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**Biography:**

After receiving my bachelor's degree in Energy Management from the University of Oklahoma, I started my career working as a Surface Landman in the DJ Basin for a large E&P oil and gas company, focusing on horizontal well development in urbanizing municipalities. After negotiating several Surface Use Agreements as a counterparty to Silicon Ranch, I left the oil and gas industry to bring my experience in holistic energy development and jurisdictional permitting to the team as Senior Project Development Manager. During my tenure, Silicon Ranch has grown to a top ten Independent Power Producer and attracted Royal Dutch Shell as a strategic investor to become its United States platform for solar development. My primary focus is development in the Rocky Mountain Region and Texas, but I have also led Silicon Ranch's development efforts on several projects in the Southeast, including Mississippi, Tennessee, and Alabama.

Solar or Storage Experience:

As a developer and long-term owner operator, Silicon Ranch maintains a broad scope across all aspects of the value chain of renewable energy projects, from federal and local policy through financing, construction, and compliance. In my role as Sr. Project Development Manager and Head of the Denver Office, I have gained extensive experience in commercial/industrial, distribution, and utility-scale solar development and associated financing. I am also active in ongoing community engagement and STEM education in K-12 schools, and liaise with local stakeholders from economic development to permitting.

My Priorities:

My top three priorities to further advance the solar industry are:

1. Advocate for policy and implementation which brings CO into alignment with other mature solar markets and enables meeting legislative goals.
2. Develop strategies to educate local, jurisdictional stakeholders on the practical aspects of solar technology and economics.
3. Promote ways to encourage equitable treatment of solar energy when compared to other energy technologies

My Strengths:

- Experience in conventional and renewable resource development giving me a unique perspective with:
 - Real estate, including entitlement and land use
 - Commercial transactions
 - State and local policy
 - Financing
 - Stakeholder engagement
- Depth of understanding of project economics and the impact of local policy on the viability of projects
- Successful track record permitting across many jurisdictions across Colorado