

## Masha Chernyak

Vice President of Programs, Latino Community Foundation

Masha is a strategic visionary, community organizer, and an experienced advocate for the Latino immigrant community. In her current position as VP of Programs and Policy, Masha leads LCF's change-making strategy. In 2017, Masha launched the 1st ever Latino Nonprofit Accelerator to unleash the power of grassroots Latino nonprofits. Masha has also been instrumental in launching two key pillars of LCF's work – the California Latino Agenda, LCF's advocacy platform and the Latino Giving Circle Network™, now the largest network of Latino donors in the country. In her leadership role, Masha also provides strategic guidance for LCF's communications, branding, and social media presence. Masha holds a Bachelor's in Marketing from University of Cincinnati and a Master's in Public Affairs and Politics from the University of San Francisco. In her free time, Masha loves to make art, visit New Orleans, and to laugh loud with her two heroes - her parents.

