

# High-level White House departures

White House chief economic advisor Gary Cohn has resigned, joining a string of recent departures by high-level personnel and further fuelling concerns that the Trump administration is in chaos



Team Trump is sworn in, January 22, 2017

**Gary D. Cohn. Chief economic adviser:**

Free trade advocate and former Goldman Sachs president quits after losing battle over Trump's plan to impose tariffs on steel and aluminium

**Resigned, Mar 6, 2018 – 411 days in office**



**1 Reince Priebus. White House chief of staff:**

Trump announces sacking of Priebus on Twitter and offers job to John Kelly

**Fired, Jul 28, 2017 – 190 days**



**2 Steve Bannon. Chief strategist:** Describes

meeting of Trump family members and Russian attorney as "treasonous"

**Fired, Aug 18, 2017 – 211 days**



**3 Omarosa Manigault-Newman. Director of communications-public liaison:** Quits

over "concerns" about administration

**Resigned, Jan 20, 2018 – 366 days**



**4 Hope Hicks. Communications director:**

Admits to House Intelligence Committee that she told "white lies" on Trump's behalf

**Resigned, Feb 28, 2018 – 405 days**



**5 Sean Spicer. Press Secretary:** Leaves in

protest over Trump's decision to hire Anthony Scaramucci as communications director

**Resigned, Jul 21, 2017 – 183 days**



**6 Rob Porter. Staff Secretary:** Quits amid

allegations of domestic violence from two ex-wives. Porter denies accusations

**Resigned, Feb 7, 2018 – 384 days**



**7 Katie Walsh. Deputy chief of staff:** Quoted

saying working with Trump is "like trying to figure out what a child wants"

**Resigned, Mar 30, 2017 – 70 days**



**8 Michael Flynn. National security adviser:**

Forced to resign after secretly discussing U.S. sanctions with Russian Ambassador

**Fired: Feb 13, 2017 – 25 days**

