

## Reince Priebus

**President & Chief Strategist  
Chairman of the Board of Advisors, Michael Best  
Strategies LLC**

### Overview

Reince currently serves as the President of Michael Best & Friedrich LLP, a nationwide law firm with more than 260 attorneys. Prior to joining Michael Best, Reince was named White House Chief of Staff shortly after the 2016 Presidential campaign.

Prior to managing the White House staff, Reince served as the longest-serving chairman of the Republican National Committee in modern history. He oversaw a dramatic turnaround of the RNC, rescuing its finances, repairing its operations, and rebuilding its ground game while raising over one billion dollars. By welcoming new voters and harnessing the power of new technologies, Reince built the infrastructure needed for landslide GOP victories, and he left the RNC as the winningest chairman of either political party in American history. He was named by *Time Magazine* as one of the 100 most influential people in the world in both 2016 and 2017.

Before serving as RNC Chairman, Reince was one of the most successful chairmen of the Republican Party of Wisconsin creating the framework for one of the most historic election cycles Wisconsin has ever experienced. During his tenure, the state's Republicans elected Ron Johnson to the U.S. Senate, elected Scott Walker as Governor, gained two additional U.S. House seats, and took back both the State Assembly and State Senate, while also defeating the democratic leaders of both of those chambers.

Reince previously served as a visiting Fellow at Institute of Politics at Harvard Kennedy School and is currently an officer in the U.S. Navy Reserve. Additionally, he is also an exclusive speaker with the world-wide speaking company, The Washington Speakers Bureau.



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### Practices

Government Relations, Political Law  
& Public Policy  
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Reince received his Juris Doctor degree, *cum laude*, from the University of Miami School of Law. He practiced as a corporate litigator at Michael Best's Milwaukee office for many years before moving to the D.C. area. He was raised in Kenosha, Wisconsin and is a die-hard Packers fan.

Reince and his wife, Sally, have two children, Jack and Grace.

## Honors & Recognitions

- TIME 100: The Most Influential People, 2016 & 2017

## Professional Activities

- Speaker, Washington Speakers Bureau
- Former White House Chief of Staff, Trump Administration
- Former Chairman of the Republican National Committee
- Board of Directors, The Republican State Leadership Committee (RSLC)
- Visiting Fellow, Institute of Politics at Harvard Kennedy School

## Admissions

- District of Columbia
- Wisconsin

## Related News

### NEWS

September 17, 2020

Veteran Public Affairs Executive Tami Jackson Buckner Joins Michael Best Strategies as Partner

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February 7, 2019

Steve Israel, Former Member of Democratic House Leadership, Joins Board of Advisors at Michael Best Strategies

### NEWS

January 31, 2019

Michael Best and Michael Best Strategies Move to New Office in The Wharf