



#### Real World Economist

Don's prominence as a forecaster began with his "astonishingly accurate" predictions on oil prices for the Texas State Legislature. He then served 11 years as Chairman of the of the Investment Advisory Board of a \$22 Billion trust fund and was appointed as Pension Board Chairman with oversight of \$100 Billion in Investments. He has personally advised some of the wealthiest families in America. Don has also worked for three of the nation's largest brokerage firms. He founded 21st Century Forecasting in 1986, a research company focusing on long term global, economic, demographic, and technology trends.

#### Futurist

He developed the nation's first graduate business course on the 21st Century. Don believes that Tectonic Plates of Change are controlled by long term trends of Globalization, Demographics, and Technology, but that linear projections are frequently disrupted by external events varying from human creativity to irrational behavior to natural disasters. He believes the interplay of those forces have the potential to create enormous problems and opportunities.

#### Expert On International Events

He has lived 14 years overseas, visited over 50 countries, has lectured on Free Market Systems at the University of Moscow, spoken about the Global Economy for the Saudi Arabian Central Bank, keynoted the Australian IT Summit, spoken for the US Department of Commerce, advised the Heavy Equipment Industry in Santiago, Chile, counseled Inupiat Indians about energy development on the Arctic SL...

## Testimonials

"Awesome! When Don spoke at MPI, his presentation received over 92,000 hits!"

- President and CEO of MPI.

"Dynamic, thought provoking, you held them spell bound"

- Commissioner, US Department of Social Security.

### Don Reynolds

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