President's Medal for Lifetime Achievement

Demetrios J. Stamatis '85 *Chief Executive Officer*Louis Berger
A WSP Group Company

Jim Stamatis serves as the chief executive officer of Louis Berger, a WSP Group Company, responsible for the company's growth and strategic direction. Stamatis joined the firm more than 30 years ago



following his graduation from NJIT and assumed succeeding roles of increasing responsibility from project manager to principal-in-charge, to president of Louis Berger's U.S. and International Divisions. He has led several mergers and acquisitions for Louis Berger including last year's successful merger of Louis Berger with the WSP Group.

Stamatis attended Pennsylvania State University and left prior to completing his engineering studies to play professional soccer. After a career-ending injury, he completed his engineering degree at NJIT. He is a licensed professional engineer and has been active in several industry associations including the Design Professionals Coalition and the Society of Military Engineers. He served on Louis Berger's board of directors and currently serves on the Board of Seton Hall's School of Diplomacy and International Relations. He has served on boards as a volunteer with New Jersey Youth Soccer, and has coached and serves as a board member for one of the premier youth soccer clubs in the U.S., the Players Development Academy, in Somerset County, New Jersey.