

Paul Karpowicz has been President of Meredith's Local Media Group since 2005. He is responsible for the direction of Meredith's 17 owned or operated television stations reaching more than 11 percent of U.S. households.

Under Karpowicz's leadership, Meredith has significantly increased its television footprint, recently adding leading stations in Phoenix, St. Louis, Mobile and Springfield. Meredith now has duopolies in five markets.

Meredith's portfolio is concentrated in large, fast-growing markets, with seven stations in the nation's Top 25 including Atlanta, Phoenix and Portland and 14 in Top 60 markets. Meredith's stations produce approximately 650 hours of local news and entertainment content each week, and operate leading local digital destinations. Additionally, Meredith Video Studios produces the Daytime Emmy Award-nominated *The Better Show*, a syndicated daily lifestyle television program reaching 80 percent of U.S. TV households.

Prior to Meredith, Karpowicz spent more than 20 years at LIN. During his tenure, he presided over significant growth in LIN's broadcasting business, nearly doubling it in size from 12 to 23 stations.

Karpowicz is an inductee into the Broadcasting & Cable Hall of Fame. He serves as Chairman of the Board of Directors of Broadcast Music, Inc. (BMI) and is a past National Association of Broadcasters Executive Committee member and current Television Board member. He is the former Chairman of the CBS Affiliates Board, the Television Board of the National Association of Broadcasters and the Television Bureau of Advertising Board. He has also served on the executive committees of the Rhode Island and Indiana Broadcasters Associations.

Karpowicz is a 1975 graduate of the University of Notre Dame with a Bachelor's degree in Business Administration.

