

MITT ROMNEY

Lifetime Achievement Award (MBA '74/JD '75)

Mitt Romney was sworn in as Utah's newest Senator in January 2019. Since then, Romney has earned a reputation for reaching across the aisle to advance major priorities that benefit Utah and people across the country, and as a leading voice on U.S. foreign policy and national security.

Prior to serving in the Senate, Romney served as Governor of Massachusetts from 2003-2007. He also led the 2002 Salt Lake Organizing Committee for the Winter Olympics and, with a team of volunteers and managers, helped turn the struggling Games into a Utah success story. He was a candidate for the 2008 Republican presidential nomination and Republican nominee for president in 2012.

Before entering public service, Romney led a successful business career as the cofounder of Bain Capital, a leading investment company, and the turnaround CEO of Bain & Company, an international management consulting firm.

Romney earned his bachelor's degree from Brigham Young University and his JD/MBA from Harvard University. He has been the devoted husband to wife Ann for more than 50 years. They are the proud parents of five sons, grandparents to 25 grandchildren, and great-grandparents to one great grand-child.

