



The President's National Security Telecommunications Advisory Committee



Committee Member Biography

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Kevin Kennedy
President and Chief Executive Officer
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Dr. Kevin J. Kennedy, PhD., became president and CEO of Avaya in 2008 and serves on its board of directors. Prior to his position with Avaya, Dr. Kennedy served as president and CEO of JDS Uniphase Corporation. He has also held executive positions with Openwave Systems, Inc., and Cisco Systems, Inc., and worked for AT&T Bell Laboratories for 17 years.



Dr. Kennedy serves on the board of directors of KLA-Tencor Corporation, Digital Realty Trust, L.P., and the Canary Foundation. In 2012, Dr. Kennedy authored "Devil in the Details," and has published over 30 articles on computational methods, data networking, and technology management. He holds a bachelor's degree in engineering from Lehigh University and master's and doctoral degrees in engineering from Rutgers University.