

## **EXPERIENCE SUMMARIES TLG CONSULTING HISTORY**

### **CHAPTER 19:**

#### **NATIVE & ABORIGINAL PEOPLES**

James E. Lukaszewski, *ABC, Fellow IABC, APR, Fellow PRSA, BEPS, Emeritus*, has important, specific experience in advising corporations and native and aboriginal peoples during strategic communication situations and problems.

- Treaty Issues in Western Canada:
  - To further the process of moving toward treaties with the province and the national government, worked with a number of First Nations' leaders in British Columbia to help them understand and develop internal and public communication strategies.
- Community Relationship Building in South America:
  - In Brazil, assisted a major U.S. based corporation establish linkages with native peoples in the vicinity of a proposed industrial complex.
  - In Venezuela, assisted state-owned industries develop cultural and relocation strategies for villages located near major chemical plants.
  - In Peru, assisted U.S. based oil/natural gas company establish and implement a strategy for developing relationships with local communities near proposed exploration sites.
- Native American Issues in the Midwest, Eastern, and Southern United States:
  - Helped various corporations develop business and community relationships with Native American organizations, both by starting small businesses and developing mutual public and private projects.
- Corporate Counsel:
  - Developed working strategies to collaborate with native peoples in the areas of business development, cultural advancement, environmental preservation and protection, and social development.