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Joanne Roberts did her undergraduate training in Economics at the University of Waterloo and her graduate work at Queen's University in Canada. In 1998, Joanne joined the faculty at the University of Toronto, and in 2008, the University of Calgary, before joining Yale-NUS in 2017. She has served as a member of the executive of the Canadian Economic Association and President of the Canadian Economics Women's Network. She is a previous winner of the Polanyi research prize and has held the Canada Research Chair in the Economics of Organizations.

Since arriving in Singapore, Joanne has served in numerous positions within Yale-NUS College, and is currently the Executive Vice-President (Academic Affairs) and Professor of Economics.

Having benefited from many strong mentors throughout her career, she is deeply committed to paying it forward and supporting others in their career journeys. She has a particular interest in developing mentorship programming and policies to manage sexual misconduct in educational institutions and workplaces, and this has been a priority in her current role.