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As Vice President of Public Policy at the Waukesha County Business Alliance, Amanda plays a major role in the Alliance's advocacy work, getting local business leaders engaged in the public policy process and ensuring the voice of business is heard on critical issues. Amanda manages the Waukesha County Manufacturing Alliance, including the Manufacturing Executive Council and Manufacturing HR Council, the Infrastructure Policy Committee and oversees the Schools2Skills™ program.

Amanda has been with the Alliance since 2013 and has past experience in marketing, public relations and public affairs including positions at Trefoil Group, Eli Lilly & Company and the Indiana Health Care Association.

A Waukesha native, Amanda is a Milwaukee Business Journal 2017 "40-Under-40" recipient and active volunteer with United Way of Greater Milwaukee & Waukesha County, the United Performing Arts Fund (UPAF) and the Bryon Riesch Paralysis Foundation. She earned a bachelor's degree in journalism and public relations from Butler University and currently lives in the City of Waukesha with her husband and son.