U.S. TRAVEL

BOARD OF DELEGATES

OFFICERS

Chair Christopher Nassetta President & CEO Hilton

Vice Chair Tim Mapes Senior Vice President & Chief Marketing & Communications Officer Delta Air Lines, Inc.

Treasurer Michael Massari Chief Sales Officer Caesars Entertainment Inc.

President & CEO Geoff Freeman President & CEO U.S. Travel Association Vice Chair Caroline Beteta President & CEO & Past U.S. Travel National Chair Visit California

Vice Chair Casandra Matej President & CEO Visit Orlando

Secretary Xiomara Wiley Executive Vice President and Chief Diversity Officer Universal Destinations & Experiences

Chairman Emeritus Jonathan Tisch Executive Chairman Loews Hotels & Co.

CHAIRMAN'S CIRCLE MEMBER REPRESENTATIVES

Marc Anderson President & CEO Visit San Antonio

Carole Angel Head of Government Affairs IHG Hotels & Resorts

Jerad Bachar President & CEO VisitPITTSBURGH

****Melissa Basu** VP, Global Client Group American Express Company

Cleo Battle President & CEO Louisville Tourism

Scott Beck President & CEO San Francisco Travel Association

Lauren Bennett McGinty Director Explore Minnesota Tourism

****Caroline Beteta** President & CEO & Past U.S. Travel National Chair Visit California

Joseph Boschulte Commissioner U.S. Virgin Islands Dept of Tourism

Doug Bourgeois Assistant Secretary Louisiana Office of Tourism

Katie Briscoe CEO MMGY Global

David Burgess President & CEO Miles Partnership Adam Burke President & CEO Los Angeles Tourism & Convention Board

**Doreen Burse SVP Worldwide Sales United Airlines, Inc.

****Tammy Canavan** President & CEO Visit Seattle

Gregg Caren President & CEO Philadelphia Convention & Visitors Bureau

Bonnie Carlson President & CEO Bloomington Convention & Visitors Bureau

Mary Casey EVP, Sales & Marketing Maritz Global Events

****Paul Cash** General Counsel, Chief Compliance Officer & Corporate Secretary Wyndham Hotels & Resorts

****Annika Chase** SVP Commerical Strategy, Disneyland Resort Disney

****Chris Chiames** Chief Communications Officer Carnival Cruise Line

Matt Clement CDME Managing Partner Madden Media

****Julie Coker** President & CEO San Diego Tourism Authority **Santiago C. Corrada** President & CEO Visit Tampa Bay

Christina Dawson Interim President & CEO Visit Anaheim

Brad Dean CEO Discover Puerto Rico

****Fred Dixon** President & CEO New York City Tourism + Conventions

Mike Dominguez President & CEO Associated Luxury Hotels International

Josh Dover Head of Government Affairs Avis Budget Group

Steve Earnest Chief Legal Officer Herschend Enterprises

Kyle Edmiston President & CEO Visit Lake Charles

Amir Eylon President & CEO Longwoods International

Mark Ezell Commissioner Tennessee Department of Tourist Development

Tim Fennell Tourism Director Travel Texas

****Elliott L. Ferguson II** President & CEO & Past U.S. Travel National Chair Destination DC

Kate Fox Executive Director Massachusetts Office of Travel & Tourism **Erin Francis-Cummings** President & CEO Future Partners

****Melissa Froehlich Flood** SVP, Global Corporate Communications & Public Policy Marriott International

Rich Gamble Interim CEO Choose Chicago

Marc Garcia President & CEO Visit Mesa

****Nate Gatten** SVP, Global Government Affairs American Airlines Inc.

Sourav Ghosh EVP, CFO Host Hotels & Resorts, Inc.

****Stephanie Glanzer** SVP & Chief Sales Officer MGM Rsorts International

Jason Glascock VP, Sales Resorts World Las Vegas

Erica Gordon Head of Corporate Affairs Royal Caribbean Group

Petra Hackworth VP of Insights & Impact Travel Oregon

James D. Hagen Secretary Travel South Dakota

Marilyn Hannes Corporate SVP, Strategic Relationships United Parks & Resorts Inc. **Mike Harney** SVP, Head of Public Affairs CLEAR

Michael Heckman President & CEO Houston First Corporation

Nancy Helman Director Virginia Beach Convention & Visitors Bureau

Helen Hill President & CEO Explore Charleston

****Steve Hill** President & CEO Las Vegas Convention & Visitors Authority

Jay Hubbs VP-Marketing, Advertising, Analytics & Innovation BWH Hotels

Al Hutchinson President & CEO Visit Baltimore

Victoria Isley President & CEO Explore Asheville Convention & Visitors Bureau

Deana Ivey President & CEO Nashville Convention & Visitors Corp.

Mark Jaronski Deputy Commissioner of Tourism Explore Georgia

Patrick Kaler President & CEO Visit Buffalo Niagara

Kevin Kane President & CEO Memphis Tourism

Tom Kiely President & CEO Visit West Hollywood **Claudia Kozma Kaplan** SVP, Global Head of Brand Accor Management Canada Inc.

Tamara Laster VP Global Sales & Enablement Choice Hotels International

**Walt Leger President & CEO New Orleans & Company

Sarah Lehman CEO Zartico

Brian Lowack President & CEO Visit St. Petersburg/Clearwater

****Christine Maguire** VP Global Advertising Tripadvisor

****Monya Mandich** Global VP, Marketing Expedia Group

Mike Mangeot Commissioner Kentucky Department of Tourism

****Tim Mapes** SVP & Chief Marketing & Communications Officer Delta Air Lines, Inc.

****Omar Marchi** VP, International Tour & Travel Enterprise Mobility

Melissa Masitto VP, Sales and Marketing, Americas Franchise Hyatt Corporation

****Michael Massari** Chief Sales Officer Caesars Entertainment Inc.

****Casandra Matej** President & CEO Visit Orlando **Rita McClenny** President & CEO Virginia Tourism Corporation

****Jack McNeill** Chief Corporate Affairs Officer Delaware North

Bill Miles President & CEO Hilton Head Island Visitor & Convention Bureau

Jeff Miller President & CEO Travel Portland

DT Minich President & CEO Experience Kissimmee

Claude Molinari President & CEO Visit Detroit

Maryam Mujica Head/Director of Public Affairs (Government Affairs), Americas Booking Holdings

Sarah Murov SVP, Brand & Communications Loews Hotels & Co.

Daniel Nahoopii Interim CEO Hawaii Tourism Authority

****Christopher Nassetta** President & CEO U.S. Travel National Chair Hilton

Tom Noonan President & CEO Visit Austin

Duane Parrish Director South Carolina Dept. of Parks, Recreation & Tourism

William Pate President & CEO Atlanta Convention & Visitors Bureau **John Percy** President & CEO Destination Niagara USA

Tamara Pigott Executive Director Fort Myers - Islands, Beaches and Neighborhoods

Anna Marie Presutti VP & GM, Hotel Nikko San Francisco Okura/Nikko Hotels International

Ron Price President & CEO Visit Phoenix

Natalie Randall Managing Director Utah Office of Tourism and Film

****Stephen Revetria** President, Giant Enterprises San Francisco Giants

John Rissi SVP, Customer & Industry Relations Encore

Stacy Ritter President & CEO Visit Lauderdale

Ken Sanders Chief Development Officer Freeman

Richard Scharf President & CEO VISIT DENVER

Paige Shepherd Director & Tourism Chickasaw Country

Martha Sheridan President & CEO Meet Boston

Greg Sivinski VP & Associate General Counsel – Regulatory & Government Affairs & Chief Privacy Officer Sabre Lisa Sullivan EVP, Travel & Transport IDEMIA

Daniel Thomas Director Illinois Office of Tourism

Wit Tuttell Director Visit North Carolina

Lisa Urias Director Arizona Office of Tourism

Angela Val President & CEO Visit Philadelphia

Rafael Villaneuva CEO Travel Nevada Susie Vowinkel Director, Travel Google Travel

David Whitaker President & CEO Greater Miami Convention & Visitors Bureau

Barry White President & CEO Chattanooga Tourism Company

Scott White President & CEO Visit Greater Palm Springs

****Xiomara Wiley** EVP and Chief Diversity Officer Universal Destinations & Experiences

Jennifer Wilson-Buttigieg Head of Policy Chase Travel

Tony Yousfi Chief Sales Officer The Venetian Resort Las Vegas

BOARD CIRCLE MEMBER REPRESENTATIVES

John Ackerman CEO Los Angeles World Airports

Stephanie Baker COO EBG

Kimberly J. Becker President & CEO San Diego International Airport

Richard Black VP, Destinations Sojern

Ross Borden Founder & CEO Matador Network

Leroy Bridges VP Sales, Tourism ADARA, A RateGain Company

Mike Butts VP of Sales, CRVA & Executive Director, Visit Charlotte Charlotte Regional Visitors Authority

Christina Cassotis CEO Pittsburgh International Airport

David Chastain VP, Travel & Tourism Epsilon

Ralph Cutié Director & CEO Miami-Dade Aviation Department

****Craig Davis** President & CEO Visit Dallas

Joseph Diaz Co-Founder AFAR

Dennis Edwards President & CEO Visit Raleigh **Kaitlin Eskelson** President & CEO Visit Salt Lake

Charles Everett Director of Aviation Port Authority of New York & New Jersey

Kamrouz Farhadi Chairman/CEO CitySightseeing Los Angeles by Starline Tours

Dan Flores VP of Sales/Head of Tourism Satisfi Labs Inc.

Cara Frank Chief of Staff Simpleview

Robert Gallagher SVP & COO, Head of the Americas AIG Travel, Inc.

Mike Gamble President & CEO SearchWide Global

Peter Gamez President & CEO Visit Oakland

Judy Gauthier Chief Commercial Officer Go City

Gene Hagberg Account Director, Leisure Sales Sonesta International Hotels Corporation

Amanda Hite President STR

Leonard Hoops President & CEO Visit Indy

Robert L. Jameson, CTA President & CEO Visit Fort Worth Kathy Janega-Dykes President & CEO Visit Santa Barbara

Misti Kerns CMP, CDME President & CEO Santa Monica Travel & Tourism

John Lambeth President & CEO Civitas

Joseph Marinelli President Visit Savannah

Sara Meaney Managing Director Coraggio Group

Rob O'Keefe President & CEO See Monterey

Brett Oetting President & CEO Visit Corpus Christi

Elizabeth Persons VP, Business Development Travelzoo

Kathleen Ratcliffe President Explore St. Louis

Jamie Rhee Commissioner Chicago Department of Aviation

Rachel Sacco President & CEO Experience Scottsdale

Atif Saeed CEO, Division of Aviation Philadelphia International Airport

Gary Sherwin President & CEO Visit Newport Beach, Inc. **Diane Shober** Executive Director Wyoming Office of Travel & Tourism

Ricky Smith Executive Director/CEO Baltimore/Washington International Thurgood Marshall Airport

Julia Smyth-Young Interim CEO Visit Williamsburg

Edwin Sniffen Director Hawaii Department of Transportation-Airports Division

Essa Sulaiman Ahmad Divisional VP - USA & Canada Emirates Airline

Dan Surette Chief Sales Officer Omni Hotels & Resorts

Melvin Tennant President & CEO Meet Minneapolis Official Conv. & Visitors Assn.

Keith Thibault CEO Orlando International Airport

Rosemary A. Vassiliadis Director of Aviation Harry Reid International Airport

****Phillip A. Washington** CEO Denver International Airport

Ellie Westman Chin President & CEO Destination Madison

Timothy Wolfe Director Colorado Tourism Office Kelly Wolgamott Acting Vice President Travel Michigan

**Dana Young President & CEO VISIT FLORIDA

David Zielke Director, Air Service Development Port of Portland

ASSOCIATION BOARD CIRCLE MEMBER REPRESENTATIVES

Liz Bittner President & CEO Travel South USA

Kelly Craighead President & CEO Cruise Lines International Association

Jason Gamel President & CEO American Resort Development Association

Bob Hofmann VP, Broadway Inbound, Inc. The Broadway League

Jay Karen CEO National Golf Course Owners Association

Michelle Korsmo President & CEO National Restaurant Association

Michelle Mason President & CEO American Society of Association Executives Bill Miller President & CEO American Gaming Association

Barb Newton President & CEO California Travel Association

Vincent Polito CEO Society of Independent Show Organizers

Chip Rogers President & CEO American Hotel & Lodging Association

Paul Van Deventer President & CEO Meeting Professionals International

Tina Wehmeir President & CEO AMC Institute

Don Welsh President & CEO Destinations International

AT-LARGE DELEGATES

Beth Erickson

President & CEO Visit Loudoun (Expires Spring 2025 - serving second term)

Kara Franker CEO Visit Estes Park *(Expires Spring 2025 - serving second term)*

Lori Harnois

Tourism Director New Hampshire Division of Travel & Tourism Dev. (*Expires Spring 2025 - serving second term*)

Mark Hecquet President & CEO Springfield MO Convention & Visitors Bureau (Expires Spring 2025 - serving second term)

Gloria Lan CEO & Owner Tour America LLC (Expires Spring 2025 - serving second term)

Sarah Leonard

Executive Director Visit Longmont (Expires Spring 2025 - serving second term)

Sara Otte Coleman

Director North Dakota Tourism Division (Expires Spring 2025 - serving first term)

Sherry Rupert

Executive Director American Indian Alaska Native Tourism Association (Expires Spring 2025 - serving second term)

Greg Takehara

CEO Tourism Cares (Expires Spring 2025 - serving second term)

Rickey Thigpen President & CEO Visit Jackson (Expires Spring 2025 - serving second term)