



**Education Session No. 607:
An evening with Gabriela Parcella, Chairman, President and CEO, Mellon Capital**

December 9, 2015 at 5 PM
San Francisco, CA

Strategy, analysis and innovation are the foundation of a career trajectory that bridges law and investment management. Learn how Gabriela Parcella navigated important pivot points in her career to lead a global investment organization with nearly \$400 billion in AUM. Key themes in her leadership are attention to diversity and mentorship, as well as promoting the spirit of innovation throughout the firm. Bring your questions and hear lessons learned to propel your own career upward.

Participants

Gabriela Parcella, Mellon Capital Management
Gail Harris, *Moderator*, Corinthian Cove Consulting

Event Details

Date: December 9, 2015

Time: 4 PM Registration.

We will begin *promptly* at 5 PM; please arrive early. Since it is disruptive to everyone when latecomers enter the session, those arriving after an education session has begun will only be admitted at the discretion of 100WHF and the host. Please note the start time on this invite and plan to arrive early.

Networking and cocktails prior to session.

Hosts: Winston & Strawn and Backstop Solutions

Location: Winston & Strawn

101 California Street, 3500 (on the 35th floor), **San Francisco, CA**

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Space is limited. No walk-ins will be permitted.

Biographies

Gabriela Parcella, Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer, Mellon Capital Management

Gabriela Franco Parcella is the Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer of Mellon Capital. She provides strategic leadership to the executive team and all areas of the firm. Prior to her current role, Gabriela served as Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer, where she managed all operations, systems, finance, regulatory and administrative functions of the firm.

Gabriela has 21 years of financial services, operations, risk and regulatory experience. She previously served other senior roles at Mellon Capital: Managing Director of Business Operations, Chief Compliance Officer and General Counsel. In those prior roles, Gabriela was a key contributor to Mellon Capital's international expansion, its growth in collective funds and the launch of its alternative investment strategies platform.

Gabriela chairs Mellon Capital's Board of Directors, Executive Planning Committee and Senior Management Committee, and is also a member of the BNY Mellon Investment Management Executive Committee, the BNY Mellon Operating Committee and the BNY Mellon Global Diversity and Inclusion Council. Gabriela is the founder of the San Francisco Region Women's Initiative Network (WIN). She is also a Trustee of the Schools of the Sacred Heart San Francisco, an independent Catholic school founded in 1887, and formerly served on the Board of San Francisco Meals on Wheels. She is also a life member of ALPFA (Association of Latino Professionals in Finance and Accounting).

Prior to joining Mellon Capital, Gabriela was an attorney at Orrick. Gabriela received her J.D. from Stanford Law School and her M.P.A. from the University of Texas at Austin.

Gail Harris, Partner, Corinthian Cove Consulting

Gail Harris has been conducting presentation skills training for professionals in the financial services industry for the past 10 years, after decades as a National Emmy Award-winning journalist for public television (PBS) and public radio (NPR). She was the creator, executive producer and host of the "Body & Soul" series for PBS and wrote the accompanying book, "Body & Soul: Your Guide to Health, Happiness and Total Well-being." She is a former correspondent for ABC News "Nightline" and "World News Tonight" and worked as a reporter and anchor for WGBH, Boston, for most of the 1980s. While there, she co-produced and hosted "Hiroshima Remembered" for PBS, which received a National Emmy Award in 1985. Later, Gail co-hosted another PBS series on campaign finance reform, "Follow the Money," which received an Overseas Press Club Award in 1997. Gail is currently an adjunct professor at Dominican University of California where she teaches Life Skills and mentors MBA students. She is a graduate of the Kennedy School of Government at Harvard University, where she received a Master's Degree in Public Administration.

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