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In September of 1996, Boris became the founding director of the Center on Nonprofits and Philanthropy at the Urban Institute in Washington, D.C. The Center conducts research on the role and impact of nonprofit organizations and the policy issues that affect them. The Center also hosts the National Center for Charitable Statistics, which builds and maintains the nation's largest research database on nonprofit organizations.

From 1991 to 1996, Boris was founding director of the Aspen Institute's Nonprofit Sector Research Fund, the first grant making program devoted to supporting research on the nonprofit sector and philanthropy. She holds a Ph.D. and MA in political science from Rutgers University and a BA from Douglass College, Rutgers University, with honors and Phi Beta Kappa.

The author of many research publications on nonprofits and philanthropy, she edited *Nonprofits and Government: Collaboration and Conflict*, with C. Eugene Steuerle, and is an author of *Working in Foundations: Career Patterns of Women and Men*, with Teresa Odendahl and Arlene Kaplan Daniels. Boris is actively involved as an advisor and board member for a variety of organizations in the nonprofit sector. In 2006 she received the Distinguished Achievement and Leadership Award from the Association for Research on Nonprofits and Voluntary Action. She was named a member of *NPT Power & Influence Top 50* nonprofit leaders nine times.