



**DEBORAH MAGIDSON**

SENIOR CLIENT PARTNER, ASSESSMENT ADVISOR

*"I bring a storytelling background from my first career as a documentary producer, director and writer that shines a light on our clients at a particular time in their transformation. Combined with Arlington's focus on aligning strategy with the vision of our clients, the joy in what we do is to tell inspirational organizational and senior executive stories, bringing them to life, attracting top talent and connecting the dots through high caliber assessment, aligning strategy to leadership so that organizations are positioned to realize their growth objectives."*

Deborah Magidson, Senior Client Partner, Assessment Advisor, has brought deep and broad consulting, assessment, Board and Senior Executive Search experience in the private, public and non-profit sectors within Canada and the United States. Deborah has been responsible for developing the Non-Profit, Healthcare, Academia, Media and Entertainment, Loyalty and Legal practice areas for Arlington Partners across North America, and in conjunction with Arlington's Managing Partner team, leads searches across all industry sectors, globally.

Prior to establishing her career in Executive Search, Deborah was an international award-winning filmmaker, producing, directing and writing more than 30 documentaries for television. She brings her exceptional storytelling ability, judgment and strong assessment skills to Arlington's rigorous search process, providing clients and candidates with a high degree of professionalism and strategic insight to attract top talent and ensure cultural fit. Working with boards and senior executive teams, Deborah executes a highly effective, high-touch and strategic process resulting in successful outcomes for both clients and candidates. Focused on adding value, she supports and coaches candidates through the Board and Executive Search processes, achieving strong outcomes.

Deborah has an undergraduate degree in Philosophy from York University and completed an advanced filmmaking program at New York University.