

## **David Halperin Bio**

David Halperin engages in public advocacy work on a wide range of issues, including higher education, climate change, open government, and money in politics. He also advises organizations on strategy, policy, communications, and legal matters, and he is of counsel to Public.Resource.org.

Halperin was previously:

- Founding director of Campus Progress and senior vice president at the Center for American Progress;
- Senior policy advisor for Howard Dean's presidential campaign;
- Founding executive director of the American Constitution Society;
- White House speechwriter and special assistant for national security affairs to President Clinton;
- Co-founder of the Internet company Progressive/RealNetworks; and
- Counsel to the Senate Intelligence Committee.

He writes at Republic Report, and his articles also have appeared in the New York Times, Washington Post, The Nation, Politico, Slate, Foreign Policy, and other outlets.

Halperin serves on the board of directors of Public Citizen.

He graduated from Yale College and Yale Law School.