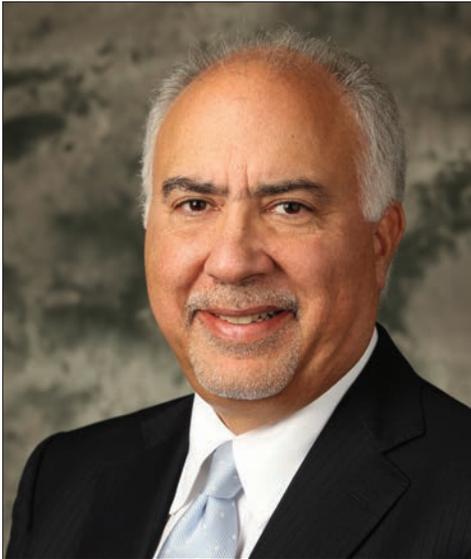


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Prior to his tenure at MagnaCom, Mr. Klein held senior financial positions at Bombardier/Florida Overland Express, where he led the financial strategy development work for an international consortium formed to bring high-speed rail and systems to the United States. He also served as treasurer of the National Railroad Passenger Corporation (Amtrak) for eight years, where he introduced and implemented a leasing strategy to support the capital structure of the corporation and raised over \$1 billion in private financing. He began his career at the Marriott Corporation working as a tax accountant.

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