



UL Joins CABA Board of Directors

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The Continental Automated Buildings Association (CABA) is pleased to welcome UL to its Board of Directors.

CABA is a nonprofit industry association that provides information, education, and networking to help promote advanced technologies for the automation of homes and buildings.

“As a storied organization that has greatly contributed to industry in America and across the world, CABA is gratified to be able to welcome this great organization to its extensive roster of industry stakeholders,” said Ronald J. Zimmer, CABA President & CEO.

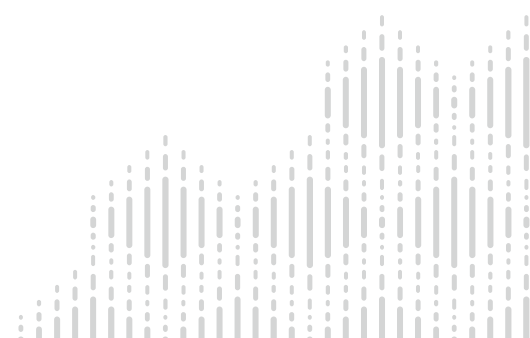
UL is a global enterprise that supports the responsible design, production, marketing and purchase of the goods, solutions, and innovations of today and tomorrow. With its roots in electrical safety certification, UL was established in 1894 as the Underwriters' Electrical Bureau (a bureau of the National Board of Fire Underwriters). Known throughout the 20th century as Underwriters Laboratories, UL participated in the safety analysis of many of that century's new technologies, most notably the public adoption of electricity and the drafting of safety standards for electrical devices and components.

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UL provides safety- and performance-related certification, verification, testing, inspection, auditing, advisory and training services to a wide range of clients, including manufacturers, retailers, policymakers, regulators, service companies, and consumers.

UL will be represented on the CABA Board by Rachna Stegall, UL's Global Director of Connected Technologies business. In this role, she leads the new horizontal business for UL's Commercial & Industrial (C&I) business unit – supporting UL's clients with the development and delivery of services supporting the “Internet of Things”, which addresses needs such as interoperability, software and functional safety, cybersecurity, and new associated technologies.

Stegall joined UL in 1992 and has helped UL in a wide variety of progressively larger assignments in the areas of engineering, laboratory, and commercial roles during her career. She has worked in multiple roles, supporting UL's appliances, HVAC and lighting business, to industrial controls and high-tech businesses in the areas of operations, innovation, strategy, and global market access. She has led the global team of 650+ operations staff in helping diverse and demanding customers win in their global markets, and under her leadership, these teams saw performance improvements by driving top line growth and profitability, streamlined operations and improved cross-functional integration in strategy execution.

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Most recently, Stegall served as Director, Software and Innovation for UL's Consumer Technology division where she was responsible for M&As, integration and growth of the software benchmarking line of business. Her successes and responsibilities in this role included development of an enterprise-wide cybersecurity strategy, go to market plans, development of cybersecurity services, staffing, technical requirements, marketing, financials, sales, training, test labs, and stakeholder outreach.

"I am excited to have the opportunity to represent UL on the CABA Board," stated Stegall. "CABA offers the commercial and residential building industry an excellent forum to collaborate and share research, information, trends and analysis. CABA's goals align well with UL's commitment to strengthen industry through business advisory services."

Stegall holds a Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering from the University of Wisconsin and a Business Management Certificate from Loyola University.

About CABA

The Continental Automated Buildings Association (CABA) is an international not-for-profit industry association dedicated to the advancement of intelligent home and intelligent building technologies. The organization is supported by an international membership of over 330 organizations involved in the design, manufacture, installation and retailing of products relating to home automation and building automation. Public organizations, including utilities and

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government are also members. CABA's mandate includes providing its members with networking and market research opportunities. CABA also encourages the development of industry standards and protocols, and leads cross-industry initiatives. More information is available at www.caba.org.

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