

Ann Marie Foote '88
Vice-President, Marketing Chair

Ann Marie Foote grew up in Robinson, Illinois, and has lived in Indiana since 1995. The daughter and granddaughter of P.E.O.s, her mother (Sherry Cochran) also attended Cottey, graduating in 1963. Ann Marie lived in P.E.O. Hall in Parks Suite while at Cottey, and was the President of P.E.O. Hall her second year. Upon graduation from Cottey, she attended Drake University in Des Moines, earning a degree from the school of Journalism and Mass Communication. After a short stint at the corporate offices of a retail company in Minneapolis, Ann Marie joined the admission staff at Cottey, where she helped recruit students from a 17-state territory.

Using many of the skills gained working in admission, Ann Marie moved to Saint Mary-of-the-Woods College in Indiana as the Director of Marketing and Public Relations. From there, she moved to an ad agency, where for 10 years she developed marketing strategies for clients primarily in the higher education and nonprofit sectors.

In 2012, Ann Marie moved into healthcare marketing, taking on the role of Director of Communications for HCA Healthcare/Terre Haute Regional Hospital. She also recently completed her MBA in healthcare management. In 2016, because of her love for travel, Ann Marie turned her hobby into a successful "side gig" with the launch of *Best Beach for Your Buck*, a travel company specializing in Mexico and Caribbean beach vacations. Following the success of Best Beach, she launched her second travel company in 2018, *Haute Adventures*, which focuses on group travel, cruises and other international destinations.

She lives in Terre Haute, Indiana, with her partner and two dogs.

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