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Kareem Daniel is Executive Vice President of Global Business Operations at Walt Disney Imagineering, the creative engine behind Disney parks and resorts, as well as the company's consumer products around the world.

Kareem oversees global design and delivery of all parks, attractions, resort hotels, and cruise ships, managing world-class talent to provide immersive guest experiences with operational excellence. He also leads the product development of merchandise including toys, fashion apparel and accessories, home goods, consumables, and health and beauty categories; the creation of video games and interactive products and experiences; and Disney Publishing Worldwide, the world's largest publisher of children's books and magazines.

Previously, Kareem served as Senior Vice President of Strategy and Business Development for Disney Consumer Products and Interactive Media, where he spearheaded key strategic initiatives to drive long-term growth across the division's retail, licensing, publishing, video games, and digital businesses.

Kareem has also overseen distribution strategy at Walt Disney Studios, helping to maximize the value of studio content by evaluating traditional business models and emerging digital innovations. Prior to that, Kareem was a Director of Corporate Strategy, where he worked on a variety of strategic projects and mergers and acquisitions across The Walt Disney Company.

Kareem first joined Disney as an MBA intern and later became a senior business planner in Corporate Financial Planning and Analysis. After that, he worked in equity research as well as investment banking at Goldman Sachs, where he specialized in technology, media and entertainment, and telecommunications before returning to Disney.

Kareem holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Electrical Engineering and an MBA, both from Stanford University.