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Jason Schenker is the President of Prestige Economics and the Chairman of The Futurist Institute. He prepares leaders for the future and has given over 1,200 keynote speeches on economic, financial market, and technology topics. Jason has given talks to public and private companies, industry groups, institutional investors, central banks, the U.S. State Department, CIA, NATO, and global financial exchanges. Jason is a 2024 LinkedIn "Top Voice."

Over 1.2 million students have taken Jason's 40 LinkedIn Learning courses on business, leadership, economics, finance, and emerging technologies. He is the author of 36 books on finance, energy, economics, supply chain, and emerging technologies. Jason has been a columnist for Bloomberg Opinion and he is currently a Forbes contributor.

As President of Prestige Economics, Bloomberg News has ranked Jason #1 forecaster in the world in 27 different categories since 2011, including for oil prices, industrial metals prices, the euro, the British pound, agricultural commodity prices, gold prices, and U.S. jobs. Jason has given over 1,000 television interviews, including as a Guest Host on Bloomberg Television.

Jason is Chairman of the Climate Change Advisory Panel at Sasol (NYSE: SSL), the large public fuels and chemicals company headquartered in South Africa. This is an independent advisory board focused on supporting Sasol sustainability and emissions reduction commitments.

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Jason is the author of fifteen #1 bestsellers on Amazon, including *Futureproof Supply Chain, The Future of Finance is Now, The Future of Energy*, *Jobs for Robots*, and *The Robot and Automation Almanac.*

Before founding Prestige Economics in 2009, Jason was a Risk Specialist at McKinsey and Chief Energy and Commodity Economist at Wachovia (Wells Fargo). Jason earned a bachelor's in History and in German from the University of Virginia. He holds master's degrees in Applied Economics, Negotiation, and German. He was a 2023-2024 Non-Resident Fellow of the U.S. Joint Special Operations University at USSOCOM. Jason holds multiple professional designations and he is currently an Adjunct Fellow of the Center for Strategic and International Studies (CSIS).