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Miriam Singer is the Chief Procurement Officer of County of Santa Clara, CA, where she is responsible for the countywide restructure of the procurement function, as well as serving as the senior procurement official for the County. Miriam is a results-oriented county executive with significant public service investments in a variety of front line and management roles. Her active support of professional development opportunities for staff, and talent development initiatives have defined her contributions for building effective teams, and strengthening the skills and productivity of procurement and other public sector professionals. Through her leadership, the County of Santa Clara has initiated the implementation of a pro-competition agenda and enhanced transparency in its business processes through collaboration and effective business relationships with client departments and over 4,000 vendors, serving 1.9 million residents. Miriam holds bachelor's and master's degrees from the University of Miami, is a Certified Public Purchasing Officer, a Florida Certified Contract Negotiator, and holds a Green Belt Lean Six Sigma Designation. Miriam is a member of the Governing Board of the NIGP, a member of Florida International University's MPA Advisory Board, and is a Site Reviewer for NASPAA.