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Jean Gallagher is currently in the role of Regional General Manager, Leisure Moderate/Value Resorts at Walt Disney World Resort.

Throughout her several decades with the Walt Disney Company she has held several operational roles, including General Manager positions at ESPN Wide World of Sports, Disney Springs, Water Parks & Miniature Golf and Resort hotels. She has also had several strategic support roles, including Director of Global HR Operations for the Americas, and positions in Consumer Direct Sales, Lodging Line of

Business, Recreation Line of Business and Human Resources/Organization Development.

Jean earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Hospitality Management and a Master's degree in Business Administration. She is involved in serving her community, currently serving on the Board of the Boys & Girls Clubs of Lake County and the South Lake Chamber of Commerce, along with prior service as a board member for New Hope for Kids and the QUEST Organization. She is a former member of the Theme Park Advisory Board for the UCF Rosen College of Hospitality and has served on the Board of Directors for the World Waterpark Association.

Her husband James is a sommelier and works as a wine distributor. They have three adult children, 2 Gators and a Knight. (Go Knights, Charge On!)