



Philip M. Bilden

Philip Bilden serves as Chairman of Board of Trustees and Executive Committee the Naval War College Foundation. Mr. Bilden has been a Trustee since 2012 and previously served as Vice Chairman and inaugural Chairman of the Center for NWCF Cyber Conflict Studies Task Force.

Mr. Bilden was a Co-Founding Member of the private equity firm HarbourVest Partners, which manages over \$50 billion in assets. He began his career in Boston in 1991 and relocated to Hong Kong in 1996 to establish the firm's Asian subsidiary. Mr. Bilden was responsible for the firm's investment strategy and execution, capital raising, and client service activities throughout the Asia Pacific region, managing personnel and partnerships in multiple countries and cultures. Throughout his 25-year tenure at HarbourVest Partners, Mr. Bilden served in senior leadership roles in the firm's global management, including the firm's six person Executive Committee responsible for governance. After 25 years at the firm, Mr. Bilden retired as a Senior Advisor in 2016.

Mr. Bilden presently serves on the Board of Directors of Huntington Ingalls Industries (NYSE: HII); cybersecurity company, GoSecure; the Board of Directors of the United States Naval Academy Foundation. He previously served on the Board of Directors of the U.S. Naval Institute, the Asia Pacific Advisory Board and Dean's Board of Advisors of Harvard Business School, and the Board of Visitors of Georgetown University's School of Foreign Service.

Mr. Bilden graduated with a B.S. in Foreign Service (*magna cum laude*) in 1986 as Distinguished Military Graduate, U.S. Army ROTC, from Georgetown University. He received his MBA from Harvard Business School in 1991.

Mr. Bilden served for ten years as a Military Intelligence Officer, U.S. Army Reserve, supporting Defense Intelligence Agency. He maintains a Department of Defense TS-SCI security clearance and serves on the Chief of Naval Operations (CNO) Executive Panel for the U.S. Navy.