

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Current Members

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- **SUSAN L. BLOUNT**

JD - University of Texas School of Law
AB History - University of Texas at Austin

Current: General Counsel, Prudential Financial, Inc.
Former: Legal positions within Prudential; associate in a major Chicago law firm

- **ROSE C. CALI**

BA Anthropology - Montclair State University

Current: Education Advocate; Founder, Yogi Berra Museum and Learning Center
Former: Volunteer services coordinator for mentally challenged citizens; public relations officer for training center

- **MITCHELL E. HERSCH**

BA Architecture - Ohio University

Current: President and Chief Executive Officer, Mack-Cali Realty

- **GEORGE J. HILTZIK**

JD - Columbia University School of Law
BS Industrial and Labor Relations - Cornell University

Current: Senior Executive, N. S. Bienstock talent agency
Former: Vice President for Policy and Planning and other positions at National Broadcasting Company; legal positions in various firms

- **DOUGLAS L. KENNEDY**

MBA Finance - Sacred Heart University
BS Economics - Sacred Heart University

Current: President, New Jersey Division, North Fork Bank
Former: Chairman, Fleet New Jersey; President and CEO, Fleet Bank N.A

- **RALPH A. LAROSSA**

BE Industrial Engineering - Stevens Institute of Technology

Current: President and Chief Operating Officer, PSE&G
Former: Vice President - Electric Delivery and a variety of management positions in PSE&G's gas and electric operations

- **PATRICK G. LEPORE**

MBA - Fairleigh Dickinson University
BA - Villanova University

Current: President and Chief Executive Officer, Par Pharmaceutical
Former: Executive Vice President, Cardinal Health; Partner, CEO and Chairman, BLP Group Companies

- **JOHN L. MCGOLDRICK**

LLB – Harvard University
BA – Harvard University

Current: Senior Vice President, International AIDS Vaccine Initiative
Former: Executive Vice President and General Counsel, Bristol-Myers Squibb Company; Various executive positions at Bristol-Myers Squibb Company; senior partner and executive committee member of the law firm of McCarter English

- **WILLIAM T. MULLEN**

Current: President, New Jersey State Building & Construction Trades Council AFL-CIO and Business Manager, Iron Workers Local 11
Former: President, VP, Iron Workers Local 11; President, Essex County Building Trades

- **MARILYN H. O'CONNELL**

MBA – Pepperdine University
BA – University of Kansas

Current: Chief Marketing Officer, Verizon Telecom
Former: Senior Vice President – Video Solutions, Verizon; several senior management posts in Verizon and one of its predecessor companies, GTE

- **CARLOS G. ORTIZ**

JD - Brooklyn Law School
BS Accounting - Lehman College, City University of New York
CPA

Current: General Counsel, Goya Foods, Inc.
Former: Legal positions in various firms; associate auditor at American Re-Insurance Company; senior tax consultant at Deloitte Haskins and Sells

- **CHRISTINE L. PADILLA**

MBA Management – Montclair State University
BS Computer Science – Montclair State University

Current: President/Owner, BIT Solutions, LLC
Former: Various management positions within Berlex Labs, Inc.

- **PRESTON D. PINKETT III**

MBA Management Strategy - Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania
BS Economics - Cornell University

Former: Senior Vice President, New Jersey Economic Development Authority, PNC Bank, Chemical Bank New Jersey; Senior Planner, NJ Council on Affordable Housing; associate, Summit Group

Student Trustees

- **MESHEKE SCIPIO**

Major – Molecular Biology

- **DANIEL PELTZ** (non-voting member)

Major – History

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PhD English and American Literature - Brandeis University
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BA English and American Literature - Barnard College, Columbia University

Current: President, Montclair State University
Former: President, Metropolitan State University in Minnesota;
Visiting Senior Fellow in academic administration, City University of New York; Vice President for University Administration and Personnel, Rutgers University; Associate University Dean for Academic Affairs, Antioch University; faculty member, CUNY