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Tony Pearkes was born and raised in Vancouver, but has spent little time there since university. He holds a Bachelor of Commerce Degree in transportation and earned a MBA at night from the University of British Columbia (UBC) in 1989.

Having worked at the Woodfibre pulp mill of ITT Rayonier/Western Pulp in the summers during university, he moved on to container shipping, trucking, rail consolidating, and forestry/breakbulk shipping.

From 1985 until 1998, he worked for Gearbulk in Canada, Norway and the UK.

In 1998, he joined Oldendorff Carriers in Lübeck, Germany where he holds the position of Director, responsible for the company's open hatch box fleet of vessels.

Oldendorff Carriers controls some 210 vessels and is one of the largest drybulk shipowners/operators. For more information on Oldendorff Carriers, please visit its website at www.oldendorff.com.