



JEREME KENT CEO AND GENERAL MANAGER

Career Summary

Jereme has the complete set of skills necessary to develop, design, and build a wind project from a blank piece of paper.

Prior to founding One Energy, Jereme ran construction of several of the world's largest wind projects for utility-scale construction firms including RMT, M.A. Mortensen, and D.H. Blattner, and has overseen more than half a billion dollars in wind turbine construction projects. Jereme developed several safety, quality, and production methods that are considered standard within the utility-scale wind industry. He also pioneered the concept of just-in-time construction for utility-scale wind turbine projects.

During his tenure in big wind, Jereme grew frustrated with the inefficiencies plaguing the industry. Believing there had to be a better approach to wind projects, Jereme founded One Energy. This same innovative spirit drove the creation of the Wind for Industry® concept. In 2016, Jereme led a groundbreaking round of fundraising that raised \$80 million of institutional financing to continue growing One Energy's fleet of projects.

One Energy Role

At One Energy, Jereme serves as Chief Executive Officer and General Manager. In this role, he is ultimately responsible for the delivery of all One Energy projects and the success of the One Energy family of companies. Jereme's innovative spirit drove the creation of the *Wind for Industry*® concept for installing utility-scale wind turbines behind the meter for private industry customers. As a result of Jereme's vision, One Energy has become the largest installer of behind-the-meter wind projects in the United States. In 2016, Jereme led a groundbreaking round of fundraising that raised \$80 million of institutional financing to continue growing One Energy's fleet of projects.

Professional Experience

CEO and General Manager, One Energy Enterprises LLC, *Findlay, OH*

- Responsible for day-to-day and long-term operations, including site evaluations, turbine selection, cost analysis, civil engineering, and wind-turbine installation
- Acts as the premier technical resource for turbines and construction and is responsible for the entirety of every project from foundation pour to energizing the grid
- Develops best practices including turbine selection guidelines, wind resource analysis, and site analysis
- Leads One Energy's Sales Team, which gives team members direct, frequent contact with One Energy's current and potential customers
- Leads One Energy's Corporate Strategic Team, overseeing all aspects of the company's operations, including strategy, operations, staffing, and sales
- Leads One Energy growth and strategic activities

General & Turbine Erection Superintendent, RMT, Inc., *Madison, WI*

- Jereme acted as one of two principle developers of RMT's (formerly WindConnect) self-perform erection and foundation program. During his tenure, RMT preformed its first three self-perform erection projects and its first self-perform foundation project.
- As a developer, was responsible for tooling purchases, work plans, crane rentals, union agreements and relations, superintendent and craft training, safety culture development, and craft supervision

- Innovated alternative equipment selection and custom crane design that eliminated wind restrictions, saved money, increased productivity, and most importantly, improved safety

Erection Superintendent, M.A. Mortenson, Minneapolis, MN

- Performed the setup of two separate wind projects
- Prepared the entire work procedures, all rigging, custom tooling, and crane design and selection for a Suzlon S88 V3 project
- Wrote multiple subcontracts and was involved in BOP/CSA contract reviews for two Texas-based projects

Field Engineer/Assistant Erection Superintendent, D.H. Blattner, Avon, MN

- Progressed in 6 months from Field Engineer to Assistant Erection Superintendent
- Was responsible for crew supervision, wind turbine tooling, critical pick design and execution, crew safety, site-wide emergency response, and cost estimation, tracking, and management

Education, Training, and Skills

Education

The University of Michigan, College of Engineering, *Ann Arbor, MI*

Civil Engineering – Construction Engineering and Management (*one class short of a degree*)

Training

Emergency Medical Technician – Basic

Certified Tower Rescue Instructor and Competent Rescue Trainer

American Petroleum Industry Rigger

Certified Crane and Rigging Inspector (CICB)

OSHA 30-Hour Construction

OSHA #510: Occupational Safety and Health Standards for the Construction Industry

American Heart Association CPR Instructor

Management and Unions Serving Together (MUST) Safety Program

Rope Ascent and Rescue Training

Guest Instructor, OSU Fire School in Advanced Rope Rescue

Skills

Cranes/Rigging Expertise:

- Certified Crane Operator
- Strong background in crane selection, operation, design, setup, and safety practices
- Assisted writing multiple crane safety programs and provided expert testimony in crane litigation cases
- Direct experience with Grove, Tadano, Terex, and Linkbelt RTs; Liebherr 1200, 1300, and 1400 models; Manitowoc 888, 999, 2250, 14000, 16000, and 18000 models; and Demag AC1300, 2800NT, and 2500 models
- Competence with OSHA, ASME, and industry rigging practices, including static engineering analysis of load distribution.
- Designed and performed multiple tandem picks.
- Performs static wind loading analysis and dynamic crane effects, ground bearing pressure analysis, and 2D and 3D pick analysis.
- Has designed and supervised more than one billion pounds of critical lifts.

Software Proficiency in:

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| • 3D Lift Plan | • Linear Scheduling Tools |
| • Access | • Maple |
| • AutoCad (2D) | • Matlab |
| • BASIC | • MGPE |
| • C++ | • RISA |
| • All MS Office | • Sketchup |