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After graduating from Texas A&M University with a degree in Finance in 1992, Darl began his career at Texas Commerce Bank (now JPMorgan Chase) where he managed a commercial bank portfolio for four years and spent one year in the Global Energy Department – Oilfield Services Division. In 1997 Darl joined the private equity firm RSTW Partners and during the next 15 years invested over \$300 million in 50 transactions across three separate private equity firms located in Houston and Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Darl sat on many boards and contributed to the strategic and operational management of many of these companies.

During 2013 Darl became CFO of Diligent Delivery Systems, a company he had been advising since 2006. Diligent is a management-owned, nationwide asset-light logistics company overseeing 2,000+ drivers across the United States. Darl is leading Diligent's acquisition campaign which is targeting dedicated, freight, courier, hot shot, trucking and other logistics companies across Texas and the U.S. for acquisition.

Darl is a member of the board of directors of Houston Chapter of the Association for Corporate Growth (ACG) and in the past he has served as a two-term President of the Houston Private Equity Association, the board of the Center Serving Persons with Mental Retardation, and on the Allocations Committee of the United Way of the Texas Gulf Coast. Darl enjoys spending time with his wife of 14 years, Shirin Petty, and their two children, Arianna (8) and Solomon (5), and when he's not with them, enjoys golf, bird hunting, scuba, saltwater fishing, and being an investor and entrepreneur in various business endeavors.