



United Way of
Southwestern Pennsylvania



EMPLOYEE SPOTLIGHT

SHERRIE DUNLAP GALLAGHER

What is your name, title, and department?

Sherrie Dunlap Gallagher, Corporate Engagement Manager, Butler-Armstrong Regions, Donor Relations

Can you tell me about your role at United Way?

I work in fundraising for United Way. I manage workplace campaigns, securing individual donors and new businesses. I also plan and manage the events in Butler and Armstrong Counties, recruit new donors and work with the Women's Leadership Council, Bridges Society, and NextGen Ambassadors teams. I've been working at United Way for four years.

What do you love best about working here?

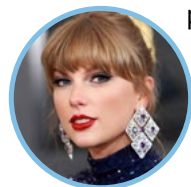
What drew me to working at United Way was what I knew about the wide-reaching impact of the organization and the work across all sectors to address rising needs in the community. I love serving as a connector of people and organizations to match people up with giving and volunteer opportunities that align with their individual or organizational values and passions.

What are your interests outside of work?

I love traveling, exploring new places and canoeing. I enjoy cooking, baking, gardening and hosting families and friends at our home with my husband, Sean. I've been exhibiting my photography for the past 14 years in galleries and solo or juried exhibits around Southwestern PA. I volunteer with Lighthouse Foundation, Lasagna Love and I'm a member of the Crochet Ministry of Saint Mark The Evangelist Parish. I also serve on the Board of Directors for The Pittsburgh North Regional Chamber and on the Board for The Association of Ladies of Charity Diocese of Pittsburgh.

Who is your favorite artist, musician or author and why?

I have very eclectic tastes in art, music and books. In art, I am always drawn to the classic French Impressionists, and I love the work of documentary photographers like Teenie Harris and Margaret Bourke-White, but I think I can find beauty, purpose and meaning in nearly any style of art. I have favorites from pop, rap, folk and alternative rock from various decades to present-day she-roes like Taylor Swift and Lizzo! I love musical theater, plays and opera too! My greatest playlist I've curated, which spans many decades of powerhouse women, is my Galentine's Brunch playlist made for the event I host for my friends. For books, I like historical nonfiction and collections of essays from my favorite comedians.



SPEED ROUND: CHOOSE ONE!

☒ Morning person **or** night owl? ☒

Sherrie says: I am both an early morning person and a night owl, depends on the day and what's going on!

☐ Hotdogs **or** hamburgers? ☒

☐ Ice cream: chocolate **or** vanilla? ☒

☒ Dog person **or** cat person? ☐

☒ Netflix & chill **or** Mini-marathon? ☐