

Susan Clark-Johnson

Executive Director, Morrison Institute for Public Policy
Arizona State University

Education:

B.A., History, State University of New York at Binghamton

Susan Clark-Johnson retired as President of the Gannett Newspaper Division last May. Gannett is the USA's largest newspaper company with 85 daily newspapers in the USA and a combined circulation of about 5 million. The Newspaper Division, which also includes about 100 websites and just under 1000 weekly newspapers, shoppers and magazines, is the largest division of the Gannett Company.

Prior to being named Gannett Newspaper Division President, Susan Clark-Johnson was Chairman and CEO of Phoenix Newspapers, Inc., a position she held since August 1, 2000, when Gannett acquired Central Newspapers, Inc. (CNI).

In addition to her role as newspaper executive for Gannett, Sue stepped down as Chairwoman of the Newspaper Association of America in April, 2008.

She is a member of the board of directors of Pinnacle West, a member of the Council of Foreign Relations, serves on the board of the Translational Genomics Research Institute (TGen), serves on the Board for the ASU Global Institute of Sustainability (GIOS), and is active in Arizona community and civic affairs.

