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Mr. Scurlock is currently serving as the Chief, Cybersecurity Plans & Coordination (CPC). In this role, he advises Department of Homeland Security (DHS) leadership and facilitates information sharing, policy development, planning synchronization, and coordinated actions across the cybersecurity community (both intra and inter agency). Mr. Scurlock's group leads and facilitates increased and efficient organizational cooperation between and among the myriad organizations performing their cybersecurity roles to achieve national cybersecurity objectives. His team of Senior Cybersecurity Strategists and Planners leverages DHS intellectual capital to take single and/or multiple agency strategic policy development, planning efforts, and coordinated engagements in order to meld them into collaborative, multiagency on the shelf executable doctrine that exploits the core cybersecurity competencies of all the interagency partners.

Mr. Scurlock formerly served as the Enhance Shared Situational Awareness (ESSA) Lead on behalf of DHS. ESSA was a cross government effort to increase the speed and quality of cyber information sharing among cyber mission partners. The robust collaboration and common understanding created by leveraging the authorities, capabilities, capacity, and accesses of individual cyber partners - coupled with machine-speed information sharing - builds synergy, and both enables and enhances integrated operational action - a series of coordinated activities undertaken by those who have both the capability and authority to take action. ESSA has accelerate progress with emphasis on four focus areas: Creating Knowledge; Facilitating Sharing; Expanding Shared Situational Awareness; and Integrated Planning with an overarching theme of meeting technical and policy challenges of machine-speed information sharing. Whole of government efforts in these focus areas has resulted in machine-speed information sharing programs such as Automated Indicator Sharing (AIS) and Integrated Adaptive Cyber Defense (IACD).

Mr. Scurlock is a former enlisted Sailor, and a retired Information Dominance Warfare Qualified Naval Officer. He completed his Master of Science in Information Resource Management (IRM), Information Assurance (IA), and Strategic Information Management within the School of Engineering and Management at the Air Force Institute of Technology (AFIT).



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