

Stan Soloway President & CEO

Stan Soloway is president and CEO of the Professional Services Council, the principal national trade association of the government technology and professional services industry. Soloway assumed the presidency in January 2001. PSC has a membership of nearly 360 companies of all sizes, performing services of all kinds for virtually every agency of the government.



He was named the 2013 Industry Executive of the Year Award by Government Computer News and 1105 Media, and also received the 2013 Herbert Roback Award, the highest honor bestowed by the National Contract Management Association. Soloway is also a two time winner of the Federal 100 Award. In 2012, the *Washington Business Journal* named him to its *Power 100* as one of the 100 most influential business leaders in Washington and *Defense News* and Gannett Media named him one of the 100 most influential leaders in U.S. defense.

He writes regular columns for *Washington Technology* magazine and the *Washington Business Journal* and has been a contributing author for books published by Harvard Law School, the University of Pennsylvania, Cambridge University and the IBM Center for the Business of Government.

Prior to joining PSC, Soloway served as the deputy undersecretary of Defense (acquisition reform) and concurrently as director of Secretary of Defense William Cohen's Defense Reform Initiative. In recognition of his leadership at DoD, he was awarded the Secretary of Defense Medals for Outstanding and Distinguished Public Service.

In addition, Soloway was confirmed by the Senate in June 2007 to a five year term on the board of Directors of the Corporation for National and Community Service, the federal agency that oversees national service programs including Americorps and VISTA and serves as a major funding source for scores of community service programs across the nation. He currently chairs the Corporation's Board Alumni organization.

He is a principal of the Partnership for Public Service, and a member of the Executive Advisory Board of the National Contract Management Association where he is also a Fellow. Before his appointment to DoD, Soloway was a public policy and public affairs consultant for more than 20 years and a highly regarded expert on acquisition, privatization, and outsourcing issues. He was also a producer of the critically acclaimed PBS series "Great Confrontations at the Oxford Union." He earned a degree in political science from Denison University.