

Public & Non Profit Finance



Peter Ginsberg Chief Operating Officer Foundation Fighting Blindness

Peter Ginsberg joined Foundation Fighting Blindness in 2020 and is now chief operating officer, with responsibility for finance, corporate partnering, professional outreach, IT and strategic opportunities. He is also on the management team for the RD Fund (Retinal Degeneration Fund), the Foundation's venture capital fund. Foundation Fighting Blindness is the leading foundation focused on retinal disease research and celebrated its 50th anniversary in 2021. In connection with his Foundation role, Ginsberg co-founded Opus Genetics, which was incorporated and raised its \$19 million seed financing in 2021. Opus Genetics is a patient-first, science driven gene therapy company tackling manufacturing obstacles standing in the way of treatments for rare blinding retinal diseases. Prior to joining the Foundation, Ginsberg served as vice president of business development at Savara Pharmaceuticals (SVRA), an orphan lung disease company. Previously, he headed business development for BioDelivery Sciences (BDSI), United Therapeutics (UTHR), and SurModics (SRDX). Ginsberg also served as VP of business & technology development for the North Carolina Biotechnology Center, where his group financed and advised emerging life science companies. He further spent 15 years in the healthcare investment industry, during which time he was named a Wall Street Journal All-Star as Piper Jaffray's lead biotechnology analyst. Ginsberg serves as a steering committee member for the Bespoke Gene Therapy Consortium and is a Chartered Financial Analyst and member of the CFA Institute. He earned an A.B. in Economics from Princeton University and an M.B.A. from the Tuck School of Business at Dartmouth College.

Megan McCamey '91

Founding President goBeyondProfit

Megan McCamey is the founding President of goBeyondProfit, a venture philanthropy built for and with CEOs. goBeyondProfit is a growing network of more than 2,100 CEOs who pledge to operate generous businesses and improve lives. goBeyondProfit provides original content geared toward businesses of all sizes and industries such as research reports, peer interviews and award-winning digital resources.

She is also the CEO and co-founder of a new venture, Belay Guidance Company, that puts preventative science at parents' fingertips with their digital mental health platform of customized, real-time expertise that makes today easier and the future brighter.

Earlier in her career Megan was Senior Advisor to the CEO for Points of Light and founding President of the Civic Incubator where she built new enterprises through mergers/acquisitions and joint ventures between for-profits and non-profits.

At McKenna, Long & Aldridge, Megan led the firm-wide philanthropic and community impact strategy including a multi-faceted effort to fight human trafficking nationwide. She also worked closely with the founders of Green Print as strategic advisor and early-stage investor helping build the carbon investment strategy and negotiate social purpose partnerships as they launched a sustainability solutions company.

She has served as Chair of the Board of Visitors for Emory University as well as on the boards of Wake Forest University's Advisory Council on Entrepreneurship & Innovation and Candler School of Theology. She also served as President of Parents Council, and various other roles for the Westminster Schools where her four children attended. Megan lives in Atlanta with her husband Bill McCamey ('91)





John Kandrak '03

Group Manager Federal Reserve Board

John Kandrak is an economist and group manager in the Division of Research & Statistics at the Federal Reserve Board of Governors in Washington, D.C. Prior to that, he was a Principal Economist in the Board's Division of Monetary Affairs, where he focused on implementing monetary policy amid near-zero interest rates. John's research focuses on topics in banking, financial intermediation, and monetary policy. Before pursuing his doctorate, John worked as an Analyst and Portfolio Assistant at J.P. Morgan Asset Management in New York and Atlanta. John received a B.B.A. from William & Mary in 2003, majoring in finance and minoring in physics while running a small construction business. He holds a Ph.D. in economics from the University of Oregon. John resides in Springfield, Va., with his wife Jenny and their three young children.



Daniel Owens '05

VCU Health Systems Emergency Medicine Resident

Daniel is an Emergency Medicine Resident and Chief Strategy Officer for Foundations of Emergency Medicine. The primary focus of his work has been to formalize business processes and develop and recruit capacity to help sustainably scale the work, which is used in over 70% of EM Residency programs nationwide and is expanding internationally. Daniel started his journey teaching with Teach for America, followed by working for JP Morgan in their Private Wealth division. Daniel helped start The Learning Accelerator, a non profit incubator for technology-enabled classrooms and was a founding Board Member of the Technology Education Consortium.