Professional Bio





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Betsy joined Rooted Philanthropic in August 2024 as an Operations Associate. She has nearly 23 years of experience in the non-profit, government and private sectors.

Most recently, Betsy worked as a Program Associate for Private Philanthropy Services (PPS) in Minneapolis. In addition to supporting the firm's foundation clients and boards of directors, she oversaw general office operations.

Prior to working at PPS, she spent 7 years at the Minnesota Alliance for Patient Safety as a Program Manager, supporting several grant funded quality improvement projects, conference and event planning, and day-to-day operations.

Betsy graduated from Carleton College with a Bachelor of Arts in Political Science and a concentration in French Studies. She received a Master in Public Administration and Nonprofit Management from the Humphrey School of Public Affairs at the University of Minnesota. Betsy is on the board of the St. Anthony Park Community Foundation.

A lifelong cross-country skier, Betsy trains year-round with Endurance United in St. Paul. She also swims regularly with the Macalester Masters Swim Club and otherwise enjoys being outdoors in all seasons.

Betsy currently lives in St. Paul with her husband, the family dog, Snowy, and a revolving door of three young-adult children.