Sid Brown is Chief Executive Officer of NFI, a premier integrated supply chain solutions provider.

In addition to his role as CEO of NFI, Sid also serves as on the Board of Directors of Sun Bancorp, parent of Sun National Bank, (NASDAQ: SNBC). Sid has previously served as board Chairman and on many committees with Sun Bank since 1990. He has also served as Acting President and CEO of Sun Bancorp from February 2007 to January 2008 and from November 2013 to July 2014.

Sid is currently a Board Member of J&J Snack Foods (NASDAQ: JJSF), FS Energy and Power Fund, and recently joined the Board of Trustees of Cooper Health System and ESF Summer Camps Board of Directors. He has previously served on the Board of Beth El Synagogue and Moorestown Friends. Sid is a 2016 recipient of the Ernst & Young Entrepreneur of the Year Award.

In 1979, Sid graduated from Georgetown University with a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration. He began his career as a financial analyst with Morgan Stanley in New York City. In 1983, Sid received his Master of Business Administration from Harvard University before joining NFI. Sid and his wife, Sandy, reside in Philadelphia, Pa. and have three children, Courtney (27), Eric (25), and Jacob (23). Courtney will be joining the business this summer after finishing her MBA from MIT.
Ike Brown is Vice Chairman, President, and co-owner of NFI, a premier integrated supply chain solutions provider.

Ike has had numerous responsibilities since his start with the company in 1977. In 1980, Ike moved to Dallas, Texas to oversee NFI’s operations in the southwest. During the 80’s, Ike grew NFI to be the largest contract carrier in Texas and a major truckload carrier in the southwest. Ike continues to oversee NFI’s intermodal division and expand NFI’s footprint in numerous service offerings.

In addition to his duties at NFI, Ike currently serves on the Board of Directors for the Truckload Carriers Association, the Scholarship Committee, and has also held a Board of Director’s seat with Sun Bancorp. He is a Trustee at National Jewish Hospital in Denver, Colo. Ike and his wife, Candy, are active supporters and founding donors of the new Dallas Holocaust and Human Rights Museum. He has formerly served on the Board of Directors for the Social Venture Partners Dallas, Dallas Jewish Community Center, Jewish Federation of Greater Dallas, Greenhill Schools of Dallas, and the Dallas Lighthouse for the Blind. Ike was also a member of 2011 Super Bowl Host Committee-Concert Kick-off Series in the Dallas-Fort Worth area.

In 2009, Ike and Candy were named honorees for their help in building the Kellman Brown Academy, a Jewish day school in Voorhees, N.J. They were also named honorees for the Dallas area by National Jewish Health in Denver, Colo. in 2010.

Ike earned a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration from Boston University in 1976. Ike and Candy live in Dallas, Texas and have three children, Jordan, Aaron, and Zachary, who all work at NFI. Jordan is the Director of Warehousing Operations, Aaron is the Director of Transportation Operations and is also attending CAB this year, and Zachary entered the business last summer as the Managing Director of Asia. Ike and Candy also have two grandchildren, Nolan and Marcus.
Jeff Brown is Vice Chairman, President, and co-owner of NFI, a premier integrated supply chain solutions provider.

Under Jeff’s direction, the NFI real estate team has experienced an enormous amount of growth and expansion. The team is responsible for land development, property management, and solar implementation across North America. As a significant consumer of warehouse and office space itself, NFI is uniquely positioned to understand the needs of its clients in the commercial real estate market, which is an important factor behind the company’s success.

Jeff oversees NFI’s global team, spending significant time in Asia and expanding the organization’s international reach. He is also responsible for pioneering NFI’s partnership with the Philadelphia 76ers as a Founding Partner of the team’s new training complex.

In addition to his responsibilities at NFI, Jeff also serves on a number of boards including the board of Sun Bancorp, a community bank in N.J. with over $3 billion in assets, the Chamber of Commerce of Southern New Jersey, and the NJ Motor Truck Association. He also serves on the boards of many non-profit organizations such as the Cooper Hospital Foundation and Katz Jewish Community Center. He is a loyal alumnus of his alma mater, the University of Miami, where he is a member of the President’s Council, an advisory group of alumni invited to participate by the university president.

Jeff and his wife, Tracy, reside in Cherry Hill, N.J. and have three children, Nicole, Josh and Steven.
Joining NFI in 2012, David is in charge of NFI’s North American brokerage, transportation management, Canadian global, Canadian intermodal, and asset-based drayage businesses. David is leading these rapidly expanding divisions by offering a more robust suite of services to new and existing NFI clients. His focus on customer service and diversity is the key to the future growth and success of the business.

He began his career working for American Backhaulers, in Chicago, which was acquired by CH Robinson in 2000. David spent the next 12 years at CH Robinson in its Chicago Central Location. David was an integral part of both building his client base and helping others to create and develop their own. His primary focus was North American transportation and its many modes.

David attended the University of Dayton and graduated in 1997. He currently resides in Moorestown, N.J. with his wife Jennifer and their two daughters Nora and Astor. David and his family enjoy traveling as well as weekends at home with their three dogs.
Aaron Brown is a Director of Transportation Operations for NFI, based in Dallas, Texas. His responsibilities are comprised of managing the operations of six dedicated fleet operations, consisting of 450 drivers, 300 power units, and 500 dry and refrigerated trailers.

Prior to his current role, Brown has held numerous roles at NFI. From 2013 through 2016, Brown was a Director of Warehouse Operations in Chino, California. In this position, Brown oversaw 200 employees and 3.0 million sq. ft. of warehouse space across four distribution centers servicing customers in the apparel, food distribution, and consumer packaged goods industries. From 2012 through 2013, Brown was NFI’s Director of Finance, supporting acquisition due diligence and process improvement.

Before joining NFI, Brown held positions at Oliver Wyman Consulting and Morgan Stanley.

Brown is a graduate of Dartmouth College where he obtained his B.A., and he earned an MBA from Vanderbilt University. Aaron and his wife, Amanda, reside in Dallas, Texas and have two children, Nolan and Marcus.
GERARD DARBY
CHIEF INFORMATION OFFICER & SVP

Gerard Darby is NFI’s Chief Information Officer and Senior Vice President, joining the organization in 2017. With more than 20 years of IT experience, Gerard has a background in large systems engineering and implementations, strategic planning, and organizational strengthening. His experience spans eComm, data warehousing, merchandising/retail, automotive/manufacturing, and telecommunications; including management of large-scale multi-terabyte, data management system development for large corporations.

Before joining NFI, Gerard held the position of GVP Divisional CIO at ascena Retail Group. Prior to ascena, he spent 10 years at Ross Stores where he was responsible for the technology management of supply chain, merchandising, allocations, planning, demand forecasting, enterprise business intelligence, and data warehousing systems. In this role, Gerard contributed to Ross growing from a $3B enterprise to a $10B enterprise with store growth from 330 to over 1,200 stores and from one central distribution center to a source based distribution strategy utilizing five distribution centers.

Prior to Ross Stores, Gerard was the President and CEO of Darby Systems Solutions, a consulting firm specializing in retail, Telco, and product distribution solutions. His clients included Ross Stores, Nextel, Ameritech, and Kraft Food Services.

Outside of work, Gerard enjoys spending time with his family and playing with his children. He lives in N.J. with his wife Tracy and their two children, Alexander and Sadie.
JeanMarie Decker is the Director of Internal Communications at NFI, where she is responsible for driving employee communications across the organization’s more than 8,000 team members. In the newly created position, JeanMarie develops the strategy to connect employees to the mission and purpose of NFI, with the ultimate goal of improving the employee experience. With over 215 locations across North America, the internal communications initiatives prioritize connecting the deskless workforce, mostly comprised of drivers and warehouse workers, in the field.

Before moving into Internal Communications, JeanMarie spent four years as Marketing Communications Manager at NFI, developing marketing strategies to support the growth and expansion of NFI and its services. Prior to joining NFI, JeanMarie worked as Marketing Manager at MEI, an unattended payment systems manufacturer based in Malvern, PA. She was globally responsible for campaigns and advertising in addition to leading a team to execute over 80 trade shows a year around the world.

JeanMarie is an alumnus of Temple University where she earned a Bachelor’s of Business Administration with a focus in marketing and entrepreneurship. She resides in New Jersey with her husband and son.
Todd Holt joined NFI as its President, Transportation in 2014 and has more than 34 years of experience in the transportation industry.

As the President of Transportation, Todd oversees NFI’s dedicated fleet operations across North America. Consisting of more than 2,200 tractors and 8,300 trailers, Todd has continued to lead NFI in being recognized as an industry leading for-hire carrier, most recently ranking 9th on Transport Topics’ Top Dedicated Contract Carriers in 2017.

Prior to NFI, Todd held an executive management position with UPS managing truckload operations including dedicated/transactional truckload operations and brokerage. In addition, Todd held positions in LTL with Overnite Corp. where he started as a dock worker. Throughout his career there and when UPS acquired it in 2005, Todd held management positions in the service center management and network management departments and executive management positions in its network design and execution, hub management, and engineering departments.

Todd and his wife, Terry, reside in Richmond Va. / Philadelphia Pa. and have two children Brandon and Cameron.
Michael J. Landsburg is the Vice President of NFI Real Estate and has been with the company since 2005. He is responsible for managing the real estate activities for the NFI owned and leased portfolio of over 30 million square feet in North America.

Prior to NFI, Michael was an acquisitions and development associate for a Mid-Atlantic commercial real estate company for four years where he was responsible for leasing transactions, sourcing and performing financial analysis for new development and acquisition opportunities. He also has experience at a boutique investment bank in New York City and as a member of a consulting team to Citibank.

Michael is a graduate of the Wharton School at the University of Pennsylvania and is a licensed Real Estate Broker in New Jersey. He is active in the industry organizations National Association for Industrial and Office Parks (NAIOP) and Council of Supply Chain Management Professionals (CSCMP) along with being a Committee Chair for the Industrial Asset Management Council (IAMC). Michael serves on the Board of The Kellman Brown Academy and is an active volunteer for Serve Philadelphia and the Boys and Girls Club. He lives in Philadelphia with his wife and two young children.
T.J. Lynch has been with NFI for over seven years and leads corporate finance functions including financial planning and business analytics, mergers and acquisitions, certain administrative functions, and special projects. In addition, T.J. oversees NFI’s marketing efforts which focus on business line sales support, brand awareness, digital marketing, and corporate events such as the Customer Advisory Board.

Prior to joining NFI, T.J. was a Senior Manager in the Transaction Advisory Services Group at Ernst & Young, where the practice focused on financial diligence for mergers and acquisitions. At E&Y, T.J. advised large public companies, private equity firms, and middle market companies in the US, Canada, and Europe.

T.J. is a graduate of Loyola College earning a BA in Accounting and MBA in Finance. T.J. is a board member and Treasurer of Hopeworks, a not-for-profit organization serving at-risk youth in Camden, New Jersey. T.J. resides in Haddon Heights, New Jersey with his wife and two children and is active in his community where he enjoys coaching his kids in sports.
With NFI for 15 years, Bill Mahoney leads the Asset-Based Sales Team and helps to design comprehensive supply chain solutions for existing and prospective customers.

Based in Schaumburg, IL, Bill began his career with NFI in 2001 as the Director of Business Development, Midwest Region. Having successfully grown and managed NFI’s sales process - both nationally and internationally – Bill then transitioned to National Accounts and ultimately advanced to Senior Vice President, overseeing the sales activities of the Distribution/Cross-Dock, Dedicated Transportation, and Intermodal business lines.

Previous to NFI, Bill worked for a national 3PL provider, Nexus Distribution Corporation, for six years and held progressive positions as Warehouse Manager, Regional Customer Service Manager, Transportation Manager, and Business Development Manager.

Bill is a graduate of Loyola University with a bachelor’s degree in Operations Management and is an active participant in CSCMP, WERC, and RILA. Bill is an avid Chicago Bears fan and resides in Lakewood, Illinois with his wife, Kristy and their two daughters.
Kevin Patterson joined NFI as the President of Distribution in March 2016. Over the past year, Kevin’s focus has been centered around creating unique, cross-functional solutions for customers through the solutions design team and expanding implementation capabilities with a robust project management team.

The distribution team that Kevin oversees designs and manages over 31 million square feet of warehouse space in North America. The diverse background and abilities of his highly energized team are strongly focused on driving value through continuous improvement opportunities and strong alignment to the NFI strategy and goals.

Bringing over 30 years of distribution leadership experience to NFI, Kevin has experience working for companies such as Exel, McKesson, and Safeway. Prior to NFI, he was an executive for Exel with the responsibility of leading multiple regions and accounts for its consumer sector.

Kevin has his MBA from Benedictine University and an undergraduate degree in Materials & Logistics Management from Michigan State University.

Kevin and his wife live in Haddonfield, NJ and have four boys ranging in ages from ten through 30. He is an avid runner and has completed 12 marathons, most recently completing the Philadelphia Love Run Half Marathon. In his spare time, he likes to travel and spend time with his family.
Jimmy Shafer re-joined NFI in 2017 as its Senior Vice President of Solutions Design and Engineering. In this role, Jimmy oversees the development and engineering of integrated supply chain, dedicated transportation, and distribution solutions across North America.

After holding the position of Corporate Engineering Manager at NFI from 2000 to 2004, Jimmy obtained extensive experience in the supply chain industry, most recently as the VP, Solutions & Engineering at DB Schenker. In this capacity, his responsibilities included a leadership role as the Head of Solutions and Execution Standards and overseeing CL/SCM solutions & tender management, engineering, program management, implementations, quality management, and resource planning/LMS services.

In addition, Jimmy’s past positions include the VP, Operations and AVP, Engineering & Process at Matson Logistics; Senior Manager, Supply Chain Solutions Engineering at Ryder Supply Chain Solutions; and Regional Industrial Engineer at DSC Logistics.

Jimmy obtained a Bachelor of Science in Industrial Engineering from Texas A&M University and a Master of Business Administration from Texas Christian University. Jimmy and his wife, Genevieve, reside in Southlake, Texas and have four children Kilee, Sullivan, Mackynzi, and Rori.