



BIOGRAPHY



Ms. Lisa K. Swan

Ms. Lisa Swan is a member of the Senior Executive Service and is the Deputy Director for Mission Support of the Joint Improvised-Threat Defeat Agency (JIDA). In this position, she is responsible for anticipatory, rapid acquisition of both materiel and non-materiel capabilities and solutions supporting combatant commanders' efforts to prepare for, and adapt to, battlefield surprise.

Prior to JIDA, Ms. Swan served as Deputy Director of the Headquarters, Department of the Army Air & Missile Defense Directorate, providing leadership and collaboration across the air and missile defense stakeholder community, which includes multiple elements of the Army and the Joint Staff, the Office of the Secretary of Defense and the Missile Defense Agency, among others.

Prior to that assignment, Ms. Swan was Principal Deputy Director of the Biometrics Identity Management Agency (formerly the Biometrics Task Force), overseeing the integration, coordination, and synchronization of biometric technologies and capabilities across the Department of Defense. She began there in 2007 as its liaison to the Department of the Navy, and then held a series of leadership positions, ultimately providing oversight of approximately 200 military officers', civilians', and contractors' efforts.

Ms. Swan began her career in the commercial sector as an engineer for Newport News Shipbuilding. She joined Federal service in 1989 and has worked in multiple Navy warfare centers, as well as the Naval Surface Warfare Center (NSWC) headquarters, where she helped bring together eight disparate engineering organizations and laboratories into a cohesive warfare center of approximately 20,000 people.

Ms. Swan holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Materials Engineering from North Carolina State University and Master of Science degrees in Systems Engineering from Virginia Tech and National Resource Strategy from National Defense University. She is also a graduate of Harvard University's Senior Executive Fellows Program, the Naval Postgraduate School's Identity Management Certificate program, and the Federal Executive Institute's Leadership for a Democratic Society program.

She is Level III certified in Program Management and in Systems Planning, Research, Development & Engineering and is a graduate of the DoD Senior Acquisition Course, as well as a Certified Biometrics Professional.

Ms. Swan's awards include the Superior Civilian Service Award, as well as academic and leadership awards.