Venkatapathi "PV" Puvvada President, Unisys Federal Systems

Puvvada is the president of Unisys Federal Systems, a role he has held since July 2014. He is responsible for all aspects of the federal business including P&L, delivery, business operations, and growth initiatives. As an elected corporate officer for Unisys Corporation, Puvvada provides broad leadership for key global growth initiatives for clients in Government, Financial Services and Commercial sectors.



Prior to this role, Puvvada served as group vice president for the company's federal civilian agency business since 2010. From 2005 to 2010, he was managing partner and chief technology officer for Unisys Federal Systems, overseeing the company's federal solutions portfolio and service delivery operations.

Puvvada currently serves on the board of directors of Professional Services Council (PSC), a role he held since 2013. As a member of the PSC Executive Committee, he chairs the civilian agencies council activities. Puvvada also serves on the Executive Advisory Board (EAB) for American Council for Technology-Industry Advisory Council (ACT-IAC). Previously, Puvvada has served in several other leadership positions at various industry groups. He served as the chairman of IAC in 2007-2008.

Puvvada is a vocal advocate of leveraging industry solutions to dramatically improve federal agencies mission outcomes and government's ability to provide modern digital services to U.S. citizens effectively. He frequently speaks and writes about various topics including acquisition reform, IT modernization, IT governance, cyber security and digital government.

Puvvada's contributions have been recognized through numerous industry awards. He is an Industry Eagle Award recipient and four-time winner of the Federal Computer Week Federal 100 Award, in 2015, 2008, 2005 and 2003. Puvvada is a three time winner of Executive Mosaic's Wash100 award in 2013, 2016 and 2017. In 2010, Puvvada was named Government Contractor CTO Innovator of the Year in the large business category by the Northern Virginia Technology Council and Washington Technology magazine.

Puvvada holds a bachelors and masters in Engineering and several other industry certifications.