Kim Schatzel became the 19th permanent president at the University of Louisville on February 1, 2023.

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