Sheila Sheridan retired from Harvard University as Director of Facilities and Services at the Kennedy School of Government. Sheila was one of the very early sustainability proponents at the University.

As IFMA chair from 2002-2004, Sheila advocated awareness of environmental issues and the adoption of sustainable practices worldwide. She currently participates on the Sustainability Strategic Advisory Committee, Councils and Committees and is Chair of the International Credentialing Committee for the CFM.

In honor of her pioneering efforts, IFMA created the Sheila Sheridan Award for Sustainable Facility Operations and Management.

Her first post-retirement venture was to become LEED Faculty for USGBC and a LEED AP O+M. She was active in USGBC Technical Committee and Vice-Chair for Existing Buildings Core Committee.

She has traveled the world to speak on facilities management, sustainability and green building practices. She has been a visiting lecturer at Kufstein, Pratt University and Hong Kong Polytechnic Institute. She is member of Wentworth Institute, Facility Management Advisory Board.

She is active in her local community as a Beach Ambassador, citizen scientist (testing water) and board member for Southeast Pine Barren Alliance (SEMPBA).

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