

Lori Maris

Senior Vice President, Affiliate Network



As Senior Vice President, Affiliate Network for Susan G. Komen®, Lori Maris provides guidance and direction to the Komen global headquarters team and local Affiliate leadership in matters related to governance, financial compliance/reporting, organizational development and structure, event planning and operations, mission delivery, fundraising and day-to-day Affiliate operations.

Maris has a long history of service to Komen. After more than 10 years as Executive Director of Komen Greater Kansas City, she joined headquarters in 2012 as a Regional Vice President, responsible for building and strengthening partnerships with 40 Affiliates in 14 states. In early 2014 Maris was promoted to Managing Director, with oversight of the strategic direction of more than 100 Affiliates in seven regions. Promoted to Vice President in June 2016, and then to Senior Vice President in January 2017, she serves on the Senior Leadership Team to develop, cultivate and manage strong working relationships and shared goals between domestic Affiliates, staff and Komen headquarters to facilitate common commitment to and delivery of Komen's mission.

Active in her community, Maris has been a member of the leadership team of Pioneering Health Communities, the chairperson of the Kansas City Cancer Coalition, Resource Committee chairperson of the Missouri Cancer Consortium, and a member of the Association of Fundraising Professionals.

Maris received her Bachelor of Science in Business Administration from the University of Missouri, with dual emphasis in marketing and management.