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A licensed professional engineer with a history of implementing solutions to capitalize on Ohio's rich legacy of transportation, manufacturing and technical resources, Pinkerton joined COTA in April 2018.

She previously served in roles at the state's top automotive technology institutions – Honda, Ohio State University and Transportation Research Center Inc., where she was chief operating officer. She also served in leadership roles at the Ohio Department of Transportation and in Union County, which is home to the state's first connected vehicle corridor, the U.S. 33 Smart Mobility Corridor.