

# PROFILE

## Larry D. Unger

President & Chief Executive Officer



Larry D. Unger is the fifth president in the more than 50-year history of Maryland Public Television. MPT, a \$37.9 million noncommercial broadcasting operation headquartered in Owings Mills, Maryland, is a state licensee member of the Public Broadcasting Service.

Mr. Unger joined MPT in 1997, bringing to the organization nearly three decades' experience in the local financial services community. After serving as the statewide broadcaster's vice president of administration and finance, chief financial officer, and executive vice president and chief operating officer, he was named MPT's president and CEO in July 2011.

Prior to his MPT career, Mr. Unger served for 11 years as a senior-level executive at Baltimore Bancorp and its main subsidiary, The Bank of Baltimore. In his final position there, he was executive vice president of both entities with responsibility for all consumer-related activities including the branch system, retail lending, bankcard, and investment services. He managed more than \$600 million in loans, nearly 600 employees, and \$1.75 billion in deposits. Earlier, he served as president of bank subsidiary Atlantic Leasing & Financial, Inc.

Mr. Unger gained much of his experience at Maryland National Leasing Corporation, an affiliate of the former Maryland National Corporation. Over nearly a decade at Maryland National, he served as vice president, senior vice president, and executive vice president of the leasing subsidiary.

Within the public television industry, Unger is an at-large trustee of America's Public Television Stations, the Washington, D.C.-based advocacy organization for the public television system. He is also a former member of the National Educational Telecommunications Association board of directors, a board member and former co-chair of the Organization of State Broadcasting Executives, and former trustee and former chairman of American Public Television (APT). APT is the largest syndicator of programming for U.S. public TV stations.

His community service includes his current role as board member and former chairman of the Owings Mills Corporate Roundtable, and membership on the Maryland State Department of Education Social Studies Advisory Council. Mr. Unger is a former board member of the Jewish National Fund, former partnership board member for the Towson University College of Extended Programs, and former board member of the Maryland Higher Education Loan Corporation. He was also a member of the education committee for the Maryland War of 1812 Bicentennial Commission and an advisory board member for the Baltimore Hebrew Institute.

He holds a bachelor's degree in finance from the University of Baltimore where he also earned a certificate in financial management. He completed the Stonier Graduate School of Banking, the pre-eminent executive management school for the financial services industry. Mr. Unger served for six years in the United States Coast Guard Reserve.

He resides with his wife of more than 50 years in Owings Mills, Maryland. They are parents of three children and grandparents of five.



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