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**United Football
League
Commissioner
Michael Huyghue**



Tuesday, January 19, 2010

Rentschler Field

615 Silver Lane, East Hartford, CT 06118

Directions:

<http://www.rentschlerfield.com/directions.cfm>

Schedule of Events:

5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.: Tour of Facility

6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.: Cash Bar and Hors d'oeuvres

7:00 p.m.: United Football League Expansion

Speaker Michael Huyghue

COST: \$35.00

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or fax/mail the attached registration form.



Connecticut native Michael Huyghue, Commissioner of the upstart United Football League will discuss many issues facing the League, including potential expansion to Hartford.

About the Speaker

With more than two decades of experience in the professional football and sports industries, Huyghue brings expertise in the areas of legal, operations, front office management and, most recently, player representation. Huyghue started his career as a legal intern for the NFL's Players Association and was then an attorney with the NFL's Management Council in 1987, handling hundreds of arbitration hearings. At the age of 29, he became the youngest general manager in professional football when he joined the NFL World League in 1989.

Huyghue then joined the Detroit Lions as Vice President and General Counsel, and was tapped as Senior Vice President of Football Operations for the Jacksonville Jaguars in the team's inaugural NFL season. During Huyghue's tenure with the Jaguars, the team became the most winning franchise in expansion history, achieving two AFC Central Division Championships and an unprecedented two AFC Championship appearances.

Huyghue has served on many of the NFL Commissioner's prominent committees, including the NFL Management Council, the Executive Working Group Committee, the NFL College Advisory Committee, the NFL Europe League and as a Trustee of the NFL Players Insurance Trust.

Prior to joining the UFL, Huyghue was CEO/Founder of Axxcess Sports & Entertainment where he represented a number of NFL, NBA and PGA TOUR players. Huyghue has twice been named to the "Forty Under 40" Top Sports Business Executives by the Sports Business Journal.

Huyghue earned his undergraduate degree from Cornell University, where he starred as a football and baseball player, and earned his law degree from the University of Michigan. Huyghue currently resides in Jacksonville, FL with his wife and three children.