



Shari Burgess

Shari Burgess is responsible for all corporate and subsidiary financing strategy and execution, including setting capital structure, accessing capital markets, and managing commercial/investment banking and rating agency relationships. Shari is also responsible for global cash, foreign exchange and interest rate risk management. In Shari's 23 years with Lear, she has had the unique opportunity to be part of the leadership team that grew and transitioned a private \$1.4 billion North American seat assembly supplier into a public \$18 billion global Tier I automotive supplier, ranking #174 amongst the Fortune 250.

Shari's diverse background includes treasury/investment banking, corporate finance, financial planning & analysis, M&A, investor relations, SEC reporting and accounting. Shari's leadership responsibility or direct participation in all elements of key corporate transactions demonstrates an in-depth understanding of business strategy, capital markets, stakeholder value creation and corporate governance.

Since 2009, Shari has managed Lear's capital structure to accommodate a 25% increase in sales, execute two acquisitions totaling \$1.2 billion, return \$2.7 billion to shareholders and improve the company's credit rating to investment grade.

Shari has been recognized in many top executive lists, most recently as a Top Executive in Corporate Diversity by Black Enterprise in 2014 and in Treasury and Risk's 2011 Women in Finance List. Shari also serves on several boards including those of the Inforum Center for Leadership and the Michigan Roundtable for Diversity & Inclusion.

Shari received a BA in professional management and economics from Albion College in Michigan, and an MBA from the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor.