



## Background of Michaela C. Burke

Michaela C. Burke is the co-founder of Move Over Slow Drivers, RoundMeUp, and Every Penny Counts. Michaela has a diverse background, being a television personality and movie / commercial actress in Tokyo, Japan, consultant for Japanese companies on advertising and marketing promotions to the American market, strategic planner for the Japanese National Tourist Association, VP of Human Resources for American Smelting and Refinery (a Fortune 100 Company), elementary school teacher, owner / operator of a chain of retail stores, direct importer of consumer goods and travel consultant for Budget Travel in Dublin, Ireland.

Since her father was a USO Director, Michaela moved every several years, which taught her to adjust to new surroundings and to meet many special people. Her dad, "Mr. USO", initiated many "exciting programs for GIs. One of which was the "GI Pal Dinner" that hosted many celebrities, where she was fortunate to meet: Kirk Douglas, John Glenn, Shirley MacLaine (taught her how to do the twist), Bob Hope, Yul Brynner, and Frank Sinatra, to name a few.

As a worker for a National Political Party, Michaela was fortunate to personally meet President Ronald Reagan, President George Bush and his wife, Barbara, President Jimmy Carter, Vice President Spiro Agnew, Speaker of the House Newt Gingrich, etc.

Currently, Michaela is the Coordinator of 11 U.S. Patents, 2 Foreign Patents, and the personal holder of 3 U.S. Patents.