## SHEREE ANNE KELLY VICE PRESIDENT PUBLIC AFFAIRS COUNCIL

Sheree Anne Kelly is vice president of the Public Affairs Council and executive director of the Foundation for Public Affairs. In this capacity she serves on the senior management team as chief public affairs expert and deputy for the organization. She directs the Council's public affairs experts who are responsible for consulting and training on best practices and ethical considerations for the field worldwide. Sheree Anne is also charged with opening the Council's first international office location in Brussels in 2013. In her role with the foundation, she manages operations and oversees its research agenda and fundraising.

Since joining the group over a decade ago, she's worked with hundreds of corporations and associations to craft and tailor strategic plans and tactics for their outreach programs. Her areas of expertise include international public affairs, U.S. government relations, issues management, corporate social responsibility, communications and advocacy. Sheree Anne is also responsible for the Council's strategic planning and works closely with the Board of Directors and the Executive Committee.

Prior to joining the Council, Ms. Kelly worked in the government affairs department of the National Association of Home Builders where she served as primary fundraiser and handled the marketing and communications for their \$2.6 million PAC. She was also involved in a host of grassroots, issues management and good-government efforts for the organization. Ms. Kelly has also held positions at the U.S. Chamber of Commerce in their corporate relations and corporate development departments.

Ms. Kelly has delivered speeches on public affairs in North America, Europe, Australia and Asia. She is a regular guest presenter at Board meetings, senior management retreats, and University courses on public affairs and political science.

Since 2006, she's served as a faculty member for the annual Public Affairs in Asia Institute at the Hong Kong University of Science and Technology in Clear Water Bay, Hong Kong. She is a member of the Board of Visitors of the Engalitcheff Institute on Comparative Political and Economic Systems and a Board member of the Bucknell University Public Policy Institute. She previously served on the Board of Directors for Project Northstar, a mentoring and tutoring program in the District of Columbia.

Ms. Kelly holds a Master in Government degree from Johns Hopkins University and a Bachelor of Arts in International Relations from Bucknell University. She is currently a candidate for an International Executive MBA from Georgetown University. Capitalizing on her passion for all things French, Sheree Anne also studied at l'Universite Francois Rabelais in Tours. She has completed the Leadership Development Program at the Center for Creative Leadership, as well as certification programs in campaign management, campaign finance, and US ethics, lobbying and gift laws.