

As Vice President of Programs and Impact at the AHLA Foundation, Eliza drives industry-wide efforts to support hotel employees throughout their careers. She rose to this role after successfully driving the No Room for Trafficking initiative, including the design and implementation of the industry's first-ever Survivor Fund, raising over \$8.6 million while granting more than \$2.2 million to survivor-serving, community-based nonprofits since 2022. To date, more than 3,200 human trafficking survivors have received services critical to their path forward from this industry-wide investment.

Eliza previously led community-based outreach, training and prevention programs at the National Center for Missing & Exploited Children, and her child safety experience ranges driving development and operations at a local child advocacy center to supporting global efforts to stop child abduction and exploitation at an international NGO.

She launched her career first as sworn law enforcement officer with the Manhattan District Attorney's Office, after graduating from Georgetown University. She has since earned a master's degree from George Mason University in Public Administration, and a Social Entrepreneurship certificate from the Paris-based business school, INSEAD.