# 11th Annual Canadian Captives & Corporate Insurance **Strategies Summit**

#### Wenesday May 27th & Thursday May 28th, 2015 | Sheraton Centre Toronto

**Captive Formation & Expansion** 

**Tax Updates** 

**Domicile Opportunities** 

**Regulatory Compliance** 

**Governance & Best Practices** 

In-house Claims Management

**Operational Excellence** 

Investment Strategies

**Captive Rating** 

### **Hear From These Thought Leaders:**



Anne Chalmers,

Vice President, Risk & Security & Chair, Materials Stewardship Committee.

**Teck Resources Limited** 



Kevin McCredie, President. **Sylvite Financial Services** 



Elizabeth Marinescu, Corporate Contracts and Risk Manager, Supreme Group LP



Andrew Bradley, Head of Risk Services, **Nestlé Group** 



Nahla Hanna, President & Attorney In Fact, **Ontario Municipal Insurance Exchange** 

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- 5. BC Poultry Insurance Company
- Marsh Canada
- 7. Sylvite Financial Services
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- 5. Investment Strategies: Maximize your captive's returns
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- Benchmarking: Lessons learned from new and mature structures
- Captive Formation: Examine captive formation drivers, benefits and challenges
- Captive Expansion: Expand insurance products and fund risk management programs
- 10. Captive Strategies: Create business value & use captives as risk management tools

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## Tailor your insurance coverage to meet your corporate needs.

Source practical strategies to mitigate risks, reduce long-term costs and generate business value through the use of a captive.

A captive and other risk retention structures can be flexible financial tools for your company to insure itself against various risks, at a lower cost than the commercial insurance market.

Take this opportunity to expand your corporate insurance strategy through leading case studies and panel discussions advancing industry best practices.

Hear first hand what the drivers are behind different captive formations. Source strategies behind captive expansion, from new lines such as employee benefits to loss prevention and risk management program funding.

Keep abreast of new regulations, tax updates, and innovative investment strategies. Ensure the operational excellence of your captive to protect your company through governance and policies and increase audit vigilance.

Don't reinvent the wheel. Draw from the lessons and experiences of new and mature structures, their successes, failures and pitfalls. Source new insights to strengthen your captive as a risk management tool and deliver lower costs to your organization. Reimagine your corporate insurance and risks responses to shore up your organization's defences.

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Emulate their success. Learn from their challenges to save time, money, and reduce risk. Establish your organization as the next leader! This conference only comes around once a year; register now, as this event is sure to sell out!

#### **Strategy Institute Conference Differentiators:**

- 1. Eight exclusive Canadian and International case studies
- 2. Industry-vetted speakers
- 3. History of distinguished delegates
- The ONLY Captive conference for Canadian Risk Managers
- 5. Limited number of participants to facilitate quality face-to-face interaction

Take this opportunity to see how your colleagues are doing; share your experiences and exchange ideas and strategies! If you want to meet with your peers in the field and form valuable connections, this is your best opportunity

#### Attend this one-of-a-kind conference specifically designed for Risk and Insurance Executives to manage risks, reduce costs and improve stability.

VPs, Directors & Managers in Risk and Insurance | Captive Owners (Current and Future) | Chief Risk Officers | CFOs & Controllers | **Treasurers** 

- Understand how to mitigate new risk exposures
- Achieve lower costs and increased revenue through captives
- Build robust compliance strategies and avoid sanctions
- Explore new fronting strategies that save you money and lower risk
- Minimize your tax implications and better prepare for regulatory audits
- Prepare for new global regulatory guidelines for your captive

#### Captive Managers | Brokers | Service Providers | Consultants | **Reinsurers and Fronting Carriers**

- Respond to the needs of risk managers to address their needs
- Deliver your solutions to industry's emerging concerns
- Connect with current and potential captive owners

#### Accountants | Actuary | Corporate Tax Lawyers | Underwriters

- Build relationships with executives from consulting firms
- Promote your services to current and potential captive owners
- Stay abreast of the latest industry developments

#### **Domiciles and Regulators**

- Advance client understanding of regulations within domiciles
- Promote awareness of your jurisdiction
- Network with current and potential captive owners
- Establish your jurisdiction as an optimal choice

#### Don't take our word for it: hear what your peers have to say:

- Captured the content that I was looking for."
  - Robert Reid, Director, Specialty Risk, **Martin Merry Reid**
- Lots of information, but useful to process and learn for
  - Surinder Gill, Risk Officer, **Capstone Mining Corp.**
- Worthwhile conference; lots of different points of view. Very good handouts."
  - Peter Lueke, VP, **Energi Canada Ltd**
- Good ratio of risk managers/corporates to service providers. Risk manager panels very informative and valuable."
  - Susan Lane, SVP, Aon
- Great networking opportunity."
  - William Montanez, Director, Risk Management, **ACE Hardware Corp.**

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## New to Captives: Attend This 101 Workshop

#### Tuesday May 26th, 2015 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM

#### A Roadmap to Captive Formation

Captives can be a long-term solution for organizations to control risks, improve stability and minimize costs. This interactive halfday workshop will guide you through the fundamental end-to-end process involved in creating a captive. Learn the ABCs of captive formation and take away key lessons, including:

- 1. What you need to know upfront
- 2. Benefits and tradeoffs of captive structures
- 3. Implementation concerns and feasibility
- 4. A business case and objectives
- 5. Resource and capital requirements
- 6. Domicile selection
- 7. Best practices in accounting and governance
- 8. Regulation and compliance fundamentals

Essential, In-depth & Interactive!

Everything you need to make an informed decision on whether a captive is right for your company, in one place - at one time taught by international experts!





7:30 AM **Registration and Continental Breakfast** 

8:15 AM **Opening Comments from the Chair** 

8:30 AM **Keynote Address: Teck Resources Limited** 

#### How to Use Your Captive to Bring Business Value into **Your Company and Enhance Your Corporate Insurance Program**

Set up in 2006, Teck Resources' captive was initially designed to grow slowly. However, after the challenging economics of late 2008 resulting in low cashflow, the captive needed to take on more risk in a hurry. Hear some key lessons learned, from inception to today, to guide you on your captive journey, and get a full picture of:

- What business decisions were made, what risks got added & why
- How the captive adapted to change and growth
- Current captive status and expansions, such as medical stop loss and looking at other employee benefits

Source key insights from this captive journey to get the most value out of your captive.



Anne Chalmers, Vice President, Risk & Security & Chair, Materials Stewardship Committee. **Teck Resources Limited** 

9:30 AM

Case Study: Supreme Group LP

#### A Mid-size Captive's Journey: From Rationale, Drivers and Set Up to Operation, Financial Benefits and **Lessons Learned**

Many companies feel they are too small for a captive, even though they see the benefit of forming one. In 2006 Supreme Group LP formed a captive to overcome the restrictions to building up a reserve to manage its enterprise risk. Hear how Supreme Group formed its captive and insights into its workings and lessons. Examine:

- Main considerations and drivers behind the formation of the
- How Supreme Group's captive operates, benefits and savings
- Challenges, lessons learned and recommendations

Learn what should compel you to set up a captive and how to leverage to advance internal corporate goals.



Elizabeth Marinescu, Corporate Contracts and Risk Manager, Supreme Group LP

#### 10:15 AM Mid-morning Networking Break

Interact with conference speakers and fellow attendees. Secure important new business contacts and talk about crucial developments in your field.

10:45 AM

Case Study: **BC Poultry Captive Insurance Company** 

#### Strategic Planning and Response to Shared Risks in the BC Poultry Sector: Lessons in Patience and Perseverance

In 2004 an Avian Influenza outbreak resulted in a devastating impact to the BC Poultry industries and associated value chains. In 2011 after an exhaustive risk assessment process, the industry initiated the formation of an association captive insurance company to cover disease risks. Experience the BC Poultry Industry's on-going captive formation journey, the lessons learned and the road ahead for this proactive risk management strategy.

- Business logic behind the captive formation
- Benefits to the poultry industry and captive members
- Regulatory and collaboration challenges

Take away valuable lessons in captive formation.



Harvey Sasaki, Chief Advisor, BC Poultry Insurance Company & President, Agri-Saki Consulting

11:30 AM **Panel** 

#### "Hardening" Your Captive: Protecting Your Captive (and **Parent) Through Operational Excellence**

Captives are real insurance companies and need to be governed and have practices, policies and procedures, which reinforce this basic principle. Whether considering a new captive or reviewing existing captive operations, hear how you can implement best practices to reinforce leading edge actions that the best captives are using today.

- Compliance with new regulations, such as proper transfer pricing and spread of risk
- Proper structure, policies committee mandates for the Board of Directors
- Auditing and self-auditing of captive
- Using experts to confirm proper practices and procedures

Take away strategies to apply and improve your captive's operations right away.



Mark Roberton, Director, **Palm Captive Consulting** 



Senior Risk Manager, Oil & Gas Industry

Join the conference speakers and your peers for a relaxing luncheon.

1:30 PM **Domicile Selection** 

## **Evaluate the Advantages of Each Domicile to Best Meet Your Insurance Objectives**

There are many domiciles available to current and potential captives, each with their own benefit. Create your action plan for measuring each domicile's value for your captive. Maximize your captive's potential by choosing the domicile that:

- Strengthens your captive's goals
- Provides optimum regulatory environments for your captive
- Maximizes your captive's tax benefits
- Creates an action plan for securing the best domicile for your captive.

Create an action plan for securing the best domicile for your captive.

SpeakerTBA,

**British Virgin Island International Finance Centre** 

SpeakerTBA,
Invest Barbados

→ More to come...

2:30 PM

Case Study Sylvite Financial

## **Seizing on the Financial Benefits for Mid-sized and Group Captives**

Many companies feel they are too small for a captive, even though they see the benefit of forming one. Gain valuable insight into how you can use captives to lower your company's cost of risk while enhancing your risk profile and risk control. Prepare your action plan to build a group captive that:

- Protects your organization against industry specific risks
- Reduces your risk exposure at a lower cost

Be aware of the opportunities group and association captives hold for you and your organization.



Kevin McCredie,

President,

Sylvite Financial Services



Trevor Mapplebeck,

Managing Director, Alternative Risk Solutions,

Marsh Canada

3:15 PM Mid-afternoon Networking Break

Interact with conference speakers and fellow attendees.

3:45 PM

Case Study:
Ontario Municipal Insurance Exchange

## Learn How to Self-assess Your Successes and Pitfalls: a Candid Assessment of a Mature Reciprocal

With 25 years under its belt, OMEX has learned to identify the risks inherent in municipal operations and provide coverage and risk management tools that meet Ontario needs. Take an inside look into the lifetime of this mature reciprocal and benefit from OMEX's experience. Learn how to:

- Understand the advantages, disadvantages, myths, and misconceptions of reciprocal insurance
- Assess the successes over the past 25 years
- Identify continued challenges and pitfalls, and a way to overcome them

Learn from this reciprocal's experiences and take away valuable lessons for your ART strategy.



Nahla Hanna,
President & Attorney In Fact,
Ontario Municipal Insurance Exchange

4:30 PM Case Study

## **Develop Investment Strategies for Your Captive to Preserve Capital and Maximize Returns**

Your organization's ability to retain risk will depend on the captive's financial viability. Determine what you want to get out of your investments, what options are available to your captive, and how to work with your investment manager to create a portfolio that meets your current and future needs. Establish a roadmap to:

- Determine your asset allocation according to your risk profile and stage in captive lifecycle
- Evaluate the current capital market outlook and expected returns on your investments

Maximize your captive's investment return.



Gordon Anderson,
President,
Cidel Trust



Senior Risk Manager,

#### 5:15 PM Conference Adjourns to Day Two

#### 5:20 PM Evening Social Activities

Unwind and mingle with the delegates and speakers at our "exclusive" end-of-the-day reception. Bring your business cards!





7:45 AM **Registration and Continental Breakfast** 

8:15 AM **Opening Comments from the Chair** 

8:30 AM Keynote Address: Nestlé Group

#### **How to Use Your Captive as a Risk Management Tool** to Support Loss Prevention Initiatives Throughout the **Organization**

Most captives are seen as a "cash box", set up to pay out claims. However, captives can effectively be used as a central tool to improve your risk management programs. Hear about Nestlé's Reinsurance Captive, its model and growth drivers, and what makes it a success story. Learn how you can leverage your captive to:

- Optimize the total cost of insurable risk
- Support risk management, loss prevention, and corporate finance issues
- Provide risk financing solutions to support business opportunities

Make the most out of your captive and take it to the next level.



Andrew Bradley, CEO, Intercona Re & Head of Risk Services, Nestlé Group

9:15 AM **Industry Expert** 

#### Learn How to Optimize the Use and Value of Your **Captive**

Deciding on a captive requires a clear understanding of when a captive makes good financial sense; and, when it doesn't. Build your captive strategy by assessing the value on a captive and how to use it effectively. Explore how to:

- Maximize the benefits and minimize the limitations of captives
- Protect yourself against financially devastating risks within reason
- Provide tax efficiencies that preserve capital under the right circumstances

Understand where your captive can have the most potential and manage its limitations.



Ricardo Knight, President & CEO, JLT Barbados

10:00 AM Mid-morning Networking Break

Interact with conference speakers and fellow attendees.

#### 10:30 AM **Captive Rating**

#### **Understanding the Interactive Rating Process: The Drivers Behind Ratings and Other Considerations**

Obtaining a financial strength rating for your captive insurance operations can provide both economic and market perception benefits. However, it can also have drawbacks if/when the rating changes or is withdrawn. Take advantage of this opportunity to hear why captives choose to get rated and some lessons learned.

- Explore the advantages and disadvantages of captive ratings
- Assess if a captive rating is the right fit for your organization
- Meet stringent regulatory requirements in certain jurisdictions
- Avoid some of the pitfalls that may arise when captives are rated

Explore how your captive can benefit from being rated.



Jim Fowler, Business Development Manager - Rating Services,

#### 11:15 AM **Industry Expert**

#### Navigate the Evolving Tax Landscape for Your Captive to **Maintain Compliance**

A major component of a captive strategy will involve addressing and monitoring the tax implications of your captive structure. Learn the latest developments in international tax rules that may affect your captive, discuss strategies to mitigate tax risks, and realize tax opportunities. Achieve critical insights into how you can:

- Assess the latest changes to domestic and international tax rules that will affect captives
- Address tax implications to parent companies for captive arrangements
- Prepare for tax audits and be primed for contingencies in advance

Achieve compliance and realize substantial monetary savings for your organization with tax planning.



Paul Vienneau, Partner, Tax Corporate Advisory, **Deloitte LLP** 

#### 12:00 PM **Networking Luncheon**

Join the conference speakers and your peers for a relaxing luncheon.

#### About this conference

Strategy Institute is proud to host the 11th Annual Canadian Captives & Corporate Insurance Strategies Summit. As Canada's only conference on captive and corporate insurance, this annual event earned its reputation by gathering thought leaders from around the globe.

This summit provides an exceptional forum for risk managers and insurance professionals to build knowledge and enhance decisionmaking. In an exclusive setting, senior executives connect with peers in this rare opportunity to exchange ideas, best practices, and insights.

#### 1:15 PM

## Implement Guidelines to Benchmark Your Captive and Boost Your Performance

Common misconceptions that captives, once set up, can run themselves can cause you to fall behind your peers. Investigate how to measure the quality of your captive's policies, programs and performance against captive peers to prevent captives becoming complacent. Establish a roadmap to:

- Identify potential problems, trends and patterns
- Benchmark your program structure, policies, and claim duration
- Examine market trends and typical large losses for your industry
- Assess possible solutions to identified problems as well as new opportunities to save money

Keep your captive on track and improve its overall performance.

#### 2:00 PM Case Study

## Implementing a Strategic Captive Plan to Respond to Emerging Global Risks

New threats continue to emerge at the global level, exposing companies to previously unforeseen risks. Counter your risk exposure through a prudent and comprehensive captive strategy that accounts for all contingencies. Build your captive strategy to control emerging risks by:

- Ascertaining where the greatest threats exist
- Exploring how a captive can tackle emerging risks
- Employing new forms of captives that insure against emerging risks

Bolster your response to global risks through a comprehensive captive.

#### 2:45 PM Mid-afternoon Networking Break

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3:15 PM

Case Study: Kenan Advantage

## Improve Your Operational and Cost Efficiency with an In-house Claims Management Model

The success of your captive will depend to some extent in its ability to manage claims effectively. Learn how you can set up a claims administration program in-house, increase your costs savings, and accelerate the processing cycle while providing superior service to your insured. This session will analyze:

- Benefits and challenges of setting an in-house claims administration
- Claims resolution and inventory management strategies
- Claims data and scenarios for loss prevention

Develop a progressive, cost-effective claims management model.

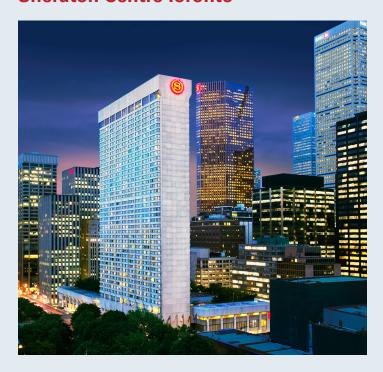


Todd Allen,
Former VP Risk Management,
Kenan Advantage Group

4:00 PM Conference Adjourns

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