

Linda Whitlock

A successful CEO, Director, and strategy consultant, Linda Whitlock has won widespread respect for a strong record of effective management, corporate and non-profit board leadership, strategy consulting, and public service. Ms. Whitlock is the Principal of The Whitlock Group, which provides high-level management and governance consulting to CEOs and Boards of Directors. She is the immediate past Nicholas President and CEO of Boys & Girls Clubs of Boston, one of the most highly regarded institutions in Greater Boston.

Ms. Whitlock has been an active participant on more than 20 corporate and non-profit boards, including the board of the Boston Stock Exchange. She currently serves on the boards of Cambridge Bancorp/Cambridge Trust Company, where she is Lead Director; The Princeton Review, where she is a member of the Audit Committee; Brigham and Women's Hospital, where she is chair of the Nominating and Governance Committee; Brandeis University; Boston Museum; and Boston World Partnerships. She is also a member of the Strategic Advisory Board of AesRx, a biopharmaceutical company, and is a member of Women Corporate Directors and the Boston Library Society.

Ms. Whitlock has been awarded honorary doctorates by Suffolk University, Babson College, and Pine Manor College. She has been recognized by the top business and civic institutions in the region, including the *Boston Business Journal*, the Boston Municipal Research Bureau, and *Boston Magazine*, and has been inducted into the Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce's Academy of Distinguished Bostonians, among many other honors.

An alumna of Mount Holyoke College with a Masters degree from the University of Michigan, Ms. Whitlock served in the administrations of Massachusetts Governors Dukakis and King, and has been appointed by Governors Romney and King and Boston Mayor Menino to an array of boards and commissions. Ms. Whitlock taught at MIT, Tufts, and the University of Michigan, and has been a Senior Fellow at Boston University's School of Management. She has served as Senior Advisor to Harvard Business School Professor Michael Porter in his role as CEO of the Initiative for a Competitive Inner City.

Ms. Whitlock is a frequent lecturer on topics related to strategic leadership, effective governance, and skilled philanthropy.