

**Michelle Azel Belaire** is the **Director of International Corporate Affairs** supporting global sourcing and ecommerce at Wal-Mart.. In this role, she will drive government and stakeholder engagement to support our business by reducing barriers and accelerating global market access for our consumer goods and data services as well as enhancing our company's reputation.

Michelle joined the company in 2006 and most recently served as director of Public Affairs and Government Relations representing Walmart and Sam's Club in South Florida. She provided both strategic direction and daily execution for our community engagement program. She built an extensive network of advocates for the Walmart brand by working tirelessly on community outreach, stakeholder engagement and coalition building in the Miami Metro Market, which doubled our store count and gained market share in this important region. In addition, Michelle helped improve the business and regulatory climate in Florida through her advocacy efforts among State and Local Governments. She is a leading voice for our company in Florida, a respected advisor to our business, and a tireless champion for our customers and associates.

Prior to Wal-Mart, Michelle's experience included strategic community and political engagement. She served as the Field Director for the 2004 Bush-Cheney presidential re-election campaign in Miami-Dade and Monroe Counties as well as the Manager of Executive Affairs for the Florida Marlins.

Michelle earned her Bachelor's degree from Purdue University and Master's from St. Thomas University. A native Miamian, she will move to Bentonville later this spring with her husband, Doug (a 30 year Walmart associate) and their 2 children Sage and Anise -- affectionately referred to as their spices of life!