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Prior to entering work in academia she worked as an Account Executive in the manufacturing and importing industry representing national and international accounts. She married and moved to Seattle Washington where she worked in the banking and investment industry with Washington Federal. After returning to Louisville she worked in retail and corporate sales for Jacobson's and Bittners, LLC.

She joined the University of Louisville in the Community Relations Office in 2003 and transferred to the Women's Center in 2005 where she advanced to her current position as director of the Women's Center. Her responsibilities include management of the Women Center staff and oversight of the Center's exceptional programs and award winning student groups. Valerie also addresses policy issues through her committee work both on campus and in the community. Memberships include: Leadership Louisville, ACE Women's Network, ACPA, GLOW, UNA-USA, and WAC. Committee involvement includes: UofL Commission on the Status of Women, UofL Commission on Diversity and Racial Equality, Staff Senate, Metro Louisville Human Trafficking Task Force and Human Trafficking Alliance. Her hobbies include hiking, travel and photography.