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Josette R. Gauthier is Senior Vice President of Human Resources at Alterna Savings. She is part of the Senior Management Team (SMT), reports directly to the President and CEO, and is responsible for the organization's strategies, objectives, policies and plans in the areas of human resources, organizational development and employee engagement.

Josette works collaboratively with other members of the SMT to provide guidance and support to meet business and operational requirements.

As well as sitting on the Advisory Board of the Chief Human Resources Officer Roundtable in Ottawa, and being one of the first of five Canadians named to Filene Research Institute's i3 team, Josette also participates as an Advisory Board member of the GA Tech Centre for International Business Education and Research (CIBER) in Atlanta. She has been affiliated with many organizations, including being a member of the Toronto Board of Trade, the International Affiliates Network of the Gestalt Institute.

Josette has almost 20 years experience in Canada and the US in retail banking management, large scale operational cost-efficiency initiatives, mergers/acquisitions and integration, and functional executive leadership responsibility for human resources. Prior to joining Alterna, Josette has held senior management positions with the Royal Bank of Canada.

Josette holds an Honours B.A. in Economics from Laurentian University. She is a graduate of the Advanced Human Resources Executive Program from the University of Michigan. Josette also graduated from the International Organizational Systems Development Program of Gestalt Institute, covering Barcelona, Toronto, Singapore, Budapest, and Ireland. She also holds an International Business Academy Certificate from the Institute of International Business of the J. Mack Robinson College of Business of Georgia State University and GA Tech Center for International Business Education and Research.

Josette currently resides in Toronto, Ontario.

