Job Titles

The list below is a non-exhaustive selection of the functions you find in the top regions of the corporate hierarchy.

UK & Ireland	USA	Explanation
Chairman (chairperson)		The chairman is the president of the board of directors.
Managing Director	Chief Executive Officer / CEO	The most powerful person in the corporate hierarchy
Director	Vice-president	In the United States, a Vice-President is the second most powerful person in a company. In the UK, this person is called the director.
General Manager		The general manager is subordinate to the director and is in charge of the day-to-day policy.
manager	Director	A manager runs a department within a large company.
Junior		The junior manager is second to the manager in the corporate hierarchy.
Assistant		The assistant to the manager is a personal secretary.