



E-Three Labs Leadership

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Matthew Marks, Executive Director

Matthew Marks is an innovative thinker with extensive experience in education and community-based projects. Before joining E-Three Labs, Matthew Marks worked as both a principal and an educator at The University Preparatory Academy of Detroit. As the director of The Academy's international programs he provided a strong role model for the integration of academic skills with social and cultural awareness by bringing students from Detroit to Senegal, Mozambique and South Africa.

His community service started in his college years where he served as the Community Service Chairman for the Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc. - Epsilon Chapter at the University of Michigan. He later organized and implemented an ongoing mentoring program for children in recovering chemically dependent families for the AmeriCorps of Michigan.

Most recently he helped create and organize, in partnership with the Teboho Trust, annual international youth conferences hosted by the Teboho Trust in the Soweto Township in South Africa that brought youth from the areas surrounding Soweto, and youth from inner city urban environments in the United States together for entrepreneurial workshops and cultural exchange - a program so successful in its for years at engaging students in their studies and their communities that E-Three Labs is incorporating aspects of it in its broader mission.

For his community efforts, Matthew has been nominated for both the National Presidential Award: All AmeriCorps Team and the State of Michigan Governor's Award for Outstanding Service to the Community.

Jonathan Wege, Board President

Jonathan Wege is the Vice President for the Wege Foundation, which was started with shares of Steelcase, Incorporated in 1967 by Peter M. Wege to support efforts that

promote healthy environments where human potential can flourish. The Wege Foundation pioneered a vision of development callepromote healthy environments where human "Economicology" where the economy and the environment are not at odds with each other but instead can work together. Jonathan founded E-Three Labs to bring this vision together with his extensive experience with efforts in sustainability in developing communities on the cusp of rapid growth.

Jonathan is an early member of the Clinton Global Initiative; a founding member on the business council for H. John Heinz III Center for Science, Economics and the Environment; and serves on the board of directors for Nextek Power Systems, Inc. He also serves on the board of numerous nonprofit organizations including Circle of Blue, an international network of leading journalists, scientists and communications designers that reports and presents the information necessary to respond to the global freshwater crisis; and GreenBlue, an institute that stimulates the creative redesign of industry.

