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Annette Sawyer

Annette Sawyer is the Vice President of Education Division at the Museum of Science in Boston, Massachusetts. Annette leads the team that provides all programs for the Museum’s visitors, including Live Presentations, Exhibit Hall Interpretation, the Charles Hayden Planetarium, School Field Trips, Traveling Programs, Curriculum Development Sales and Operations, Youth Programs, Overnights, Teacher Professional Development, Adult Programs, Forum, and Summer Courses. Annette has spoken at national conferences on topics concerning bringing business practices to revenue generating programs in museums. She is also a Lecturer at Tufts University teaching Engineering Leadership to undergraduate engineering majors, and brings that expertise to mentoring the next generation of leaders at the Museum of Science.

Prior to joining the Museum of Science, Annette spent 21 years in the private sector, including 18 years at Polaroid Corporation.

Annette has a Bachelor’s Degree in Chemical Engineering from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and an MBA from Boston University. She lives in Arlington and has a daughter Rose who volunteered and interned at the Museum during her high school career, providing Annette with firsthand knowledge of how the Museum’s Youth Programs build young leaders.