About Ken Ulman ’97

Ken Ulman ’97 is the President of Margrave Strategies, an innovative strategic consulting firm that provides a comprehensive array of economic development, planning and visioning services to institutions, businesses and other groups throughout Maryland and the mid-Atlantic. The firm’s principal client is the University of Maryland College Park Foundation, where Ulman serves as Chief Strategy Officer for Economic Development and is responsible for leading the Greater College Park initiative.

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Ken has won numerous awards over the years, including being named a Tech Titan by Washingtonian Magazine, a Top 25 Doer, Dreamer and Driver by Government Technology Magazine and a Regional Visionary by the Greater Baltimore Committee.

Ken serves on a number of boards, including the Baltimore Museum of Art, Living Classrooms Foundation, Betamore, Olney Theatre and Evergreen Advisors. He is a former president of the Maryland Association of Counties and former chair of the Baltimore Metropolitan Council. Ken lives in Columbia, with his wife, Jaki (also a proud Terp), and their daughters Maddie and Lily.