

## **SAGE Board of Directors with Biographical Information**



**John Daggett, Board Member**

Dr. John Daggett served Oregon's public schools for over thirty years, including twelve of those years as superintendent of the Ashland School District. As a retiree, he remains active in education and has taught or supervised at the University of Washington, Lewis & Clark College, the University of Oregon, and served as an Oregon School Improvement Facilitator. He has studied the scholarship and practice of resiliency with a focus on schools for over twenty years and collaborated with other institutions and individuals to build more resilient families and communities. He holds a Bachelor's degree in Education/English, and a Master's Degree in Education/Psychology from Portland State University and a Ph.D. in Education Policy and Management with a focus on Organization Development from the University of Oregon.



**Lori Davidson, Board Member**

Lori Davidson is a marketing professional with thirty years of experience in business and nonprofit communications. She recently served as the Marketing Director for the Northwest Earth Institute. She also served as Marketing Director at Intel Corp for fifteen years, and as a Senior Director for National Fundraising for Oregon Public Broadcasting. She holds a Bachelor's degree in business from the University of Wisconsin, and an MBA in marketing from Santa Clara University.



**Ward Greene, President and Chair**

Ward Greene is Senior Counsel at the commercial law firm of Williams Kastner Greene & Markley. He has practiced law for forty years, served as President of the Multnomah Bar Association and Vice President of the Oregon State Bar. In addition to serving on SAGE's Board, Ward currently serves on the Board of Ascent Funding. Ward has a B.S. in business from Florida State University, followed by a J.D. from Duke University.



**Danielle Lessler, Board Member and Vice Chair of Young Leaders Advisory Board.**

Danielle Lessler is an audit senior assistant at the accounting firm of Deloitte & Touche, LLP. Originally from the United Kingdom, she has become an active member of the Portland State University community and is passionate about helping other students meet their educational and career goals. She is also the Vice Chair of SAGE's Young Adult Leadership Advisory Board, which serves as an inter-generational bridge to advance solutions to challenges facing future generations. Danielle has a Bachelor of Arts from PSU in Accounting and Supply Chain Management.



**Leslie Johnson, Board Member**

Leslie Johnson is a commercial lawyer at Samuels Yoelin Kantor LLP. She has practiced law for over twenty years and brings to her practice a broad range of pre-law experience, including six years at NIKE, Inc., and in law offices working on complex business transactions and business litigation issues. Leslie also has many years of volunteer experience with Bar committees and programs. Outside of law, she focuses her energy on nonprofits that build civic engagement, community good will and neighborhood involvement. Leslie has also served on the Board of Governors of the City Club of Portland. She has a B.S. from Portland State University, followed by a J.D. from the Northwestern School of Law at Lewis & Clark College.



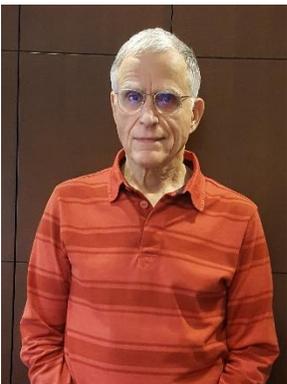
**Mary Markley, Board Member**

Mary Markley has worked as the Alumni Director for Lewis & Clark Law School, and as an Account Manager for First Data Corporation. Mary has over 30 years of volunteer experience focusing on nonprofits that advance civic engagement. She is a former Board Member of the Multnomah Athletic Club, the Multnomah Athletic Club Foundation, Folktime (an organization for adults with mental illness), the University Club Foundation (served as President) and is a past member of the Junior League of Portland. She has a B.S. in Communications from Portland State University.



**Diane Ponti, Board Member**

Diane Ponti is a writer, editor, and storyteller, and has worked as a public-school teacher and bond broker. She has 20 years of volunteer experience focusing on nonprofits that promote writing and literature, including as Board Chair for Literary Arts and as Board Member for Portland Story Theater. She has a B.S. from Oregon State University and an M.S. from Portland State University.



**Dick Roy, Board Member**

Dick Roy is the co-founder of the Center for Earth Leadership, which has trained and empowered Northwest citizens to assume a leadership role in forging a sustainable culture. He left his law practice at Stoel Rives in 1993 and has served as a full-time volunteer for 25 years to advance the Northwest sustainability movement. He is the co-founder of numerous nonprofit organizations including Chess for Success, the Oregon Natural Step Network, and the Northwest Earth Institute. He has a B.S. from Oregon State University, an M.S. from Stanford in engineering, followed by a J.D. from Harvard Law School.



**Jeanne Roy, Board Member**

Jeanne Roy is the co-founder of the Center for Earth Leadership and currently serves as the President of the Eco-School Network. She is a recognized leader of Oregon's environmental movement and has served as a full-time volunteer for 35 years. She is the co-founder of numerous organizations including Recycling Advocates, Portland's Master Recycler Program, the Oregon Natural Step Network, and the Northwest Earth Institute. Jeanne serves as a continual advisor to public agencies on environmental policy matters. She has a B.S. in Humanities and Social Science from Oregon State University.



**Elizabeth Schellberg, Secretary**

Elizabeth (Liz) Schellberg is a retired Certified Public Accountant. She has also worked for nonprofits and religious institutions. She has 20 years of work and volunteer experience with a variety of nonprofits – both in operations and board membership – involved in the environment, peace and justice, the arts, healthcare, and crisis intervention. She has a B.A. in philosophy from Washington State University and a Masters of Divinity from San Francisco Theological Seminary.



**Randy Sell, Treasurer**

Randy Sell is an experienced banker and most recently served as Senior Vice President & Private Banking Manager at Northwest Bank. He has over 25 years of volunteer experience focusing on nonprofits that help children, including serving as Board Chair of the Portland Parks Foundation, Trillium Family Services and Waverly Children's Home. Randy has also served with the Oregon Ethics in Business, YMCA of Columbia-Willamette, St. Andrew Legal Clinic, University Club, and Loaves & Fishes. He has a B.S in Business from Oregon State University.



**Vici Wolff, Board member**

Vici Wolff is an experienced development officer and consultant. Most recently, she was the principal of Wolff Consult and Director of Development Services and Stewardship at Catlin Gabel School. Prior to that she served as the Database and Operations Manager for Friends of the Children after retiring from a career in healthcare administration. She has over 15 years of volunteer experience highlighted by years as a Court Appointed Special Advocate (CASA) and offering start up development guidance to her beloved KairosPDX elementary school. Vici has served on the boards of Beaverton Arts Commission and Oregon Friends of Jung. She has a B.S. in Business Administration and a M.S. in Public Administration: Health, both from Portland State University.