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Women CEOs and Heads of the Financial Post 500

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This is a list of women who currently hold CEO or the top leadership positions at companies that rank on the most recently published *Financial Post* 500 list. Women currently hold 6.1 percent of *Financial Post* 500 CEO/Head roles.

***Financial Post* 500 (30 Companies With Women CEO/Heads)**

- **Shelley Broader**, Wal-Mart Canada Corp. (#11)
- **Louise Wendling**, Costco Wholesale Canada Ltd. (SVP) (#28)
- **Monique F. Leroux**, Mouvement des caisses Desjardins (Desjardins Group). (#29)
- **Jacynthe Côté**, Rio Tinto Alcan Inc. (#32)
- **Karen Kinsley**, Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation (#34)
- **Dianne Craig**, Ford Motor Co. of Canada (#45)
- **Laura Formusa**, Hydro One Inc. (#77)
- **Marguerite J. Trussler**, Alberta Gaming and Liquor Commission (#99)
- **Nancy C. Southern**, ATCO Ltd. (#102)
- **Kathy Bardswick**, Co-operators Financial Services Ltd. (#117)
- **Linda Hasanfratz**, Linamar Corporation (#133)
- **Karen H. Sheriff**, Bell Aliant Regional Communications Inc. (#138)
- **Dawn Farrell**, TransAlta (#144)
- **Zoë A. Yujnovich**, Iron Ore Co. of Canada (#154)
- **Sophie Brochu**, Gaz Métro, Inc. (#182)
- **Karen Gavan**, The Economical Insurance Group (#185)
- **Sylvie Paquette**, Desjardins General Insurance Group (#189)
- **Elaine Campbell**, AstraZeneca Canada Inc. (#218)
- **Debra Armstrong**, BofA Canada Bank (President) (#227)
- **Violet A. M. Konkle**, The Brick Ltd. (#236)
- **Mandy Shapansky**, Xerox Canada, Inc. (#252)
- **Heather M. Reisman**, Indigo Books & Music Inc. (#294)
- **Christine M. Day**, Lululemon Athletica, Inc. (#303)
- **Marilyn McLaren**, The Manitoba Public Insurance Corporation (#310)
- **Tamara Vrooman**, Vancouver City Savings Credit Union (#371)
- **Ellen J. Moore**, Chubb Insurance Company of Canada (#384)
- **Marie-Claude Houle**, EBC Inc. (#392)
- **Monique F. Leroux**, Caisse centrale Desjardins (#407)
- **Sue Stevenson**, Electrolux Canada Corp. (#410)

- **Tracy Redies**, Coast Capital Savings Credit Union (#455)

Note: Although there are 30 companies with women CEO/heads, there are only 29 women who head those companies. Monique F. Leroux heads two companies.

This list is based on the *Financial Post* 500 list of companies published by the *Financial Post* in June of each year. The number and rank of companies remains unchanged throughout the year until a new list is published. We update our list throughout the year whenever a woman becomes CEO/head or departs a CEO/head position at any of the listed companies. Women are counted in our list starting on the date they officially take over their positions. We strive to keep this list accurate and timely; if you have found that we have missed someone, or have any questions, please email us at icinfo@catalyst.org.

Current calculations for this women CEO/Heads list are based on the 492 companies which have CEO/Heads or for which the CEO or head could be determined by our Information Center.

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