

Robert Shafis

Robert Shafis has been a successful fundraiser, speaker and attorney for over 20 years. He began working in fundraising with the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod Foundation, where as Senior Vice President he and his staff raised over \$100 million a year for various ministries. He also was Director of Planned Gifts for the National Alzheimer's Association, for Alexian Brothers Health System Foundation, and is currently Director of Major Gift Planning at Chicago's Museum of Science and Industry. In each of these positions, his work has resulted in many additional millions of dollars for worthy charitable purposes. Mr. Shafis also has spoken to many national and local groups about planned giving, estate planning, charitable tax issues, and the process of fundraising, and teaches major and planned giving at North Park University.