

creating connections for life



Joe Nelligan

Chief Executive Officer

BIOGRAPHY

Joe Nelligan serves as Chief Executive Officer of Molex, a leader in the design and production of electronic components and connectivity solutions.

Molex works with our customers to transform the future by enabling technology that improves people's lives. Through our global team of more than 40,000 employees, Molex innovations can be found everywhere from smartphones to electric and connected vehicles, and in countless applications which help connect the modern world. As CEO, Joe is helping position Molex for long-term profitable growth in the automotive, industrial, data communications, consumer device, and medical industries, capitalizing on exciting opportunities in each of these industries for rapid transformation and advancement.

Joe started his career with Molex as a summer engineering intern in 1984 before joining the Product Engineering Department out of college in 1986. He progressed through several leadership roles in Engineering, Product Management, and Sales before moving to Singapore to take leadership of the Global Commercial Products Division in 2011. Returning to the U.S., Joe was named Chief Operating Officer in 2016 and took on the additional role of President in 2017. He continued in this role until accepting the CEO position in 2018.

Joe serves on the Board of Directors for several organizations, including the DuPage Children's Museum, Breakthrough T1D Illinois Chapter, Benet Academy, the University of Notre Dame Electrical Engineering Industry Advisory Council, and the Executives' Club of Chicago.

Joe graduated from the University of Notre Dame in 1986 with a Bachelor of Science degree in Electrical Engineering and earned his MBA in 1989 from the University of Chicago Booth School of Business. He has been awarded 11 patents. He and his wife, Kathleen, have seven children and live in Western Springs, Ill.