

Gabriella C. Calicchio joined Marin Center in August 2014 as Director of Cultural Services where she oversees the Marin Center Facilities, Marin Center Presents, the award-winning Marin County Fair, and the Marin Cultural Association. Prior to joining Marin Center, Calicchio served as Chief Executive Officer of The Walt Disney Family Museum (2011-2013). From 2007-2011, she served as Managing Director of the Children's Theatre Company in Minneapolis; Managing Director of Marin Theatre Company (2001-2007); and Executive Director of the Diablo Ballet, Walnut Creek (1999-2001). She came to the Bay Area in 1996 to become Director of Theater Operations at Smith Center, Ohlone College in Fremont.

Calicchio holds a Bachelor of Arts degree in drama and dance from Bard College, New York and a Master of Arts degree in arts administration and education from Lesley University, Cambridge, MA. She was a CSI Fellow at Stanford University for Executive Leaders in the Arts and a participant in the National Arts Strategies on strategy and finance. She was also a participant in the prestigious Wilder Foundation's James P. Shannon Leadership Institute.