



## Gene Gebolys

### CEO

World Energy Sustainable Fuels  
World Energy GH2

Gene Gebolys is the founder and CEO of World Energy. Among its many firsts over its 25 year history, World Energy is the world's first, and still North America's only, commercial-scale producer of sustainable aviation fuel from its Los Angeles refinery. The company is now investing \$2.5B there to scale SAF supply to over 250 gallons and to be a first mover source of zero carbon hydrogen in Southern California, as well as developing projects for SAF and clean hydrogen in Houston and Newfoundland, Canada.

Gene launched World Energy to accelerate the commercialization of alternatives to fossil-based motor fuels and has played a leading role in building today's global biofuels industry. Under Gene's leadership, World Energy is currently undergoing a \$2.5 billion dollar conversion project at its Los Angeles facility that will convert the facility into a 100% renewable production hub, including a steam methane reformer which will be the first large-scale hydrogen production in Southern California. The Los Angeles project is the model for World Energy's Houston facility conversion, currently underway. Once complete, the LA and Houston facilities will allow World Energy to produce a total of 500 million gallons of SAF by 2026.

Gene holds a Master's in Public Administration from Harvard University and a Bachelor of Science degree in economics & business management from The Ohio State University.

#### Affiliations:

- Founding Chairman, National Biodiesel Political Action Committee
- Founding member, Biodiesel Quality Accreditation Committee
- Active in local and international organizations including YPO and CEO

#### Clean Fuels Alliance America present and past roles:

- Governing board member
- Regulatory Affairs Committee Chairman
- RFS Advisory Committee Chairman

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#### About World Energy

World Energy is a low-carbon solution pioneer working with leading companies to help meet their net-zero commitments. With operations in sustainable aviation fuel, clean hydrogen, advanced biofuels, and fully transparent decarbonization services, World Energy is collaborating to confront the biggest decarbonization challenges in the hardest-to-abate sectors. For over 25 years World Energy has been at the forefront of commercializing renewable fuels and was the world's first commercial-scale sustainable aviation fuel producer. Today, World Energy is investing over \$15 billion into major new projects in California, Texas, and Newfoundland to help leaders accelerate their efforts to make net-zero real.



## Joe Ran

VP Business Development and Innovation  
World Energy Management Services

With experience spanning the transportation energy value chain to the electric power sector with an emphasis on energy transition, Joe Ran leads World Energy's Business Development and Project Development effort to initiate carbon-reduction projects in hard to decarbonize sectors. Joe's past assignments in engineering, operations improvements, commercial operations, strategic planning, and M&A are well suited to help World Energy achieve its mission to make net-zero a reality.

### Past Accomplishments include:

- Leading Shell's best practice developments in hydroprocessing technology
- Improving operations discipline to enhance plant production capacity
- Achieving record regional earnings by being a first mover in new feedstock and optimizing commercial channels of fuel sales
- Driving revenue growth through acquisitions and strategic investment in the energy value chain
- Developing strategic plans for California utilities to achieve net-zero by 2045
- Joe Ran graduated from U.C. Berkeley with a B.S. in Chemical Engineering.

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