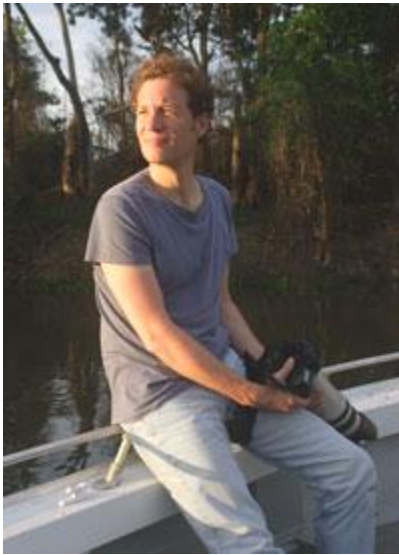




## **Panthera's Board of Directors and Officers**

### **Dr. Thomas Kaplan**

*Founder and Chairman of the Board*



Dr. Thomas S. Kaplan is a passionate environmentalist and supporter of wildlife conservation. Alongside his wife, Daphne Recanati Kaplan, they founded Panthera in 2006 to meet the global challenges of protecting the world's wild cats and their habitats. They subsequently endowed the Recanati-Kaplan Center at Oxford University's Wildlife Conservation Research Unit, or WILDCru, creating the leading university-based felid conservation program. The Kaplans also founded Orianne Society, named after their daughter, to preserve eastern Indigo snakes and their habitat, the long-leaf pine forests of the Southeastern United States.

Dr. Kaplan is active in community and family philanthropy. He is the President of the Board of Directors of the 92nd Street Y, a world-renowned, New York-based Jewish community and cultural center, and serves on the Advisory Board of New York's Mount Sinai Hospital Department of Internal Medicine. The Kaplans have also funded the Lillian Jean Kaplan Renal Transplantation Center at the University of Miami as well as a variety of prizes and grants for medical science research.

Thomas Kaplan holds Bachelor's, Master's and Doctorate degrees in history from Oxford University. He presently serves as Chairman of the Electrum group of companies as well as Tigris Financial Group Ltd. and its affiliates, a New York City-based advisory and asset management group with a focus on natural resources investing.

**Dr. Alan Rabinowitz**  
*Chief Executive Officer*



Dr. Alan Rabinowitz is one of the world's leading big cat experts, and has been called 'The Indiana Jones of Wildlife Conservation' by TIME Magazine. Dr. Rabinowitz graduated from the University of Tennessee in 1981 with an M.S. in zoology and a Ph.D. in Wildlife Ecology and is currently the CEO of Panthera, a nonprofit organization devoted to saving the world's wild cat species. Prior to co-founding Panthera with the organization's Chairman, Dr. Thomas S. Kaplan, Rabinowitz served as the Executive Director of the Science and Exploration Division for the Wildlife Conservation Society for almost 30 years.

Dr. Rabinowitz has traveled the world on behalf of wildlife conservation and over the years has studied jaguars, clouded leopards, Asiatic leopards, tigers, Sumatran rhinos, bears, leopard cats, raccoons, and civets. His work in Belize resulted in the world's first jaguar sanctuary; his work in Taiwan resulted in the establishment of this country's largest protected area and last piece of intact lowland forest; his work in Thailand generated the first field research on Indochinese tigers, Asiatic leopards, and leopard cats, in what was to become the region's first World Heritage Site; and his work in Myanmar has led to the creation of five new protected areas, including the country's first marine national park, first and largest Himalayan national park, and the world's largest tiger reserve in the Hukaung Valley.

Dr. Rabinowitz has authored over one hundred scientific and popular articles and six books, including *Jaguar: One Man's Struggle to Establish the First Jaguar Preserve* (1986/ 2000), *Chasing the Dragon's Tail: The Struggle to Save Thailand's Wild Cats* (1991/ 2002), *Beyond the Last Village: A Journey of Discovery in Asia's Forbidden Wilderness* (2001), and, most recently, *Life in the Valley of Death: The Fight to Save Tigers in a Land of Guns, Gold, and Greed* (2008). He has been profiled in The New York Times, Scientific American, Audubon, Men's Journal, Newsweek, Outside, Explorer, The Jerusalem Report, and National Geographic Adventure Magazine, and is the subject of an acclaimed PBS/National Geographic television special, "In Search of the Jaguar" and will be featured in the upcoming BBC special "Lost Land of the Tiger" filmed in Bhutan in 2010.

Dr. Rabinowitz has dedicated his life to surveying the world's last wild places, with the goal of preserving wild habitats and securing homes, on a large scale, for some of the world's most endangered mammals. His focus on cats is based on conserving top predators, which affect entire ecosystems. By saving cats, the impacts are far reaching and conserve vast landscapes upon which many species depend, including humans. One of Dr. Rabinowitz's greatest achievements was the conceptualization and implementation of the Jaguar Corridor - a series of biological and genetic corridors for jaguars across their entire range from Mexico to Argentina. Dr. Rabinowitz also initiated Panthera's Tiger Corridor Initiative, an effort to identify and protect the world's last remaining large interconnected tiger landscapes, with a primary focus on the remote and rugged Indo-Himalayan region of Asia.



## Matthew Bostock



Matthew Bostock co-founded Lake 5 Media in June 2000 and has served as Lake 5 Media's CEO since its inception. Prior to that, Mr. Bostock worked at the National Basketball Association in the marketing and media department with direct responsibility for negotiating NBA media contracts with television and radio partners in the United States and abroad. He also served as Chief of Staff for the CBS Olympic Research Department at the 1994 Lillehammer Winter Olympics.

From 1992 to 1993, Mr. Bostock was a network television buyer for Lintas Advertising, a unit of the Interpublic Group of Companies, where he oversaw the commercial inventory purchased on behalf of The General Motors Corporation, as well as other clients. He received an M.B.A. degree from Harvard Business School, Class of 2000, and a B.A. degree from Duke University in 1991.

## J. Michael Cline



J. Michael Cline is the founding Partner of Accretive LLC. Michael and other Accretive principals founded Exult, Xchanging, Fandango, Accretive Health and Accolade. Before founding Accretive Michael spent 10 years as General Partner at General Atlantic Partners.

Michael received his MBA from Harvard Business School where he was a Baker Scholar and he received a BS from Cornell University. He serves on the boards of Accretive Health, Accolade, and Arise. He is a Trustee of Panthera where he chairs the Tigers Forever initiative – the world’s largest effort in global tiger conservation. In addition he serves on the board of the National Fish and Wildlife Foundation, Endeavor Global and the Harvard Business School Rock Center for Entrepreneurship.



## **David Hirschfeld**

David Hirschfeld is currently Managing Director and Head of the Times Series Practice Area within Morgan Stanley. Previously he was SVP, Operations at Asset Control, a leading vendor of Data Management software. During his more than 25 years in the Financial Markets, he has had a variety of both trading, analytical, operational and technology jobs. These jobs have been at both buy side (Citadel Investment and Tudor Investment) and sell side (Morgan Stanley Dean Witter and Merrill Lynch) institutions. In his trading capacity, he has worked as a derivatives floor trader, an Index arbitrageur and a "black box" systems trader. He holds an undergraduate degree in Economics from Duke University as well as a Masters Degree in Economics from the University of Chicago.

## Claudia A. McMurray



Claudia A. McMurray is an environmental lawyer and the President and CEO of Mainstream Green Solutions LLC, a firm that provides strategic consulting advice concerning climate change, natural resource conservation, sustainability and other environmental issues. She also currently serves on a number of boards and advisory committees that deal with these issues.

From 2005-2008, she served as Assistant Secretary of State for Oceans, Environment and Science, the most senior U.S. government official, appointed by the President and confirmed by the Senate, solely responsible for international environmental, natural resource conservation, health and science issues. Prior to serving as Assistant Secretary, Ms. McMurray was Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Environment and Associate Deputy

Administrator of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency.

In addition to her work in the U.S. executive branch, she has extensive experience in the U.S. Senate, where she served as Counsel to the Committee on Environment and Public Works, as well as Counsel to Senators John Warner and Fred Thompson. Ms. McMurray has also practiced law in Washington at the global law firms of Patton Boggs LLP and Kirkland and Ellis.

Ms. McMurray is an honors graduate of Smith College and has a Juris Doctorate from Georgetown University Law School, where she served as an editor of the law review. She lives in Great Falls, Virginia, with her husband Don Moorehead and her black Labrador Retriever, Fiona.



## William Natbony



William Natbony is the Chief Executive Officer of Tigris Financial Group Ltd., a member of the Tigris Group of companies with areas of focus that include resources and the resources sector, real estate and art. Mr. Natbony also is the Chief Executive Officer of the privately-held Electrum Group of companies, which is involved in precious metals exploration and development around the world. Prior to joining Tigris in May 2007, Mr. Natbony was a senior partner at the international law firm of Katten Muchin Rosenman LLP. From July 1997 through 1998, Mr. Natbony served as President and Chief Operating Officer of Croesus Capital Management, an emerging markets money management firm.

Mr. Natbony has written and lectured extensively on legal and business issues relating to securities, commodities and tax law. He was named to Lawdragon's 3000 Leading Lawyers in America (2006), New York Super Lawyer (2007, 2008 and 2009), and was listed in Best Lawyers in America (2009).

Mr. Natbony serves on the Advisory Board of the Mount Sinai Department of Medicine and is a member of the strategic planning committee of the University of Miami Miller School of Medicine Transplantation Center. Mr. Natbony also serves on the Boards of Directors of Panthera Corp. and Project Orianna, charities that support wildlife conservation.

Mr. Natbony earned his B.A., cum laude, from Queens College of the City University of New York (1972), his J.D. from NYU School of Law (1975) and his LL.M. (in Taxation) from NYU School of Law (1976). He was a research fellow at Yale Law School (1977) and a professor at New York Law School (1984-1995). He is admitted to the practice of law in New York.

**Dr. Luke Hunter**  
*President*



Dr. Luke Hunter serves as Panthera's President where he oversees the direction and strategy of all of the organization's global wild cat conservation programs. Before joining Panthera, Dr. Hunter headed the Wildlife Conservation Society's Great Cats Program and taught wildlife ecology at several universities in Australia and South Africa.

Dr. Hunter has conducted fieldwork on large cats in Africa since 1992. His Ph.D. dissertation examined the behavior and ecology of reintroduced cheetahs and lions in South Africa, and evaluated the effectiveness of reintroduction as a tool to re-establish large cat populations. Dr. Hunter's current projects include assessing the effects of sport hunting and illegal persecution on leopards outside protected areas, developing a conservation strategy for lions across their African range, and the first intensive study of Persian leopards and the last surviving Asiatic cheetahs in Iran. Dr. Hunter has contributed to over 80 scientific papers and popular articles, and has published six books, including his latest, *Carnivores of the World: A Field Guide*.

## Andrea Heydlauff

*Corporate Secretary and Vice President*



Andrea Heydlauff serves as Panthera’s Vice President, where she helps oversee the day to day operations of the organization. Since January 2010, she has managed Panthera’s Communications and Media programs, including the development of the organization’s website, media coverage, government relations, and independent films (‘My Pantanal’) for local and international audiences. Before coming to Panthera, Andrea served as the Tiger Program Coordinator for the Wildlife Conservation Society (WCS), where she coordinated the Panthera-WCS Tigers Forever program, and was a researcher and author on the WCS, World Wildlife Fund, and Save the Tiger Fund

Tiger Conservation Landscape project: Setting Priorities for the Conservation and Recovery of Wild Tigers: 2005 – 2015.

Born in England, Andrea earned her B.A. in British Literature and M.Sc. in Wildlife Biology from the University of Arizona (2003). Her Master’s thesis focused on mitigating conflicts among humans, cattle and elk. Her interests lie heavily in human dimensions of conservation, community engagement, communications, and education – all of which are critical in conserving the world’s wild cats.

**Gary Baldaeus**  
*Chief Financial Officer*



Gary serves as Panthera's Chief Financial Officer. After completing eight years of military service during the 1960's, he obtained his BBA in accounting from City University of New York-Baruch College. Upon graduation, he joined Ernst & Young and retired after thirty years with the Firm. While with Ernst & Young he served in numerous capacities as an audit and consulting partner, including, among other things, as a specialist in the healthcare and non-profit industries.

Gary is a practicing CPA, and a member of the AICPA, NYSSCPAs, and other professional and social organizations. He has presented to a broad array of professional organizations on all aspects of accounting and operating matters and has served as an adjunct professor at New York Medical College. Gary is a member of the Board of Directors and serves as Audit Committee Chairman of Elizabeth Seton Pediatric Center, a tax-exempt nursing home organization located in New York City, serving children with significant medical needs.