




10KSB Voices National Leadership Council Biographies and Headshots:

Name	Personal Profile
<p>Chair Jessica Johnson-Cope President, Johnson Security Bureau</p> 	<p>Jessica Johnson-Cope is President and principal of Johnson Security Bureau, Inc., a third generation family-owned security services firm based in the Bronx, New York that employs more than 150 employees. Johnson-Cope proudly serves as a small business advocate promoting issues that are critical to minority and women entrepreneurs. She is a member of Women Impacting Public Policy (WIPP), has spoken at forums for the White House Office of Engagement, the New York Times “She Owns It” business group blog, Black Enterprise, and Inc. Magazine. She graduated from the inaugural class of the Goldman Sachs 10,000 Small Businesses initiative at LaGuardia Community College in 2010 (Cohort 1).</p>
<p>Vice Chair Janice Jucker Co-owner, Three Brothers Bakery</p> 	<p>Janice Jucker co-owns Three Brothers Bakery with her husband, Bobby. They like to say they are “memory makers who happen to be bakers” because their family has been baking for almost 200 years, 71 of which have been in Houston, TX. Three Brothers Bakery was originally founded by Bobby’s father and two uncles after surviving the Holocaust and now has three locations and an online store that employ 57 people. In 2020, Jucker was named to the Houston Business Journal’s 2020 cohort of Most Admired CEOs and in 2019 Three Brothers Bakery was named SBA Family Owned Small Business of the Year. Janice also received SBA’s Phoenix Award for small business disaster recovery in 2018. She graduated from the 10KSB program at Houston Community College in Houston, Texas in 2012 (Cohort 4).</p>
<p>Vice Chair Natalie Kaddas CEO, Kaddas Enterprises</p> 	<p>Natalie Kaddas is CEO of Kaddas Enterprises, a Salt Lake City based company that specializes in manufacturing thermoform plastic products and custom solutions for the energy, transportation, and aerospace industries. Kaddas’ leadership has helped the company pursue a global market strategy that has more than tripled revenues and grown net profits annually. Kaddas has received numerous recognitions for her leadership, including Utah’s International Business Woman of the Year and SBA’s Region VIII Small Business Exporter of the Year for 2020. She graduated from the 10KSB program at Salt Lake Community College in 2013 (Cohort 1).</p>

Khari Parker
Co-Founder, Connie's
Chicken and Waffles



Khari Parker is Co-Founder of Connie's Chicken and Waffles, a Restaurant Group that aims to provide an excellent food experience. With locations currently in Maryland and Delaware, Connie's acts as a social enterprise connecting community members with meaningful opportunities for employment. Prior to starting Connie's, Khari led IT and Engineering Teams on Government Contracts within the Telecom Industry. When not working to grow his business, he teaches Real Estate Investing online and supports causes relating to Financial Literacy and Education. He graduated from the 10KSB program at Johns Hopkins University in Baltimore, Maryland in 2018 (Cohort 5).

Bryan Pate
CEO, ElliptiGO, Inc.



Bryan Pate is Co-Founder and CEO of ElliptiGO located in California. ElliptiGO introduced the world's first elliptical bicycle in 2010 and has generated more than \$50M in revenue since then. Prior to starting ElliptiGO, Pate served as an officer in the United States Marine Corps. Pate is a named inventor on more than 20 issued patents and is an accomplished endurance athlete. He graduated from the 10KSB program at Babson College in 2019 (Cohort 11).

Jill Bommarito
CEO, Ethel's Baking
Company



Jill Bommarito is founder of Ethel's Baking Company located in Shelby Township, Michigan. Ethel's is the #1 wholesale and retail baking company of hand-crafted gluten-free dessert bars sold nationally. Since 2015, Ethel's has grown from being a "local" bakery to international by selling throughout the US and Canada. Founded in 2011, Ethel's is the namesake of Jill's grandmother and was born out of the desire to spread joy through food. Jill, who is gluten intolerant and has family members with Celiac Disease, believes everyone should be able to enjoy amazing food together. She graduated from the 10KSB program at Wayne State University in Detroit, Michigan in 2014 (Cohort 1).