

BIO

Dwight Klein, SHRM-CP

Dwight Klein is a highly experienced leadership professional with an extensive background in business, retail, and human resources. His career began with Jewel-Osco where he went on to run some of the highest volume stores in Chicagoland for over 20 years. With his "people first" approach, Dwight became a strong advocate of the human resources function in which he embraced these responsibilities as a store director.

In addition to his role in the stores, Dwight was also proactively involved with the recruitment and training of future leaders within the organization. After many years with Jewel-Osco, Dwight brought his talents to Toys R Us where he continued to embrace his passion for people, leadership, and the human resources profession.

After many years of leading store teams, Dwight moved on to make a full-time commitment in a human resources role. Currently at JULIE, Inc., Dwight is responsible for all functions in the Human Resources Department. Some of these include talent acquisition, training and development, payroll and benefits administration, employee relations, labor relations, and of course, employee engagement.

His experiences have provided him the opportunity to work with team members from a variety of backgrounds to identify opportunities to improve engagement. In addition to his role, Dwight is actively involved with professional mentoring of future HR leaders.

He holds degrees in Human Resources from DePaul University and Loyola University in Chicago.