Ranti Okunoren, Principal Corporate Counsel – Global Lead Retail, Consumer Goods, Gaming and Energy Industry, Microsoft

Ranti Okunoren is a Principal Corporate Counsel at Microsoft with extensive experience in legal support for the global energy and retail industries. She proficiently navigates complex issues related to intellectual property, data privacy, antitrust, compliance, and responsible AI.

Ranti has led initiatives to enhance customer adoption of Microsoft's AI products, engaging with global customers and addressing legal challenges. Before joining Microsoft, she served as Deputy General Counsel at the Army and Air Force Exchange Service, providing strategic legal counsel on a broad range of contracts, including energy supply contracts on military installations worldwide. Prior to that, while at a law firm, Ranti supported clients in the upstream business in Texas and Oklahoma.

Based in Dallas, Texas, Ranti obtained her bachelor's degree in Information Systems and her law degree from SMU Dedman School of Law.

Donald Spankuch, Vice President, Gas & Power Operations, BP

Don Spankuch is Vice President, Gas & Power Operations at BP Energy Company. He has 34 years of experience in various roles both internal and external to BP, 22 of those years in a leadership position, with his last role being Sr. Manager, West Gas Operations. Prior to this, he held several positions with BP including 3 years in US Pipelines & Logistics in Tulsa, and 17 years serving on our Gas & Power Operations team. In 2023, he returned from a seconded position at Eleox, a technology start-up specializing in the post trade process. Don held the position of Product Director, where he was responsible for the creation of Eleox's post trade products and customer experience strategy with Eleox's six consortium members: Macquarie, CCI, Koch, Shell, Mercuria, and BP.

Mark Wyatt, Executive Director - Digital Solution Delivery, MISO

Mark Wyatt is the Executive Director of Digital Solution delivery at Midcontinent Independent System Operator (MISO), leading digital transformation efforts at the largest power grid operator in the U.S. With over 19 years of experience at MISO, he has overseen digital solutions, data analytics, and customer experience, consistently delivering high-value results in these domains.

Prior to his current role, Mark held various executive director leadership positions at MISO, including executive director of data analytics and customer experience, where he enhanced MISO's customer-facing capabilities; executive director of customer experience & business management; executive director of human resources & shared services; and executive director of total rewards. His work has been pivotal in shaping business management strategies and advancing big data initiatives across the organization.