CIPF Podcast Series – Leadership

Resilient Leadership

In this podcast, Rozanne Reszel discusses with host Donna Howard her 32-year career at the Former CIPF as Vice-President & Secretary and then President & CEO. She describes how the organization and the industry have changed throughout her time at CIPF, and her greatest challenges and successes. Rozanne also shares her thoughts on how the industry and the role of CIPF will develop over the next few years, and provides valuable advice to her successor and colleagues.



Rozanne Reszel

Former President & CEO, Former Canadian Investor Protection Fund (CIPF) Rozanne Reszel joined the Former CIPF in 1990. She led the organization as President and CEO from 1998 until her retirement at the end of 2022. Prior to her role at CIPF, she held senior positions with Nesbitt Thomson, the Investment Dealers Association of Canada (predecessor to the Investment Industry Regulatory Organization of Canada) as head of its member regulation department, and Deloitte Touche. Rozanne recently served on the Board of the Canadian Securities Institute Research Foundation and the FCJ Refugee Centre. She holds a Master of Business Administration from the Harvard Business School and a Bachelor of Arts from the University of Waterloo. She holds the CPA, CA designation and became a Fellow (FCPA, FCA) in 2000. Rozanne also holds the Chartered Financial Analyst designation and earned the ICD.D designation from the Institute of Corporate Directors.



Donna Howard

Chair of the Board of Directors, CIPF Donna Howard joined the Former CIPF Board in 2015 and she was theChair from March 2021 to the date of the amalgamation of the Former CIPF and MFDA IPC. She is now the Chair of the CIPF Board. Over her 37-year career with the Bank of Canada, she served as Adviser to the Governor from 2012 to 2014 and was Chief of the Financial Markets Department for the bank. She has also worked as a financial planner for Investors Group and a Money Market Trader for Wood Gundy Inc. Donna holds a Bachelor of Economics degree from Queen's University. In 2011, she completed the Institute of Corporate Directors, Directors Education Program and obtained her ICD.D designation in 2012. Donna provided technical assistance through the IMF and CIDA on reserve and debt management and capital market development to the Czech Republic, Mongolia and the Central Bank of Ghana. She previously served as a Board Member and Chair of the Perth & Smiths Falls District Hospital.

