

Founder



Elon Musk
CEO
2016-present

Co-Founders



Dongjin Seo
VP of Implant
2016-present



Paul Merolla
Chip Developer
2016-2022



Max Hodak
President
2016-2012



Philip Sabes
Neurosurgeon
2016-2020



Vanessa Tolosa
Neural Interface Director
2016-2020



Tim Gardner
Senior Scientist
2016-2019



Timothy Hanson
Co-Founder
2016-2018



Benjamin Rapoport
Co-Founder
2016-2018

NEURALINK

Unofficial Corporate Structure 2023-07

HR & Operations

HR

People and Culture



Kristy Wilands
Director of People and Culture
2022-present

Recruiting



Jessie Stehle
Head of Recruiting
2022-present

Operations

Operations



Shivon Zilis
Director of Operations and Special Projects
2017-present

IT



Josh Cook
IT Manager
2020-2023

Legal



Alex Feerst
General Counsel
2019-2021

Facilities & Lab MGMT

Finance

Development and Production

Implant

VP



Dongjin Seo
VP of Implant
2020-present

Next-Gen




Joseph O'Doherty
Head of Next Gen
2017-present

Software



Jeremy Barenholtz
Head of Brain Interface Software
2022-present

Applications



Nir Eves-Chen
Head of Brain Interface Applications
2022-present

Microfabrication



Zack Tedoff
Head of Brain Interface Microfab
2022-present

Microfabrication R&D



Lesley Chan
Microfabrication R&D Team Lead
2020-present

Electrical Engineering



Matthew A.
Head of Brain Interface Electrical Engineering
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ASIC



Dongjin Seo
VP of Implant
2016-present

Robot

VP



Ian O'Hara
VP of Robotics
2019-2023

Surgery Engineering



Christine Odabashian
Surgery Engineering Team Leader
2017-present

Surgery



Matthew MacDougall
Head Neurosurgeon
2022-present

Robotics



Ian O'Hara
VP of Robotics
2019-2023

Vision

Needle



Sam Schmitz
Robot Consumables Design & Manufacturing Team Lead
2020-present

Machine Shop



Jim Cooney
Head of Machine Shop
2022-present

Science & Support Services

Science



Daniel Adams
Principal Investigator
2022-present

Quality Assurance



Jonathan Walston
Head of Quality Systems
2023-2022

Animal Care



Autumn Sorrells
Animal Care Program Director
2022-present

Preclinical Research



Madison T.
Head of Preclinical Research
2018-present

Clinical Research

Pathology & Histology



Ryan Hickey
Anatomic Pathology Lead
2022-present

 current employee
 former employee