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Prior to joining HINJ in January 2002, Mr. Issenman served in an array of federal and state government positions and worked for a number of political campaigns and party organizations.

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In 1999, Mr. Issenman served as Governor Christine Todd Whitman's North Jersey Field Director in the Governor's Office of Inter-Governmental Affairs (IGA) and as the New Jersey Republican State Committee's Deputy Political Director during the gubernatorial campaign of 1997. He has also held a number of Congressional positions, both in Washington, D.C. and in New Jersey.

Mr. Issenman is a former Sergeant in the United States Marine Corps, having served on active duty from 1992 through 1996 as both an infantryman and as a logistician. He also served in the New Jersey National Guard from 1997 to 2001.

He attended the University of Maryland at College Park and Kean University, and graduated with a bachelor's degree in political science from Thomas Edison State College in 2014. He lives in Bridgewater, New Jersey with his son and daughter, Jackson and Camryn.