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Susan Shultz founded SSA Executive Search International, Ltd. In the 1980s, innovating in building and structuring corporate boards. Susan founded The Board Institute, Inc. in 2004, to improve boards of directors by providing a new way of thinking, through evaluation tools for boards, the committees, and the directors. TBI offers the first professional, objective, web-based solution for board evaluation and provides a framework for continuous improvement, education and benchmarking.

Susan is the best-selling author of *The Board Book: Making Your Corporate Board a Strategic Force in Your Company's Success* and has been featured in the *Wall Street Journal* and numerous other publications. She has spoken around the world to groups such as the Economist in Japan and the Commonwealth Club in San Francisco.

Susan was Nom. Chair, Phoenix Bank, and director of the accredited college subsidiary of Tesseract(Nasdaq). She was President of Charter 100, chaired the Phoenix Committee on Foreign Relations for 16 years, is a member of the Council on Foreign Relations (NYC), and the Pacific Council on International Policy (Los Angeles), is Co-Chair of Women Corporate Directors Arizona and was a director of the Arizona Technology Council and the Foundation. She serves on the Selection Committee for Arizona Tech Angels, and was a director, School of Global Studies, ASU; the Arizona Tourism Board and President of the Arizona Business leadership Association. She served on numerous other boards, was a Presidential Delegate to the White House Conference on Small Business and served on the national SBDC board.