Ms. Wrigley is a business leader, lawyer, investor, avid equestrian and philanthropist. She has always been interested in conservation, and has always wanted to do her part to ensure that future generations enjoy the same quality of life we enjoy. Out of this commitment, she has provided the vision, investment and energy to create the Global Institute of Sustainability at ASU. Ms. Wrigley’s contributions helped establish the world’s first School of Sustainability and now are providing resources to hire four of the world’s leading sustainability scholar-researchers to focus on renewable energy systems, sustainable business practices, global environmental change and complex systems dynamics.

In addition, Ms. Wrigley is President and CEO of Wrigley Investments, LLC, whose investments range from stocks to hedge funds and fixed-income securities. She is an ASU Foundation Trustee; a board member for the E.W. Scripps Company; a board member and Chair Emeritus of the Peregrine Fund Inc.; a member of the Board of Visitors for the Institute of International Studies at her alma mater, Stanford University; was co-chair of the capital campaign for Barrow Neurological Institute at Saint Joseph’s Hospital in Phoenix; is a past member of the Nature Conservancy Board of Governors; and a past state Trustee for the Conservancy in Idaho and Nevada. In 2007, Ms. Wrigley was given the Association of Fundraising Professionals Outstanding Philanthropist Award.

Ms. Wrigley is also co-founder with her late husband of the “USC/Wrigley Institute for Environmental Studies”; President and CEO of the Julie Ann Wrigley Foundation, a private philanthropic foundation committed to sustainability and the environment, health care and education; and she is a member of the Burns Family Foundation, which was founded by her grandfather and is managed with her five sisters.