

Kevin Holt

Chief Executive Officer, Ahold Delhaize USA

Member Management Board and Executive Committee

Kevin Holt has served as the Chief Executive Officer of Ahold Delhaize USA and a member of the Ahold Delhaize Management Board since January 2018. He also serves on the board of directors of the Food Marketing Institute. A 30-year veteran of the grocery retail industry, Kevin is known for his ability to transform companies to compete in a digitally driven, omnichannel environment, leveraging brands' unique strength, the power of a people-focused culture and a deep focus on putting the customer at the center of every decision.

Before his current role, Kevin was the Chief Operating Officer of Ahold USA from October 2016. In this role, he played a key role in the merger of Ahold and Delhaize, which has been recognized as one of the industry's most successful M&A transactions to date. Before this, he served as Chief Operating Officer of Delhaize America since July 2016. He had earlier served as Executive Vice President of Delhaize Group and CEO of Delhaize America from 2014.

Before joining the Delhaize Group, he served as President of Retail Operations for SuperValu. During his tenure, the company owned the Albertsons, Jewel-Osco and Save-A-Lot chains and was the third-largest food retailing company in the U.S.

Before SuperValu, Kevin worked for three years in executive leadership positions with Sears Holding Company and 14 years with Meijer, serving in various leadership roles, including executive vice president of IT and strategic planning. Before joining the retail industry, Kevin spent nine years at NCR delivering technology solutions to large and complex organizations.

Kevin also holds a B.S. in Business Economics from Ferris State University.