

Catherine Clark Mosbacher

Catherine Clark Mosbacher served as President and CEO of the Center for Houston's Future. The Center brings business and community together to solve our region's toughest problems by engaging diverse leaders, providing impactful research, and defining actionable strategies. The overarching benefit to the region is an independent and respected source of Leadership, Research, and Solutions.

Before coming to the Center, Mosbacher served as Board Chair of the Texas Department of Protective and Regulatory Services in Austin (child and adult protective services, child care licensing, and community-based prevention and intervention). She served as Adjunct Professor at the University of Houston Law Center for eight years, Legislative Counsel to Texas Eastern Corporation in Houston, and Assistant Counsel to the United States Senate Legislative Counsel in Washington, D.C.

She was admitted to the bars of the District of Columbia and Texas. She served on the Business and Community Advisory Council for the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas.

Mosbacher is the founder of BEAR, Be a Resource for CPS Kids, a nonprofit that provides help and hope to abused and neglected children.

Catherine is a member of the President's Advisory Board of the University of St. Thomas. She also serves on the Advisory Board for the Hobby School of Public Affairs at the University of Houston.

She has served on numerous nonprofit boards including Houston Area Women's Center, St. Luke's Health Charities, Houston Metropolitan YMCA and the Alley Theatre. She is a Graduate of the Center for Houston's Future Leadership Forum, Senior Fellow of the American Leadership Forum, and a former Trustee of St. John's School. Honors include Houston's 50 Most Influential Women, the Depelchin Award for Community Leadership, the Anti-Defamation League's Torch of Liberty Award, and the Center for Public Policy Priorities Legacy Award (Austin).

Catherine has three married children, and three grandchildren.