

Christine Berthet Biography

Christine Berthet is a former Chair of Manhattan Community Board 4 and currently serves as the Co-Chair of its Transportation Committee. She is the Chair of the Planning Committee of the Hudson Yards/Hell's Kitchen Alliance Business Improvement District. The committee is implementing many streetscape improvements in the public realm of the Hudson Yards neighborhood.

Christine also serves on the Boards of Transportation Alternatives and Streetsblog. She is an advisor to the City-sponsored Committee "Neighborhood Commons" to shape the future of commercial corridors.

15 years ago, she co-founded CHEKPEDS a non-profit organization to improve safety and reduce traffic congestion on the west side of Manhattan. Chekpeds worked with various agencies and elected officials to obtain crucial safety improvements on the ground. Chekpeds has also released "Crashmapper" a Citywide web-based application to analyze crash data.

Previously Ms. Berthet held executive positions in the technology and financial industries, running technology start-ups as well as leading global companies. With an MBA from HEC France, she started as a Systems Engineer at IBM France and subsequently at IBM US. She now works at Sunnyside Records, her family-owned independent Jazz Label.