

Lorena E. Velarde

FVP – Chief Financial Officer

Lorena E. Velarde is the Chief Financial Officer of COL and was appointed in such position after having served as the Corporation's Financial Controller from 2010 to 2020. She is concurrently an Associated Person of CTS Global Equity Group, Inc. and the Treasurer of COL Investment Management, Inc., COL Equity Index Unitized Mutual Fund, Inc., and COL Strategic Growth Equity Unitized Mutual Fund, Inc. With a career spanning key leadership roles in accounting, Ms. Velarde has gained extensive experience in financial planning, fund management, and operational oversight. She began her professional journey at SyCip Gorres Velayo & Co., where she honed her expertise in tax, accounting, and financial reporting. Ms. Velarde graduated from University of Santo Tomas, and is a Certified Public Accountant.