# Robert F. Wescott, Ph.D.

President



## **EDUCATION**

University of Pennsylvania

Ph.D. Economics

Philadelphia, PA 1978 – 1983

**Bucknell University** 

Bachelor of Arts, Economics

Lewisburg, PA 1974 – 1978

### RELEVANT PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

**Keybridge**Washington, DC

President & Founder 2001 – Present

Provides strategic advising and economic analysis to Fortune 500 companies, international financial institutions, and leading industry associations on a range of policy issues. Focuses on economic, financial, and energy topics, both international and domestic. Testifies before U.S. Congressional committees as an expert on economic, financial, and energy policy issues.

#### **National Economic Council**

Special Assistant to the President

Washington, DC

1999 – 2001

Policy advisor to the President with a specialty in U.S. macroeconomics, international economics, and energy.

### **International Monetary Fund**

Washington, DC

**Deputy Division Chief** 

1994 - 1999

Contributed to production of the World Economic Outlook, the Fund's semi-annual review of the global economy.

#### **Council of Economic Advisors**

Washington, DC

**Chief Economist** 

1993 - 1994

Chaired inter-agency working groups that developed economic policy for domestic and international issues.

### WEFA Group (currently Global Insight)

Washington, DC

Senior Vice President & Chief U.S. Economist

1982 – 1993

Managed all research, policy analysis, modeling, forecasting, and consulting activities for the firm.

#### CORE COMPENTENCIES

- Client Management
- Cost Benefit Analysis
- Cost Effectiveness Analysis
- Econometric Analysis & Forecasting
- Economic & Financial Leading Indicators
- Economic Impact Analysis
- Financial Analysis (DCF, ROI, NPV, IRR)

- MS Excel and Crystal Ball (Monte Carlo Simulations and Optimization)
- Performance Metric Evaluation
- Regulatory & Policy Impact Analysis
- Scenario Planning & Analysis
- Stata (statistics and econometrics)
- Strategic Planning