

## Richard Simpson, Vice President, Global Supply Chain, GE Transportation



Richard Simpson is the Vice President of Global Supply Chain for GE Transportation. In this role, he is responsible for the overall global supply chain strategy for the company's products.

He previously held various General Manager roles in Supply Chain, Indirect Sourcing, GE Appliances, Lean Six Sigma, and Lighting Manufacturing Americas, where is was responsible for the Americas Manufacturing Operations. Since joining GE in 1989, he has held several roles spanning manufacturing, including Process Innovation Team Leader, Engineering Manager, Plant Manager of the Kentucky Glass Plant, the Memphis Plant, and later the Lexington Lamp and Somerset Glass Plants.

Richard graduated from the University of Kentucky with a bachelor's degree in Mechanical Engineering.