

Government

The opportunity in 2026 is reinvention. Despite continuing headwinds, leaders now have support for C-suite roles in areas including data, AI, and service experience, along with governance models and modern technology foundations.



2026

Top trends in government

01 **Turning fiscal pressure into efficiency and innovation**

Growing budget pressures are encouraging agencies to direct resources toward mission-critical programs, improve operational efficiency, and accelerate essential modernization efforts.

02 **Expanding the government C-suite to better serve the public**

Government C-suite executives are equipping governments to unify digital strategy, improve service delivery, and create more consistent, citizen-centered experiences.

03 **Modernizing to deliver incremental results, faster**

Government agencies are embracing modular, AI-assisted modernization that reduces risk, accelerates delivery, and builds the technical foundation for long-term transformation.

04 **Designing government that works as one**

Government leaders are building the leadership, systems, and shared data foundations needed to connect services across programs—creating simpler, more coordinated experiences for residents

05 **Securing government through perimeterless security**

By unifying Zero Trust, data sovereignty, and shared defense models, technology and security leaders are enhancing the ability of their team's ability to protect critical services and maintain public trust amid rising cyber risks.

06 **Delivering on AI's promise**

Enterprise-wide AI governance and data maturity are positioning government agencies and departments to adopt AI responsibly, enhancing service quality while safeguarding privacy, fairness, and public confidence.

07 **Building an AI-fluent workforce**

Government leaders are investing in skills development across their workforces and communities, equipping people with the capabilities needed to navigate and contribute to an AI-enabled economy.

WHO WE ARE

Slalom is a fiercely human business and technology consulting company that teams with leaders who expect more. **So we bring more.**

WHAT WE DO

From strategy to implementation, our approach is fiercely human. We partner with market leaders and emerging players as they navigate uncertainty and strive for growth.

LOCATIONS

We have over 10,000 team members, including 2,800+ experienced public sector consultants, in 12 countries and 52 local offices around the world.



HOW WE'RE DIFFERENT

We take love seriously

So seriously that we measure customer love in 10 dimensions and use those metrics to guide our actions.

Head and heart in everything we do

We show up authentically and get to know you, always leading with empathy and kindness.

Deep connections, better outcomes

Our thorough understanding of partner technologies and priorities drives trusting relationships and exponential impact.

Momentum that outlasts us

We work with your teams every step of the way, teaching and empowering them to continue the momentum even after we leave.

Local soul, global scale

Because we live where we work, we're committed to our local communities and your long-term success—while also staying connected globally.

PARTNERSHIPS

We partner with over 700 of the world's leading technology providers to create extraordinary results for public and social impact services leaders like you.



CUSTOMERS

Our public and social impact customers include national, state, provincial, and local governments, federal agencies, education institutions, nonprofits, and philanthropic organizations focused on stronger communities and better public outcomes.

