# CV Anthony Livanios CEO U.S. Energy Stream

Anthony Livanios is an energy economist. He founded US Energy Stream with a mission to deliver cutting edge energy intelligence and to create innovative ways for oil and gas leaders to connect. He created one of the most influential oil and gas networks in Europe and the United States, now with four offices on both sides of the Atlantic. He has over twenty-five years of experience in working alongside, oil majors, oil independents, and national oil companies, on intergovernmental agreements, pipeline negotiations, LNG projects, geopolitical risk assessments, and market intelligence. An expert in oil and gas, he promotes industry thought leadership ensuring industry development by facilitating and brokering CEO business relationships across the United States and Europe. Proven track record in delivering shareholder return. He has in-depth knowledge and understanding of the American oil industry, shale gas and LNG business dynamics, and the geopolitics of Eurasian oil and gas. One of the industry's most networked entrepreneurs.

**Expertise**: American oil industry, shale gas and LNG business, the geopolitics of Eurasian oil and gas. Gas pipeline development, intergovernmental agreements (IGAs), production sharing agreements (PSAs), LNG infrastructure, geopolitical risk analysis for oil and gas, and market intelligence.

#### **Experience:**

#### CEO

**Energy Stream, Inc.** 

2011 – Present, Frankfurt, Germany and Washington, DC

He promotes American and European energy investments via the organization of international commercial forums in Washington, DC, London, Frankfurt, Cyprus/Israel. He leads the Washington Oil and Gas Forum, an annual closed door, off the record, non-attribution, and non-dissemination forum that promotes US LNG exports, strategic oil and gas infrastructure, energy innovation, and the diversification of European gas supplies. He provides expert opinion on the global impact of US LNG, the diversification of European gas supplies via US LNG, Caspian and East. Med. gas. He delivers geopolitical risk assessments and market intelligence for the oil and gas upstream and midstream industries.

#### Visiting Lecturer, ESCP Europe Business School, London

2013 - Present, London, United Kingdom

He teaches in the Master of Energy Management (MEM) and the Executive Master

of Energy Management (EMEM): Oil and Gas Business; Energy Policy; The Geopolitics of Oil and Gas; American Oil and Gas Industry; He leads the organization of lecture series at the Research Centre for Energy Management (RCEM) in London with senior energy leaders from both sides of the Atlantic. He has initiated the Paris Roundtable Energy Conference at the ESCP Europe Paris campus and the International Energy Seminar for the EMEM students in Houston, Texas.

# Managing Director LNG trading M&M Gas

2010 - 2011 (1 year) Athens, Greece

As the pioneer of the newly liberalized Greek natural gas market in 2010 delivered the first privately imported LNG cargo to the facilities of the Hellenic Gas Transmission System (DESFA). Main activities: sourcing, trading, and marketing of LNG.

#### **President**

#### **IGI Poseidon Offshore Natural Gas Pipeline**

2009 - 2010 (1 year) Athens, Greece and Milan, Italy

He led the negotiations with the European Union and achieved the inclusion of IGI Poseidon in the list of the projects eligible to be funded through the European Recovery Plan (EU Regulation 663/09). Successfully submitted the Preliminary Environmental Study for the Greek Section of the Poseidon pipeline to the Greek Ministry of Energy. Evaluated the open tender of the Front End Engineering Design (FEED) that was successfully awarded to IntecSea-WorleyParsons Group. As chief negotiator achieved the Memorandum of Understanding, Project Development Agreement (PDA) and Shareholders Agreement (SHA) for the construction of the Greek-Bulgarian Natural Gas Pipeline with Bulgarian Energy Holding, DEPA and Edison achieving a 50-50 partnership between IGI Poseidon and Bulgarian Energy Holding.

#### CEO

#### Alpha Metrics S.A.

2000 – 2009 (9 years) Athens, Greece and Washington, DC

Founded the company and specialized on market intelligence, geopolitical risk analysis, media relations, and organization of exclusive international business and energy conferences. Between 2004-2009, advised the government on policies relating to economic development and the gas pipelines ITGI, IGB, TAP, and South Stream. Organized international energy conferences addressing energy security and investments in the oil and gas industry.

#### **CEO**

#### American Research, Inc.

1994 – 2000 (6 years) Athens, Greece and Washington, DC

Founded the company and specialized in political risk analysis, public opinion research, political campaigns, public opinion polls, focus groups and business to government relations. Performed media campaigns for conservative political parties. Delivered training on public speaking and political communication techniques for conservative Members of the Parliament (MP).

#### **Military Service:**

#### **Navy SEAL**

#### **Hellenic Navy, Underwater Demolition Command**

1992 – 1994 (2 years) Attica, Greece

Trained for seven months, at BUD/S class 120th, divided into three phases similar to that of the US Navy SEALs BUD/S course: physical conditioning, combat diving, land warfare. The course had an extremely high failure rate similar to that of its US counterparts. After successfully completing the training, went on to airborne, parachute jump school. Then continued to learn advanced naval special warfare techniques and became BUD/S Instructor class 125th. In 1994, participated in joint military exercises with US Navy SEALs.

#### **Publications:**

Shale Gas and the US Energy Strategy towards the Southern Gas Corridor Jamestown Foundation, Washington, DC July 2015

### The Conundrum of the Southern Gas Corridor: What are the Risks for Europe and Azerbaijan?

Center for Energy, Institut Français des Relations Internationales, Paris, France, April 2013

#### Pro bono work:

#### Senior Fellow Atlas Economic Research Foundation, Washington, DC

1995 – 2010 (15 years) Advocacy campaigns on free market ideas, organization of international conferences on free entrepreneurship, media campaigns on freedom

of choice, capacity building of young students and intellectual entrepreneurs on free trade: in the United States, Egypt, Turkey, Serbia, and Greece.

#### Visiting Fellow, The Leadership Institute, Arlington, VA

1996 – 2009, Delivered training seminars on political communication, public speaking, TV techniques, free market ideology in conservative members of youth political party organizations, conservative activists, members of the center right European People Party in European Union and the Republican Party in the United States. Trained more than 10,000 party members in Greece, Belgium, the United States.

#### President, The Hellenic Leadership Institute, Athens, Greece and Cairo, Egypt

2001 – 2010, Organized capacity building seminars, international conferences, advocacy campaigns, on free market ideas, freedom of choice, free enterprise, and free trade in Greece, Egypt, Turkey, Serbia, and Qatar. Promoted the idea of free entrepreneurship as a solution to poverty, according to the Millennium Goals of the United Nations. Aimed to identify, recruit, and develop free market intellectual entrepreneurs.

### Visiting Fellow, American Enterprise Institute, New Atlantic Initiative, Washington DC

1997 – 1999, Promoted via conferences in Turkey and Greece the admission of Europe's fledging democracies into the institutions of the Atlantic defense and European economic co-operation, notably NATO and the European Union. Promoted via media campaigns the establishment of free trade between an enlarged European Union and the North American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA) countries.

## Election Observer in Azerbaijan European Union Election Observation Mission, Baku, Azerbaijan

May 1992 – June 1992 (2 months) Election Observer in the first free elections of Azerbaijan. Monitored five election sites in Baku, Azerbaijan

#### **Honors and Awards**

**Templeton Freedom Award 2006** John Templeton Foundation, United States April 2006

"for his outstanding work in the field of international development and cooperation in the region of South Eastern Mediterranean."

Templeton Freedom Award First Prize 2006 John Templeton Foundation, United

States, November 2006

"The importance of having a free market organization active in that part of the Mediterranean and one that has an open dialogue with Arab countries can hardly be over-emphasized. Because of the importance of their work, the dynamism that is evident in the organization, and the value that they and their country places on international recognition, I would award HLI the 2006 Templeton Freedom Prize."

**Honorable Mention Award 1986** United States Naval Academy, Annapolis, Maryland, 1986

Honorable Mention Award for his paper "Conflict Within NATO: A Neutral Western Europe?"

**Best Speaker Delegate Award 1986** American University Model United Nations Security Council, Washington, DC, 1986

Best Speaker Delegate Award representing the United States

#### Languages

English (Native or bilingual proficiency)
Greek (Native or bilingual proficiency)
German (Full professional proficiency)
French (Limited working proficiency)

#### **Education**

Columbia University in the City of New York

Master of International Affairs, International Political Economy

1989 – 1991

American University, Washington DC Bachelor, Economics

1984 - 1988