

SPEAKER INFORMATION

Date: *Tuesday, November 5, 2019*
Event: *Human Resources and Workforce Development Panel - Moderator*
Time: *10:45 am – 12:00 pm*

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Troy Benavidez is the vice president, public affairs, for LIXIL. As a member of the executive team, he works to cohesively represent and protect the company's interests in public matters to support near- and long-term objectives. Mr. Benavidez leads corporate communications, social responsibility and government relations and serves as the company spokesperson. He represents the company in matters involving the industry trade, not-for-profit groups, and academic institutions to drive corporate objectives while building relationships and reputation.

Mr. Benavidez has a wealth of experience in corporate public affairs and communication strategy development. Prior to joining LIXIL, he served in various corporate and global public affairs roles for the pharmaceutical industry at Pfizer and AstraZeneca. Previously, he held a variety of positions within state and federal government, including staff roles in the U.S. House of Representatives and U.S. Senate.

Mr. Benavidez holds an MBA from Drexel University and a bachelor's degree in political science and economics from Colorado College.