



“Decreasing the environmental footprint of our built environment is critical to humankind’s continued survival and enjoyment on our planet. Windmill is leading by example in real estate development and proving that greater sustainability is not only achievable, but advantageous on numerous levels.”

Jeff Westeinde is a founding partner of Windmill Development Group, Canada's leading sustainable real estate developer. Mr. Westeinde provides his expertise with the selection, remediation and development of brownfield sites in urban areas, a major part of Windmill's development model.

Mr. Westeinde is also the Chief Executive Officer of Quantum Murray LP, Canada's largest environmental decommissioning contractor. Jeff co-founded Quantum Environmental Group, a national full service environmental remediation and hazardous waste materials management company, in 1992 and championed a merger in 2007 with Murray Demolition, Canada's largest demolition contractor, to form Quantum Murray LP. Quantum Murray employs over 800 professionals from offices throughout British Columbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan and Ontario. Quantum Murray has been recognized as one of Canada's fastest growing companies and one of the Top 50 Employers in Canada.

Mr. Westeinde is an active investor and entrepreneur in both the cleantech and real estate sectors with investments in solar energy technologies that promote the beneficial re-use of waste and significant developable real estate holdings.

Mr. Westeinde has been distinguished as Entrepreneur of the Year by Ernst and Young, named one of Canada's Top 40 under 40 by the Globe and Mail, and won the Young Alumni Award from the University of Western Ontario.

Jeff is active on numerous charitable, civic and industry initiatives. He is currently serving as the chairman of the Ottawa Center for Regional Innovation (OCRI), on the Community Services Cabinet for the United Way of Ottawa and is on the Algonquin College Foundation Board. He formerly served on the Brownfields Advisory Task Force for Canada's National Roundtable on the Environment and the Economy

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Engineering, University of Western Ontario, 1989

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Chair, Ottawa Centre for Regional Innovation (OCRI)
Member, Algonquin College Foundation Board
Member, University of Western Ontario Engineering Faculty Dean's Advisory Council
Founding Member, Canadian Brownfields Network
Member, Professional Engineers of Ontario
Member, Association of Professional Engineers
Member, Geoscientists of BC

AWARDS & HONOURS

Ernst & Young's Entrepreneur of the Year for BC, Business to Business Category, 2001
Top 40 under 40, Globe and Mail's Report on Business, 2003
Young Alumni Award of Merit, University of Western Ontario, 2003
Top 50 Best Managed Companies, Deloitte, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009
Canada's Fastest Growing Companies, Profit Magazine, 2000
7th & 14th, Top 100 International Demolition Companies Division of Research & Innovation, 2009, 2010
25th, Top 40 Canadian Contractors, HCN On-Site Magazine, 2009