

## **NEWS RELEASE**

## Ashanti Sankofa Inc. Appoints Independent Director Robert Ironside

Vancouver, BC, August 10<sup>th</sup>, 2021 - Ashanti Sankofa Inc. ("Ashanti" or the "Company") (TSXV: ASI) The company is pleased to announce the appointment of Independent Director Robert Ironside:

Mr. Ironside is currently retiring from a position as Finance Professor at Kwantlen Polytechnic University in Surrey, BC, a position he has held since 2008. Robert has a long history in both the corporate and the academic world. He was a corporate account manager for two of Canada's largest banks, a contract administrator for an international manufacturing company, a VP Corporate Development for a TSX listed public oil company and president of a private eLearning company. Robert was the primary force behind developing the concept that went public on the TSX as Trilogy Resource Corporation. He was a co-founder and Director of Primeline Capital Corp., a Capital Pool Corporation.

Robert has taught and consulted in over twenty countries. His extensive academic training includes doctoral studies in finance at the University of Toronto, an MBA in Finance, a BA in Economics, and a Professional Diploma in Secondary Education. Robert is widely recognized for his exceptional teaching abilities. He won six teaching awards at three different Canadian Universities.

On behalf of the Board,

Ronald Renne CEO

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