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Peter Grace is Senior Vice President of Membership, Education, Technology, and Strategy at the Mortgage Bankers Association. As such, he directs the Membership department, including all membership sales, engagement, operations, and support activities. He also oversees MBA Education, where he is responsible for business development, content programming, design, and delivery. MBA Education is charged with providing continuing education for industry professionals in both the residential and commercial/multifamily fields. Peter also manages the overall corporate strategy and information technology for the association.

Peter came to MBA in 2012 from the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), where he served as Chief of Staff for the Acting Deputy Secretary on matters related to the Department's management. He also provided leadership on HUD's Transformation Initiative, a multiyear, multifaceted organizational change program. Prior to joining HUD, Peter was Associate Commissioner of the Office of Strategic Planning, Technology and Research at the New York City Department of Housing Preservation and Development. Previously, he worked at Accenture.

Peter received a bachelor's degree in mechanical engineering from the University of Notre Dame. He also has a master's degree in public administration from the Robert F. Wagner Graduate School of Public Service at New York University.

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