

Michael L. Morgan

Professional Experience:

Senior Vice President, University of Wisconsin System (July 2010-current)

Advises Board of Regents and the President of UW System on the development of the biennial budget; provides leadership to the Board of Regents, the President of the UW System, and UW institutions in formulating, interpreting, and implementing policies related to sound business operations, oversight, and strategic planning. Advises and staffs the Board of Regents Business, Finance, and Audit Committee; and, coordinates and supports liaison work with systemwide groups, including the UW Chief Business Officers.

Secretary, Wisconsin Department of Administration (January 2007-June 2010)

Cabinet officer responsible for the management and operations of the Department of Administration. Chief duties included advising the Governor on the development and preparation of Wisconsin's biennial budget; analyzing administrative and fiscal issues faced by the state and recommending solutions; coordinating statewide planning for information technology, energy and land use; providing a wide range of support services to other state agencies, and managing the state's buildings and other real estate assets.

Secretary, Wisconsin Department of Revenue (January 2003-January 2007)

Cabinet officer responsible for the fair and equitable administration of the state's tax laws; and effective operations of the Wisconsin Department of Revenue. The department administers state tax laws, and enforces the state's alcohol beverage and tobacco laws. It estimates state revenues, forecasts state economic activity, helps formulate tax policy, and administers the Wisconsin Lottery. It administers local financial assistance programs and assists local governments in their property assessments and financial management.

Program Related Investment Officer, Helen Bader Foundation (2001-2003)

Established and managed the Helen Bader Foundation Program Related Investment Fund. PRIs are loans, loan guarantees, and equity investments that extended the reach of the Foundation's grant-making, by aiding entrepreneurs, small business owners and nonprofit organizations in attracting other conventional sources of risk capital, thereby reducing the need for grant funds.

President, Spirit of Milwaukee, Inc., (1999-2001)

Chief executive officer for a dynamic organization charged with the responsibility to boost the national image of metro Milwaukee. Spirit of Milwaukee, Inc. is a private non-profit corporation whose mission is to educate the public, both locally and nationally, about greater Milwaukee's many cultural, educational, historical and scientific institutions; and, to encourage greater utilization of these superb Milwaukee assets.

City of Milwaukee (1989-1999)

- **Commissioner, Department of City Development (DCD)** (November 1993-December 1998) Cabinet officer responsible for advising and assisting the mayor on matters related to urban planning and city-building. Also directed real estate, and business development investment through the City of Milwaukee Redevelopment Authority (RACM), and the Milwaukee Economic Development Corporation (MEDC). The Department of City Development is the municipal agency responsible for economic, business and real estate development in the city of Milwaukee. Planning, permitting and public housing are also managed by the Department of City Development.
- **Director, Division of Intergovernmental Relations**, (July 1992-1993) City of Milwaukee's chief lobbyist on state and federal legislation, and other matters related to the fiscal, economic and general welfare of the city.
- **Executive Director, Fire and Police Commission**, (December 1990-July 1992) Administrative head of the Fire and Police Commission, a civilian body which oversees general policymaking, and disciplinary appeals in the Milwaukee Fire and Police Departments. Established in 1885, the Board of Fire and Police Commissioners is the oldest civil service authority in Wisconsin.

Milwaukee County District Attorneys' Office (1985-1987)

Assistant District Attorney, charged and litigated criminal cases against violators of the State of Wisconsin Criminal Code.

Ross Laboratories (a division of Abbott Labs) (1979-1981)

Territory Sales Manager, Milwaukee District Office

Public Service and Board Membership:

United Way of Dane County, Board Member (2011- Present)

Midwest Higher Education Commission, Commissioner Alternate (2010 - Present)

National "W" Club, Board Member (2010 - Present)

Former Board Member:

Boys and Girls Club of Metro Milwaukee, Trustee
Greater Milwaukee Visitors and Convention Bureau, Board Member
Milwaukee Westside Healthcare Association, Board Member
State of Wisconsin Investment Board, Board Member
Chicago Home Loan Bank, Board Member

Memberships and Awards:

National Association of Chief Business Officers
State Bar of Wisconsin
National Association of State Budget Officers
President's Award – Boys and Girls Club of Metro Milwaukee

Gertie Award – Milwaukee RiverWalk District
Economic Trailblazer Award, North Milwaukee State Bank

Education:

1985 – Juris Doctor, University of Wisconsin Law School

1978 – BA, Communication Arts-Radio, Television and Film, University of Wisconsin-Madison