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Suzanne Apple serves as Vice President and Managing Director for Business and Industry at World Wildlife Fund-U.S. In this role, she leads the business engagement activities for the organization including work around responsible procurement and sustainable business practices. WWF-US works with Johnson & Johnson, Hewlett Packard, The Coca-Cola Company, Wal-Mart and Kraft.

She has also served as acting Senior Vice President of Partnerships and Policy and as a Senior Fellow with WWF's Global Forest Program and the Global Forest and Trade Network. In addition, she currently serves on WWF International's Global Partnership Committee.

Suzanne retired as Vice President, Community Affairs and Environmental Programs for The Home Depot in 2002. During her more than ten-year career at The Home Depot, she managed the company's community relations, charitable contributions and environmental programs. The company was recognized in 2000 as one of the top 100 corporate citizens by Business Ethics Magazine and in 2001, ranked number one in corporate social responsibility in the Harris Interactive/Wall Street Journal survey on corporate reputation. Overall, the company rose to fourth in corporate reputation.

She currently serves on the board of directors of The Nature Conservancy of Georgia, Earth Share of Georgia, Young Audiences-Woodruff Arts Center and the Devereux Center of Georgia. Suzanne was recently named to Wells Fargo's Environmental Advisory Board and Hewlett Packard's Stakeholder Advisory Council.