

### **Shakira Ramos Crespo'02**

Shakira Ramos Crespo graduated from Miss Porter's School in 1998, Trinity College with a B.S in Mechanical Engineering in 2002 and University of Hartford with a Masters in Business Administration in 2013. Ramos joined Pratt & Whitney, a division of RTX (formerly UTC), in 2002 as an Aero/thermal engineer. She served in this role until 2008 until becoming a Technical Analyst supporting the Commercial Engines sales team. In 2014 she joined the Fleet Management Team as a Fleet Manager overseeing aftermarket contracts Pratt and Whitney have with airlines in the Asia Pacific region. In 2016 was promoted to Deputy Regional Fleet Manager. In 2019 she joined the Customer Strategy, Operations and Marketing organization as the Associate Director of Customer Experience and in January of this year she joined the Product Marketing team.

She has received numerous awards including Promesa Youth Award in 2002, UTC Volunteer of the Year in 2006 and Professional Role Model Award 2007 for the Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers. Shakira served as the President of the Society of Hispanic Professional Engineer-Connecticut Professional chapter for 3 years and currently serves as the treasurer. Shakira also served as the President for Pratt and Whitney's Hispanic Leadership Forum for 2 years; Served on the Board of Directors for the CT Academy of Education in Mathematics, Science & Technology, Inc. Shakira also served on the Board of Trustees at Trinity College and on the Alumnae Board served as Co-President and Trustee for Miss Porter's School. Shakira has been Chair of the Tech Savvy conference for the past 3 years. Shakira just began her Co-Chair for the Women Leadership Council at Trinity College