

Biography

Susie Benko

After graduating with my business degree from Hanover College in 1979, I continued my education at Marymount University in McLean, Virginia, and received my MBA in 1983.

I have worked in the hospitality industry since 1985. I have had the positions of catering sales manager in Washington DC and in Indianapolis. The remainder of my career has been spent in Indianapolis as a facility sales manager, director of meetings for an independent meeting planning company, housing project manager for an international city-wide event, and as director of hotel operations for a travel agency assigned to the USA Gymnastics account. In 1998 I was hired as an associate faculty member at IUPUI in the TCEM department. In 2003 I was hired as a full time lecturer. I earned my CMP certification in 2004.