Ann Marie Marmande was named president of the Our Lady of the Lake (OLOL) Foundation in January 2020.  Since then, the OLOL Foundation team coordinated an extraordinary community response to the Covid-19 pandemic, developed and began implementing a new strategic vision for fundraising in the Baton Rouge Market area, and established the first programmatic naming and endowment for OLOL Children’s Hospital.

During her twenty-year tenure with the LSU Foundation, Marmande led a number of successful and significant initiatives, culminating in the 2019 launch of a $1.5 billion campaign. She served as a key strategist in creating a comprehensive blueprint for achieving LSU’s philanthropic potential across its eight campuses and spearheaded efforts for successful coordination and collaboration among LSU’s statewide foundations. She was directly responsible for supporting the philanthropic activities of LSU’s most senior executives including the president and LSU Foundation Board of Directors.  Her roles included the LSU Foundation’s first senior vice president for principal gifts; vice president for development, leading campus-based and central fundraising efforts; senior director of development for the College of Science; the first director of stewardship; and director of alumni relations for the School of Social Work.

Marmande earned a bachelor’s degree in rehabilitation services from the LSU Health Sciences Center and a Master of Science in Social Work from LSU. She is a Certified Fund Raising Executive and Licensed Clinical Social Worker.  She currently serves as chairperson of the LSU Rural Life Museum Board of Trustees and is a member of the Rotary Club of Baton Rouge.