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Nancy Lee Gioia is Ford Motor Company's director of Global Electrification, appointed to this position October 9, 2009. She directs strategy and planning for the next generation of Ford's global electric vehicle portfolio, touching all aspects of electrified transportation, including product planning, supplier partnerships and collaboration with the energy industry and government.

Prior to taking her current role, Ms. Gioia was Ford's director of Sustainable Mobility Technology and Hybrid Vehicle Programs for North America, overseeing research, development and ultimately deployment of other sustainable mobility technologies such as hydrogen internal combustion engines and hydrogen fuel cell vehicles.

Earlier in her career at Ford, Ms. Gioia was director of Current Model Vehicle Quality for North America where she was responsible for overall current model quality performance. She has held several key management and executive positions within the Ford Product Development and Ford Electronics Division. She has been a part of over 25 vehicle launches and served as chief engineer for the Ford Aeromax class-8 truck line and the 2002 Ford Thunderbird program. Ms. Gioia first joined Ford Motor Company in 1982 as a graduate trainee in the Electronics Division.

Ms. Gioia received her bachelor's degree in electrical engineering from the University of Michigan and her master of sciences in manufacturing systems engineering from Stanford University. While studying with the assistance of a Ford Advanced Education Fellowship, she received the Outstanding Service Award from the Stanford Institute for Manufacturing and Automation. In July 2001, she received the All Star Award from Automotive News and in 2005 and 2010 she was named as one of the Automotive News "100 Leading Women in the Auto Industry." She remains an active member of the



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