

Marc Dupuis

Marc Dupuis is responsible for policy development, regulatory functions and engagement with Governments for start-up company OneWeb. OneWeb's mission is to bring affordable broadband Internet access to the entire world, notably to unconnected and underserved communities. One of its most ambitious goals is to connect all schools of the planet, so that no child is left without access to the vast knowledge that is offered through this medium. OneWeb is a global communications company building a non-geostationary, low Earth orbit, constellation of over 700 satellites. In addition to providing high speed broadband access, the network will extend mobile coverage, as each terminal is also a 3G/LTE base station and WiFi access point.

Before joining OneWeb, Marc was Director General for the Spectrum Engineering Branch of Industry Canada. In his twelve years at Industry Canada, he directed the regulatory planning and engineering of the radio spectrum and telecommunication for the benefit of Canadians.

Before accepting a position in the federal government, Marc worked eighteen years in the private sector, first with Telesat Canada and then as the Director of the Canadian office for Teledesic, a start-up satellite company.

Mr. Dupuis obtained his B.A.Sc. (Electrical Engineering) with honours from the University of Ottawa in 1985.