

Raymond L. Conner
Vice Chairman
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Ray Conner is vice chairman of The Boeing Company and a member of the Boeing Executive Council.

Conner joined the company in 1977 as a mechanic on the 727 program. He is an alumni of Highline High School in Burien, WA. He earned a bachelor's degree from Central Washington University and a master's of business administration from the University of Puget Sound.

In addition to his role as vice chairman, Conner had served as president and chief executive officer of Boeing Commercial Airplanes (BCA) until November 2016 when he announced his intention to retire at the end of 2017.

As BCA president and CEO, he was responsible for delivering on a record backlog and overseeing the growth of its airplane programs and services. Boeing Commercial Airplanes accounts for more than 60 percent of Boeing's total revenues and has nearly 12,000 commercial jetliners in service worldwide, which is roughly 75 percent of the world fleet.

Prior to that assignment, lead Sales, Marketing and Commercial Aviation Services for Boeing Commercial Airplanes, vice president and general manager of Supply Chain Management and Operations for Boeing Commercial Airplanes, vice president of Sales for Commercial Airplanes, vice president and general manager of the 777 program, also the 747 program.