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BAHEP welcomes Encore Business Consulting as new member

BAY AREA HOUSTON, TX – Encore Business Consulting Inc. has joined the membership of the Bay Area Houston Economic Partnership. Don Kelly, Ph.D., is the president / owner of Encore. He is a proven senior executive and technologist with a 25-year track record in high technology corporate America. Bob Mitchell, BAHEP president, welcomed Encore saying, “Don’s extensive background, including his education and experience in technology and management, lends itself well to the field of business consulting. We are very happy to add his expertise to that of our growing list of members.”

Kelly’s education includes a Ph.D. in electrical engineering from Colorado State University, an M.S.E.E. from the University of Colorado, and a B.S. in Engineering from West Point. He has also had formal training in intellectual property and patents, leadership and management, ethics, is a Birkman® Certified Consultant, and is author or co-author on eight international patents. Additionally, Kelly has held executive and senior management positions at Jacobs Engineering, Austin Info Systems, Time Domain, and Raytheon (formerly Hughes Aircraft).

Kelly stated that Encore’s mission is to provide executives with new perspectives to enable their business to be more effective and competitive. He explained, “I provide business consulting in two primary areas: growth for the future and being more effective in the present. To help companies grow, I assist in strategic planning and positioning, business development, mergers, acquisitions, and due diligence. In enabling companies to be more effective in the present, I assist in the areas of business processes, business operations, and augmenting executive teams. Related to the above two areas I also provide executive coaching and mentoring to executives, senior managers, and their teams.”

When asked why he felt it was important for his company to join BAHEP, he replied, “BAHEP does so much for both the businesses and the communities in the greater Houston-Galveston area. I’m very impressed with the BAHEP staff, and I’m excited about being an active member.”

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