more than 6,000 likes. Manage multiple staff and interns in both digital and press capacities. Oversaw website redesign.

Deputy Staff Director for Communications

House Natural Resources Committee

Jan 2011 - Jul 2013 • 2 yrs 7 mos

Communications leader for committee and House Democrats on energy, environment, Native American, and public lands issues. Worked with committee members, House Democratic leadership, and directly managed communications activities with two dozen staff to devise and implement media and political actions to advance policy positions.

Worked during volunteer time advising communications strategy and speechwriting during Senator Markey's successful campaign.

- Positioned then-Rep. Markey as major voice on natural gas issues.
-Led successful communications campaign overturning TSA policy to allow knives on planes.
-Featured by National Journal as one of the top 300 staffers on Capitol Hill.

Communications Director

House Select Committee on Energy Independence and Global Warming

Mar 2007 - Feb 2011 • 4 yrs

Top communications strategist for Congress-wide effort to pass energy and global warming legislation, overseeing communications for committee created by House Speaker Nancy Pelosi.

- Led communications push on oversight and accountability effort surrounding the BP oil spill; first in world to post and name Spillcam, deemed the "word of the year" by Global Language Monitor.
-Directed coordinated communications efforts leading to the historical passage of the first global warming pollution limits in Congress.
-Successfully implemented aggressive media campaign to pass groundbreaking energy legislation in 2007, including centerpiece fuel economy legislation championed by Chairman Markey.
-Designed the highly decorated Congressional website, globalwarming.house.gov, winner of the Golden Dot for best website in all federal, state or local government, a Pollie, Webby Honoree, and several other honors.



Senior Communications Associate

NRDC

Apr 2003 - Mar 2007 • 4 yrs

Developed and executed strategic communications initiatives on global warming and energy issues for NRDC's flagship programs.

- Conceived groundbreaking "green" Sports Illustrated issue, collaborated with SI to publish.
-Devised and implemented multi-city media campaign to promote report on link between global warming and unhealthy air days. Resulted in multiple front-page stories and coverage in key cities.
-On-the-ground spokesperson for two media tours through 8 states and more than 25 media markets.



Account Executive

Fenton Communications

2000 - 2002 • 2 yrs

Developed and implemented strategic communications plans for environmental, health, foundations and other not-for-profit clients.

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### Education



**University of Wisconsin-Madison**  
Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) with Honors, History  
1995 – 1999



**University College London, U. of London**  
1998 – 1998



**Boston Latin School**  
1991 – 1995

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