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Liz Brister is the Director of Corporate Social Responsibility at Entergy. In this role, she oversees programs that provide bill payment assistance and other tools and resources to help low-income customers become more self-sufficient. Prior to this role, she served as the external affairs manager of Entergy Mississippi. Brister also spent many years working in the nonprofit sector and remains actively engaged on nonprofit boards. Brister holds a Bachelor of Science in Management from Tulane University in New Orleans, a Master of Business Administration from Millsaps College in Jackson, Mississippi, and, in 2005, she was awarded a fellowship to Harvard University's Social Enterprise Initiative where she received a certificate for completing the Governing for Nonprofit Excellence course.



Teresa Bordeaux currently serves as the National Blood Clot Alliance's first-ever Chief Financial Officer and Chief Operating Officer, a Senior Manager at the Association of International Certified Professional Accountants (AICPA), as well as a Chartered Global Management Accountant (CMGA). At the AICPA, Teresa has contributed to the development, implementation, and improvement of the peer review program, the single audit certificate program, and the audit and accounting guides for state and local governments. She has also worked as an accounting and financial manager for the City of Raleigh, a financial analyst for the North Carolina Department of State Treasurer, an external auditor for the North Carolina Department of Transportation, and a staff accountant for a public accounting firm.



Stacy Campbell-Domineck currently serves as the President & CEO for CareerSource Polk. In this role, she leads a workforce system consisting of two full-service One-Stop Career Centers, a Mobile Career Center, a Youth Services Division, a Business Services Division, and a corporate office within the fourth largest county in land mass in Florida. Stacy has over 19 years of experience in workforce development and over 26 years of experience in leadership, supervision, and management. She holds a bachelor's degree in educational psychology and a master's degree in counseling, and has completed all coursework towards a doctorate in industrial and organized psychology.



Representative Karen Camper has served in the Tennessee Legislature since 2008, representing the 87th District. Her expertise in the legislature encompasses a variety of areas. She sits on the House Finance Ways and Means Committee, House Business and Utilities Committee, Ethics Committee, House Rules Committee, and Joint Pensions and Insurance Committee. Prior to being a Representative in the Tennessee Legislature, she was the Chief Warrant Officer Three of the U.S. Army. She continues to be involved in military affairs as a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post #11333 and a charter member of Women in Military Service for America.



Josefina Carbonell serves as Senior Vice President, Long Term Care & Nutrition at Independent Living Systems, LLC. In this role, she leads the strategic growth of the company's long-term care division, one of the company's most dynamic divisions fortifying its focus and commitment to servicing the growing aging community in the U.S. In 2001, Josefina was appointed by President Bush to the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, where she served as Assistant Secretary for Aging until 2009. She also led the U.S. Delegation before the United Nations at the 2001 World Assembly on Aging as well as the implementation of the White House Conference on Aging in 2005 and Reauthorization of the Older Americans Act in 2006.



Marti Coley is a Partner with PinPoint Results, LLC. Having served in state government, the classroom, and the private sector, Marti brings years of experience advocating for children, health, education, and economic development to the firm. Prior to joining PinPoint Results, she was the Governmental Relations Director for Nemours Children's Health System Florida, where she spearheaded the hospital's legislative agenda. From 2005 to 2014, Marti served in the Florida House of Representatives, where she served as the Speaker Pro Tempore her final two years in the legislature. She also worked as an English teacher, teaching at the middle school, high school, and college levels. She holds a bachelor's degree in education from Florida State University.



Rosie M. Connor, PhD is the Director of Education, Economic, and Workforce Inclusion at Western Governors University (WGU). After earning a bachelor's degree from the University of Illinois, she began working in Southern California's non-profit sector. Her professional career has been dedicated to furthering the efforts of nonprofits in education and healthcare. She earned her master's degree in Public Health from the University of Southern California and her doctorate in Educational Leadership and Policy from the University of Utah. Her research interests and volunteer involvement include local, national, and global causes affecting underserved and marginalized communities.



Loredana Cromarty is the Head of U.S. State Policy and Government Affairs at Organon. In this role, she advises commercial leadership and C-suite leadership on emerging healthcare and public policy issues, as well as serving as the company point person on national engagements and on state and local matters. Throughout her career, Cromarty has developed a comprehensive understanding of national and state politics with policy experience in healthcare, taxes, transportation, arts, and environment at the local, state, and federal levels. She holds a bachelor's degree from Drew University and a master's degree from the University of Pennsylvania.



Antigone Davis serves as Vice President and Global Head of Safety at Meta. In this role, she spearheads the efforts of Facebook's Safety Advisory Board, a team of leading safety organizations from across the globe that provides Facebook with cutting edge research and advice on best practices, as well as its Global Safety Network. Antigone also serves on the International Advisory Board for WePROTECT and the boards of the Family Online Safety Institute, the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children, and the National Network to End Domestic Violence. Before serving in the public sector, Antigone used her J.D. from the University of Chicago Law School as a corporate attorney and her masters in education as a middle and high school teacher.



Alexandra Duncan, DrPH serves as Senior Officer, Substance Use Prevention Treatment Initiative at Pew Charitable Trusts. In this role, she works on Pew's federal and state initiatives to reduce the inappropriate use of prescription opioids and increase access to evidence-based treatment for substance use disorders. Before joining Pew, Duncan was a research associate at IMPAQ International, LLC, and a senior analyst for Abt Associates, where she worked on several projects related to HIV testing and the integration of treatments for HIV and substance abuse. She holds a bachelor's degree from Bryn Mawr College, a master's in public health from Tulane University, and a doctorate in public health from Columbia University.



Tirzah Duren is the Director of Tech Policy at the American Consumer Institute (ACI). In this role, she writes on a wide variety of technology and regulatory related issues. Prior to coming to ACI, Tirzah worked for the premier policy think tank in Pennsylvania, where she focused on economic and fiscal policy. Additionally, she has experience working with think tanks around the globe and has been fortunate to witness firsthand the positive impacts policy can have in individuals' lives. Tirzah brings an interdisciplinary approach to policy, having received her B.A. in anthropology from Eastern Oregon University and her M.A. in international studies from the University of San Francisco.



Candice Ericks is the Director of Governmental Relations at TSE Consulting, the governmental relations arm of the Tripp Scott law firm. She currently represents a broad spectrum of clients, ranging from local governments to corporations to nonprofits. Her client list not only includes some of the largest corporations within the state, but also includes entities from almost every industry within Florida. Candice also serves as Chair of Broward Days, a non-profit and non-partisan group of people advocating for diverse needs and concerns of Broward County structured under the Broward Delegation. She holds a bachelor's degree in public relations from Florida State University.



Jamie Fernandez, MD, is the founder of Interventional Psychiatry of Tampa Bay and IPTB Clinical Research, and has been providing care for complex neuropsychiatric illnesses since 2008. She has served as the Medical Director and Chief of Inpatient Psychiatric Services at Tampa General Hospital and, more recently, at Memorial Hospital of Tampa/Tampa Community Hospital. Her clinical interests relate to treatment resistant depression and peripartum mood disorders. Dr. Fernandez is board certified by the American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology, a past president of the Tampa Bay Foundation for Mental Health, a member of the Hillsborough County Behavioral Health Task Force, and a Distinguished Fellow of the American Psychiatric Association.



Leonard Friedland, M.D. serves as Vice President, Director Scientific Affairs at GSK Vaccines. He is a pediatrician and research scientist with a passion for vaccines. Following a rewarding academic career in teaching and patient care, he joined GSK in 2003 to focus his efforts on vaccination and public health. Dr. Friedland has held many positions in clinical research and development with GSK, specializing in infectious disease vaccination. Prior to his work at GSK, Dr. Friedland was Division Chief, Pediatric Emergency Medicine at Temple University School of Medicine. He holds a bachelor's degree from Vassar College and studied medicine at Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai.



Leanne Gassaway serves as Vice President, State Government Affairs for CVS. In this role, she is responsible for overseeing state affairs in all 50 states and with a variety of political, legislative, and regulatory organizations. She frequently testifies at national and state venues regarding healthcare matters including pharmacy issues, health insurance matters, rural health, and administrative challenges. Prior to coming to CVS Health, Gassaway was Senior Vice President for State Affairs and Policy for America's Health Insurance Plans, where she oversaw enactment and implementation efforts for the Affordable Care Act across all 50 states.



Lacey Gero serves as Manager of State Policy for the National Diaper Bank Network (NDBN), an organization dedicated to ending diaper need, period poverty, and the lack of access to other basic necessities in the U.S. In 2018, NDBN launched the Alliance for Period Supplies, which works to ensure that people have access to essential period supplies specifically. Prior to joining NDBN, Lacey worked as a healthcare policy analyst at Ripple Effect. She earned her bachelor's degree from the University of Arizona and her master's of public health from Tulane University. She is also a Certified Health Education Specialist.



Michael Hanson is the Senior Vice President of Public Affairs at the Retail Industry Leaders Association (RILA). In this role, he oversees the Association's government affairs and communications arms. Hanson is responsible for identifying the industry's top public policy challenges and working with both leading retailers and key stakeholders to elevate the industry in Washington, D.C., and across the country. Hanson most recently served as chief public policy officer at Sabre, a leading travel technology company, where he led legislative and regulatory strategy at the local, state, and federal levels. He has also served as vice president of governmental affairs at JCPenney and chief of staff to U.S. Representative Sam Johnson from Texas.



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Retired U.S. Army Lieutenant General Patricia D. Horoho is the CEO of Optum Serve and the President of 2Serve Together Foundation. She served 33 years with the U.S. Army, retiring as a Lieutenant General, the 43rd Army Surgeon General, and Commander of the U.S. Army Medical Command. She made history as the first woman, nurse, and non-physician to hold these posts. In these roles, Horoho led the third largest health care system in the world, a global logistics, research and care network across five continents. Her military awards and citations include the Distinguished Service Medal, Legion of Merit, Bronze Star Medal, France's National Order of the Legion of Honour Chevalier (Knight), Japan's Defense Cooperation Award Second Class, and the President's Lifetime Achievement Award.

Heather Jim, PhD serves as Research Program Lead, Health Outcomes and Behavior at Moffitt Cancer Center. Her research focuses on psychosocial and behavioral aspects of cancer control. Specifically, Dr. Jim is interested in adjustment to diagnosis and treatment, management of symptoms and side effects, and quality of life. The ultimate goal of her research is to better understand how side effects occur and to contribute to increased quality of life for patients. Dr. Jim holds a master's degree in clinical psychology and a PhD in health psychology from Ohio State University.



Mark Keida, PhD is a Deputy Vice President in Public Affairs at PhRMA. He leads PhRMA's message and polling team, supporting advocacy communications, paid media campaigns, and earned media. Mark specializes in using data to guide narrative, campaign strategy, and tactics. Keida was the 2018 recipient of the PhRMA Champion Award. Before joining PhRMA, he held positions at icitizen, GfK, ALG Research, and Lake Research Partners. He holds a PhD in political science from Miami University.



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Leslie Lake is the Volunteer President and Board Chair for the National Blood Clot Alliance. She is also the Co-Founder and Managing Director of Invus Financial Advisors, LLC, an investment boutique based in New York City. In 2018, Leslie suffered a bilateral pulmonary embolism. Her quest to learn more about venous thromboembolism (VTE) led her to the National Blood Clot Alliance. As Board President, she is committed to raising public awareness so no person affected by blood clots is without the necessary information they need to prevent or successfully treat VTE and navigate the spectrum of lifestyle issues that can follow a blood clot diagnosis. Leslie holds a bachelor's degree in economics from Simmons College.



Sharon Lamberton, MS RN, FAAN serves as Deputy Vice President in State Government Affairs for PhRMA, where she provides clinical expertise and policy support for issues related to Appropriate Use of Medicines, adherence/case coordination and value, and innovation of the industry's latest treatments. Previously, Ms. Lamberton worked for the National Committee to Preserve Social Security and Medicare (NCPSSM), a large national grassroots seniors' association. Other work experiences include: the General Accounting Office (GAO), the congressional office of Senator Chuck Robb, the Center for Health Policy Research and Ethics at George Mason University, and the National Institute of Health Clinical Center in Bethesda, Maryland.



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Prior to her current position, Lennartz served as Vice President, Pharmacy Performance and Health Mart Chief Pharmacist at McKesson. She is also passionate about board service and is involved in McKesson's Employees PAC, McKesson's Women Empowered, and Positively Pewaukee. Lennartz holds a Pharm.D. and an MBA from Drake University.



Michelle Lipkin is the Executive Director of the National Association of Media Literacy Education (NAMLE). Michelle has helped NAMLE grow to be the preeminent media literacy education association in the U.S. She launched the first ever Media Literacy Week in the U.S. now in its 9th year, developed strategic partnerships with companies such as Thomson Reuter, Meta, YouTube, and Nickelodeon, and restructured both the governance and membership of NAMLE. She has overseen six national conferences and done countless conference and media appearances regarding the importance of media literacy education. Michelle is an alumni of the U.S. Department of State's International Visitors Program. She is currently an Adjunct Lecturer at Brooklyn College.



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Julian Morris is an economist and policy analyst with 30 years of experience working with think tanks, businesses, and governments. The author of over 100 scholarly articles and policy papers and the editor of several books, Julian's work focuses on the relationships between finance, governance, innovaBon, and sustainable development. Julian is a Senior Scholar at the International Center for Law and Economics, a Senior Fellow at Reason Foundation, and a Fellow of the Royal Society of Arts. He also sits on several non-profit boards and advisory boards. A graduate of the University of Edinburgh, Julian has Masters degrees from UCL and Cambridge and a graduate diploma in law from the University of Westminster.



Assemblywoman Carol Murphy represents the seventh legislative district in the New Jersey General Assembly and is a member of legislative leadership holding the position of Majority Whip.

She was elected in 2017 and is the first woman in over twenty years to represent the seventh district. Assemblywoman Murphy serves as Vice Chair on the Assembly Judiciary Committee and is a member of the Assembly Budget Committee and the Assembly Financial Institutions and Insurance Committee. She is also a member of numerous non-profit boards, including NFWL's Board of Directors.



Pam Nabors currently serves as the President and CEO of CareerSource Central Florida. In this role, she leads Florida's second largest local workforce development board, overseeing a budget of approximately \$38.5 million and 250 employees to serve the 2.8 million residents that across CareerSource Central Florida's five-county region, including Orange, Osceola, Seminole, Lake, and Sumter. She has been recognized by The National Association of Workforce Development Board as a visionary leader making exceptional contributions to the industry. Orlando Business Journal also recognized her as "CEO of the Year" and one of the "2023 Power Players" in Central Florida. She holds a bachelor's degree in English and a master's degree in personnel psychology.



Lisa Nelson serves as Director, Public Affairs and Government Relations at Walmart. She is an experienced public affairs and government relations professional with success in advancing legislation, managing corporate initiatives, building strategic partnerships, and executing growth opportunities. Lisa served many years as a member of the Wisconsin Army National Guard. She was also a City Council Alderwoman for the city of Moana, Wisconsin, from 1998 to 2006. Lisa holds a bachelor's degree in political science from the University of Wisconsin - Madison and a Master's of Public Administration degree from the University of Wisconsin Oshkosh.



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Representative Sandra Scott has served in the Georgia House of Representatives since 2010. She joined the United States Army (SSG) in 1984, and served in Seoul, Korea, Ft. Hood, Texas, and Nurnberg, Germany. She earned a B.S. from Florida A&M University School of Business and Industry in Business Management and received her teaching certification from Armstrong State University in 1994. Representative Scott She serves on the following House Committees: Defense and Veterans Affairs, Human Relations and Aging, Science and Technology, Reapportionment, and Special Rules. Scott was the 2013 Georgia Legislative Black Caucus Legislator of the Year and a 2013 NFWL Women of Excellence Winner.



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Council, and served four terms as the Florida Office of the Chief Financial Officers' appointee to the Florida Children and Youth Cabinet. She is also one of less than 150 people in the country to hold the distinction of "Designated Professional Lobbyist."