

# Daniel D. Towle

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Dan Towle became the Captive Insurance Companies Association (CICA) President, effective April 24, 2017 and succeeded Dennis Harwick who retired June 30, 2017.

CICA is the premier global domicile-neutral captive insurance association. CICA is committed to providing the best source of unbiased information, knowledge, and leadership for captive insurance decision makers. CICA's members are from a cross-section of domiciles, captive/risk retention groups and service providers from 27 countries around the world. CICA has been working to protect the captive industry for over 40 years. By monitoring emerging issues and regulatory changes in the U.S. and around the world, CICA and its advocacy partners can respond proactively to help mold laws and regulations affecting the captive industry.

Dan is one of the captive insurance industry's best-known captive insurance professionals. From 1999 through April of 2017 Dan served as the Director of Financial Services for the State of Vermont and was the chief marketing and business development professional for the State of Vermont's captive insurance industry. Dan is a frequent presenter at national conferences and events throughout the country and is visible in international media as an authority on captive insurance. He was also recognized for his contributions to the captive insurance industry and was voted in the 2016 *Captive Review Magazine* "Power 50" which recognizes the most influential individuals in the global captive insurance industry. In that ranking, Dan was #17 in the world as voted by industry peers.

He has published numerous articles in trade publications and served on the Advisory Board Member for World Captive Forum, Chaired the Risk & Insurance Management Society Exhibitor Advisory Committee and was active in various capacities with the Vermont Captive Insurance Association.

Prior to his role with the State of Vermont, Dan was a Business Development Officer at Vermont National Bank. During his ten-year tenure with the bank, he worked in various capacities including branch banking, corporate banking services, and served for a year on the bank's prestigious corporate re-engineering team.

He is a graduate of the University of Vermont and is married to Anne Marie Towle, who also works in the captive insurance industry.