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Born and raised in Toronto, David Adams is a 30 year veteran within the Canadian automotive industry. In March 2005, David was appointed President of the Association of International Automobile Manufacturers of Canada (AIAMC) after spending nearly 18 years with the Canadian Vehicle Manufacturers Association.

In May 2013 the AIAMC changed its name to the Global Automakers of Canada (GAC) to reflect the members' growth and relevance in the Canadian automotive industry.

The GAC is the national industry association representing the interests of 15 global automakers engaged in the manufacture, importation, distribution and servicing of light duty vehicles in Canada.

David has been involved in the creation of two alternative dispute resolution programs within the automotive industry - the Canadian Motor Vehicle Arbitration Plan (CAMVAP) for which he is the immediate past Chair of the Board, and the National Automobile Dealer Arbitration Program (NADAP).

David also serves as a director of the Automotive Business School of Canada, at Georgian College in Barrie, Ontario.

Additionally, David is a regular columnist in *Canadian Auto Dealer* and past contributor to *Canadian Autoworld*, both monthly trade magazines for the Canadian automotive industry.

David is an avid cyclist and resides in Toronto with his wife Julie.