

LA ROCHE UNIVERSITY 2020 DISTINGUISHED ALUMNI CIRCLE AWARD RECIPIENT



Becky Jenkins '98, MBA Partner, Vice President of Construction Mobley Homes

Since 1998 Becky Jenkins '98 has worked for Mobley Homes, moving through a variety of positions. In her current role as vice president of construction, she is responsible for the conceptual home design, estimating, purchasing and construction of single and multifamily homes. She supervises construction of 50 single-family homes a year, with their value estimated to be \$350,000-\$1.5 million per home.

Ms. Jenkins said that her greatest accomplishment is rising through the ranks in the male-dominated field of construction.

Outside of work she is the donation and hospital coordinator of Angel Gowns of the Villages, an organization providing bereavement gowns made of donated wedding gowns to families who have lost an infant. She also is a donation coordinator for the Crisis Center of Tampa Bay Counseling Services. Ms. Jenkins works with impoverished children and children's ministry at La Senda de la Antigua Church and is a fundraiser for orphaned, foster and at-risk children for Premier Players. She also is an active supporter of Cloud Nine Outdoors which is a nonprofit organization that allows intercity children to learn and experience outdoor activities such as fishing, camping, hunting and archery.

Additionally, she is a member of the National Homebuilders Association and Tampa Bay Builder Association, along with various homeowner association boards in Tampa, Florida. She has earned the industry awards for design for three consecutive years from the local homebuilder's association.

Ms. Jenkins graduated from La Roche with a bachelor's degree in chemistry and a minor in business. She earned her MBA in 2000 from Tampa College in Tampa.

"My bachelor's degree provided me with a broad foundation to build upon for my future career. My education in chemistry and business provided me with specific knowledge that I utilize in my current occupation," she said.

Ms. Jenkins is a mother of five children and stepchildren with whom she enjoys RV camping and many outdoor and sports activities. She founded the Young Family Camping group for families with children to plan large camping events and build friendships while enjoying Florida's nature.

