



Bill Lorenz
Chief Operating Officer



Bill Lorenz is the Chief Operating Officer at The Foundation For the Carolinas, the fifth-largest community foundation in the United States. In his role, Bill leads our IT, Operational Excellence, Change Management, Facilities and Business Continuity functions. He joined the foundation team in January 2024, providing transition leadership support for the organization as the new CEO and President assumed day-to day leadership of the foundation.

Bill also serves as an Executive Advisor at My Next Season providing consulting, coaching and mentoring to organizations' talent through critical times of growth and change across the career continuum.

Prior to retiring in 2021, Bill served at Bank of America with over four decades of global financial services leadership and experience. During his career, Bill was most proud of the global client and colleague impact he was able to deliver and learning that every connection matters. Throughout his Bank of America tenure, he served in executive roles in commercial banking, chief of operations, risk management, sales management, credit management and integration management in the United States, UK, Europe as well as APAC.

Passionate about his community, Bill has served on the boards of a variety of education, children's healthcare and other not-for profit organizations. He currently serves in leadership roles for one of the largest Episcopalian churches in the US. He also serves as a member of Greenhouse Scholars' North Carolina board of directors, and as a member and Past Chair of The Salvation Army of Greater Charlotte's Advisory Board.

Bill earned a degree in Economics from Bucknell University.

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