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## Top Skills

Executive Management  
fundraising  
Project Management

# Deborah Rosenblum

US Government Executive  
Washington, District of Columbia, United States

## Summary

Security Strategist, Leader, Innovator

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## Experience

United States Department of Defense  
Assistant Secretary of Defense for Nuclear Chemical and Biological  
Defense Programs  
July 2021 - Present (2 years 2 months)  
Washington, United States

Nuclear Threat Initiative  
Executive Vice President  
August 2009 - August 2021 (12 years 1 month)  
1776 I Street NW Washington DC 20006

As a member of the senior management team at NTI, a global nonprofit focused on reducing catastrophic risks, I oversee all global operations, programs, and a staff of 60 professionals. I also manage an operating budget of \$25 million and work closely with the board of directors, leveraging their networks and expertise to advance NTI's mission.

Through public-private partnerships, active community engagement, and stakeholder collaboration, we are able to maximize our global impact, while continuing to innovate and promote best practices.

The Biden-Harris Presidential Transition  
Agency Review Team Member  
October 2020 - January 2021 (4 months)  
Washington DC

Served on the Biden-Harris Presidential Transition as a member of the Department of Defense Review Team

## The Cohen Group

Vice President

September 2002 - August 2009 (7 years)

Washington DC

At the Cohen Group, an international business consulting firm, I lead numerous client focused teams to develop unique business opportunities in the defense and homeland security markets using innovative and creative approaches to problem solving. I also conducted market assessments to support international merger and acquisition deals.

## The U.S. Department of Defense

Senior Executive Service

December 1989 - September 2002 (12 years 10 months)

Washington DC

At the Department of Defense, I worked in the Office of the Secretary of Defense with a broad range of policy making responsibilities. After being selected for the Senior Executive Service, I managed complex international negotiations, billion dollar military assistance programs in Latin America and world wide disaster relief efforts.

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## Education

Columbia University - School of International and Public Affairs

Master's degree, International Relations and Affairs · (1987 - 1989)

Middlebury College

Bachelor's degree, Political Science and French · (1980 - 1984)