

Savoy's Power 300: 2016 Most Influential Black Corporate Directors

Savoy Magazine Announces the *Power 300: The Most Influential Black Corporate Directors* in a Historic 532 Page Summer Issue

Savoy Magazine, the leading African-American culture, business and lifestyle publication, announced their 2016 Most Influential Black Corporate Directors. At 532 pages, the summer issue of Savoy ranks as the largest magazine by pages ever published targeting the African American consumer. The summer issue of Savoy was published with dual covers featuring Richard Parsons, Former CEO of Time Warner and an alternate cover featuring a tribute to Muhammad Ali.

Atlanta, GA: Savoy Magazine announced the release of their <u>Power 300: 2016 Most Influential Black Corporate Directors</u> listing in the upcoming Summer issue. Savoy's summer issue features a directory of 300 directors serving on the boards of public companies. As the leading business magazine reporting on African American success and achievement, Savoy's Most Influential Black Corporate directory is the premier listing of African-American executives, influencers and achievers contributing leadership to corporate boards.

"Savoy continues to be at the forefront of comprehensive coverage of the professional success and achievements of African Americans." said L.P. Green, II, CEO & Publisher of Savoy Magazine. "It is our duty to chronicle these inspiring executives, their distinguished careers and the corporations that demonstrate inclusive board composition in Savoy. We offer congratulations and appreciation to the directors recognized in Savoy's Most Influential Black Corporate Directors edition for their inspiring leadership."

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Parsons provides an intriguing example of how he leveraged his talents as a board director into the C-Suite. Parsons joined the Time Warner board of directors in 1991, negotiated the America Online merger that created a \$165 billion media conglomerate and was later named CEO. Parsons shares his perspective and insights on his professional journey in his exclusive interview featured in *Savoy's* Summer issue.

The full **2016 Most Influential Black Corporate Directors** listing is available now online exclusively at <u>savoynetwork.com/blackdirectors</u>. Savoy's Summer issue will be available nationwide at Barnes & Noble & newsstands on August 2nd, 2016.

About Savoy Magazine

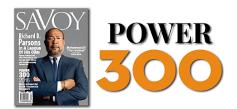
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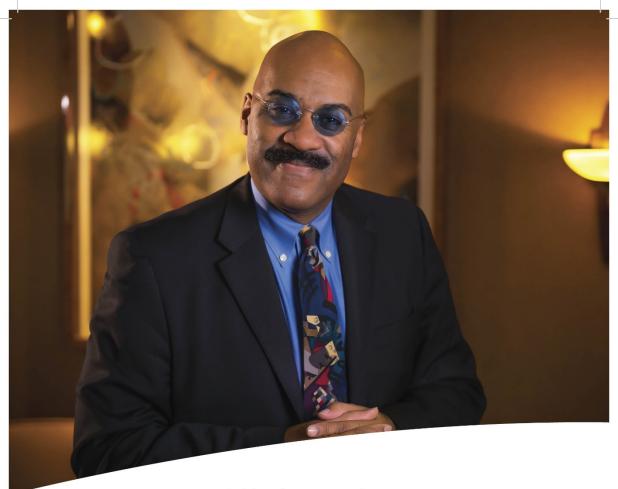


Vada O. Manager President & CEO Manager Global Consulting Group Boards: Ashland, Inc.

Vada O. Manager serves as President/CEO of his own business strategy firm which advises C-Suite executives regarding a variety of global issues ranging from brand positioning, M&A and global sourcing/supply chains. His expertise in this area is derived from serving in senior capacities at both Levi Strauss & Co and Nike Inc. - the latter where he was a member of its valued Corporate Leadership Team. During his career he also led a team to South Africa to assist in the transition of new President Nelson Mandela.

Manager is affiliated with several national and global organizations including: the Helios Education Foundation; The American Council on Germany and US Military Academy at West Point. Manager has periodically appeared as an expert commentator on ESPN, CNN, CNBC and others.

Manager holds a Bachelor of Science from Arizona State University and has performed research at the London School of Economics.



Ashland congratulates

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on being named to

Savoy Magazine's List of Most Influential Black Corporate Directors





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