

James Oborne UE

Jim Oborne spent 25 years with investment dealers Pitfield Mackay Ross and Nesbitt Thomson in Montreal, Toronto and Winnipeg in Corporate Finance and Branch Management. Also, from 1977 to 2000, he was an investment advisor to two significant institutional funds and registered as such with the Security Commissions and Stock Exchanges was a Governor of the Winnipeg Stock Exchange and Seat Holder of the Winnipeg Commodity Exchange.

Jim established his own company, Westgate Capital, in 1989 to manage Manitoba's first local venture capital fund. From 1985 to 2012, Jim served on over 30 boards of directors in Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg, Calgary, Vancouver and Anchorage-Chairing several and has been recognized as an expert in corporate governance. He was a Founding Director of the North West Company during its expansion from Northern Canada to Alaska to the Far East and the Caribbean.

Jim continues to be a director of several-including The St. Andrew's Society, The Intrepid Society, The 78th Fraser Highlanders, the Cloyne and District Historical Society and The Skootamatta District Ratepayers Association.