



**Lorna C. Donatone**  
**CEO Geographic Regions**

Lorna Donatone is Sodexo's CEO for Geographic Regions, responsible for the coordination of businesses around the world. She is a member of the Sodexo Group Executive Committee.

Before moving to her current role, Ms. Donatone was CEO for Geographic Regions and Region Chair of North America. She has announced that she will retire at the end of 2019, and has transitioned out of the North America role. Previously, she was CEO for Schools worldwide, managing the K-12 business in 42 countries. Prior to that, she served as Chief Operating Officer and President of Sodexo's U.S. Education market. She has held several other key leadership roles in the company, including President of School Services and President of Spirit Cruises.

Lorna Donatone has been instrumental in developing Sodexo's Employee Business Resource Groups, with a commitment to diversity, inclusion, mentorship and training employees. She began her career in public accounting with Deloitte & Touche and has worked in the airline, banking and high-tech industries.

Lorna Donatone demonstrates her leadership through community and industry involvement. She is on the Sodexo Stop Hunger Foundation Board. She has served on the boards of the National Restaurant Association since 2005 and became a trustee of the National Restaurant Association Educational Foundation in 2011, and is past Chair of the Board. Ms. Donatone is Past Chair of the Board of Directors of the Women's Foodservice Forum. She was elected a member of the Board of Trustees for The Culinary Institute of America in 2008. She is a member of the Board of Directors of Jamba Juice, Inc. Ms. Donatone chairs the Texas Christian University Neeley School of Business International Board of Visitors and is a member of the Tulane University Business School Council. She previously served as a member of the Board of Directors for Entertainment Cruises.

Lorna Donatone was recognized by NAFEM in 2013 with a doctorate in foodservice. She received the Ascendancy Award by w2wink.com in 2010 for her work in mentoring women. Girls, Inc. recognized her in 2009 for her work in empowering young women. In 2015, she received the Trailblazer Award from the Women's Foodservice Forum.

She has a Bachelor of Science in Management from Tulane University and a Master of Business Administration from Texas Christian University.