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- David R Beatty is a professor at the Rotman School of Management at the University of Toronto. He teaches strategy in large diversified corporations to MBA students. In 2004 Business Week rated his Executive MBA strategy course third in the world. The graduating MBA class of 2005 and 2007 voted him “Professor of the Year.”
- Professor Beatty was the founding Managing Director of the Canadian Coalition for Good Governance from 2003-2008. The Coalition has 48 members and total Assets Under Management of Cdn\$1,300 billion.
- David helped found the Directors Education Program at the Rotman School in collaboration with the Canadian Institute of Corporate Directors. David is a member of the Public Sector Advisory Group of the Global Corporate Governance Forum – the World Bank affiliate dedicated to improving corporate governance globally as well as a director of the International Corporate Governance Network based in London.
- Professor Beatty has served on a total of 30 boards (and been chair of five companies) over his career in Canada, the United States, Mexico and Australia. He is currently a director of the Bank of Montreal, First Service and Inmet Mining (where he is Lead Director).
- From 1985 to 1994, Mr. Beatty was President of Weston Foods, a \$2 billion North American food processing company with 14,000 employees and 52 plants. Earlier he worked with McKinsey & Company and helped found The Canada Consulting Group (now part of the Boston Consulting Group).
- Mr. Beatty spent 2 years in Tanzania as Chief Transportation Economist in the Planning Ministry and 4 years in Papua New Guinea as Director of the Central Planning Office during the transition from colonial status to independence.
- He was awarded an O.B.E. by Queen Elizabeth II in 1994 for his work in Papua New Guinea. And he was awarded a 30 Year Independence medal by the Grand Chief Michael Somare at the United Nations in 2006.
- He was educated at Trinity College at the University of Toronto and Queens’ College in Cambridge, U.K. where he was a Nuffield Foundation award winner.