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Susan Rosenbaum is director of Discipline Career Management and Knowledge Management at Schlumberger, a position she has held since 2014. In this role, Rosenbaum oversees the professional development of Schlumberger's petrotechnical engineers and scientists, working with her team to ensure that recruiting, training, and developing this key population meets the company's current and future business needs. Related to this, she oversees Schlumberger's technical career ladder, the means by which Schlumberger's technical population can advance in job grades and technical recognition. Rosenbaum also defines the knowledge strategy of the company and manages its technical communities of practice. A 27-year veteran of Schlumberger, she joined the company as a member of the technical staff and has served in a variety of technical and management positions of increasing responsibility, developing a broad knowledge of business and technical needs in the oil and gas industry.

Rosenbaum proudly holds a BA in Mathematics from The University of Texas at Austin and an MS in Computer Science (College of Engineering) from The University of Texas at Arlington.

One of Rosenbaum's most beloved roles is to serve as Schlumberger's Ambassador to UT Austin; she serves as the company's liaison to the university, both for recruiting and for engaging in research,

education and community outreach. In this role, she has had numerous interactions across campus for almost two decades, including serving on the Women in Engineering Program Advisory Council, the Electrical and Computer Engineering External Advisory Committee, and the Petroleum and Geosystems Engineering External Advisory Committee, where she served both as a member and as the chairperson. In addition, Rosenbaum interacts with a myriad of faculty, departments, staff members, and student organizations across the University's colleges. Schlumberger served as an "early funder" of the "35-in-5" initiative in the Mechanical Engineering Department due to Rosenbaum's enthusiastic support. Because of the impact she has had on campus, she is a recipient of the "Corporate Champion" award from the Cockrell School of Engineering and is recognized as an "Honorary Mechanical Engineer" by the Academy of Distinguished Alumni in the Department of Mechanical Engineering.

Outside of work, Rosenbaum and her husband, Eric Schoen, enjoy their two (grown) children, their lively rescue dogs, and a myriad of travel, hiking, and musical pastimes. Rosenbaum has continued to support the university through personal gifts to both the Cockrell School of Engineering and the College of Natural Sciences.