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# The President's National Security Telecommunications Advisory Committee

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## Committee Member Biography

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**Kay Sears**  
**President**  
**Intelsat General**

Ms. Kay Sears currently serves as the president of Intelsat General. Prior to joining Intelsat General, Ms. Sears helped both G2 Satellite Solutions Corp. and Verestar, Inc., launch their Government services business units and held sales and product development positions with Intelsat and Comsat World Systems. Ms. Sears has more than 22 years of experience in the satellite communications industry, including extensive experience in rapid response solutions for the U.S. Government, working with both military and civilian agencies.

Ms. Sears serves as an industry spokesperson for how the military can utilize commercial satellites to solve mission-critical needs and has worked to advance the industry's partnership with the Department of Defense. In February 2012, she was the recipient of the GOVTek Women in Technology award, sponsored by the Government Technology Research Alliance. Ms. Sears currently serves on the board of the Space Foundation.

Ms. Sears received a bachelor of science degree from the University of Richmond and holds a master's in business administration from the George Washington University.

