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John Campion: Cofounder, Executive Chairman of APR Energy

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John Campion's remarkable path to success started on the backstage crews of rock-and-roll legends and quickly led to the boardroom of a billion-dollar company. Today, he is executive chairman of APR Energy® of Jacksonville, Florida, which specializes in the rapid deployment of temporary power plants in parts of the world that have been affected by natural disasters or energy shortages.

However, his path to success started as a roadie for rock stars like Michael Jackson and the Rolling Stones. He devised ways to provide power for high-energy shows, a skill that led to his business career. Having built numerous successful companies, listed on both the US Stock Exchange and the London Stock Exchange, Campion has expanded his focus on other goals.

Today, Campion sets his sights on helping others overcome obstacles and achieve their dreams. His involvements include the John and Suzanne Campion Foundation, focusing on health, education and nutrition for the less privileged, and Just a Bunch of Roadies, dedicated to responding quickly to worldwide emergencies with medical supplies and food.

"I'm beyond proving naysayers wrong. At this stage of my life, what's important is helping inspire, mentor and guide other people and to make a difference in the world."