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Paul Perez is vice president and chief technologist for the StorageWorks enterprise storage business at HP. In this role, he and his team define long-term technology and intellectual property strategy.

Perez has held various technical and management leadership positions across microprocessor and chipset design, high-performance servers, server storage and networking, and data center infrastructure.

In 2003, he became vice president of server storage and networking development in the Industry Standard Servers business at HP in Houston. In this role, he founded the Web 2.0 ("Cloud") infrastructure and energy-efficiency practices now known as Scalable Computing & Infrastructure. He was instrumental in the acquisition of EYP MCF to expand HP's data center services practice.

Perez first joined HP in 1984 in the Systems Technology Operation as a PA-RISC microprocessor designer. He holds several patents in integrated circuit and computer design and was a founding member of The Green Grid.

Perez holds undergraduate and graduate degrees in electrical engineering from Cornell University.