



Executive Director

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Dr. Richard Wiefelspuett is a marine transportation expert with more than 30 years of global experience in the maritime sector, including more than a decade guiding large-scale enterprises in the international shipbuilding and repair industries. Before joining Clear Seas, Richard was the Associate Dean of the British Columbia Institute of Technology School of Transportation's Marine Campus in North Vancouver. Richard is a seasoned industry professional with a background in ship design and construction, R&D, technical services, business management, and consulting. Richard holds a PhD in Mechanical Engineering, and a Master of Science in Mechanical, Shipbuilding & Offshore Engineering from RWTH Aachen University in Germany.