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Mark B. Daley joined the Office of the Secretary in August 2011. Mark is the Deputy Director for Acquisition Program Management for the Office of Acquisition Management of the Office of the Chief Financial Officer and Assistant Secretary for Administration, a bureau of the U.S. Department of Commerce.

Mark served as the Acting Director for Cost Analysis/Acting Deputy Director for Budget Analysis for the Department of Energy (DOE). While at DOE, he led many analytical cost analyses and alternative studies on fossil energy power plants, renewable wind and solar energy projects, nuclear facilities, infrastructure programs, and DOE loan guarantees. His analytical work also involved conducting tradeoff analyses across the energy portfolio to include the impact of job creation and CO2 reduction from various combinations of future energy scenarios.

As a Defense Intelligence Senior Leader (DISL), he was the Senior Advisor for National Intelligence Programs. He was the focal point for the Office of the Director of National Intelligence and the Intelligence Community (IC) to ensure that military intelligence equities and resources were adequately addressed. In carrying out DoD Intelligence oversight and management role, he was responsible for reviewing IC program and budget execution, prioritized project funding, and making tradeoff recommendations within the portfolio to ensure that the intelligence program objectives were achieved. He worked closely with the Joint Staff on issues to ensure that warfighter requirements were appropriately dealt with in the programming, budget and acquisition process.

He also served as a Senior Operations Research Analyst for the Office of the Secretary of Defense, Program Analysis and Evaluation (PA&E) where he was a member of the Cost Analysis Improvement Group (CAIG). He led cost analysis reviews on a wide-variety of major defense aircraft, missiles, ships, space and intelligence acquisition programs to include the major milestone review for the F-22 Raptor and F-35 Joint Strike Fighter. Mark also led and supported a variety of defense portfolio program review issues through the Planning, Programming and Budgeting System (PPBS) to include tactical air, land forces, missile defense, Intelligence, Surveillance and Reconnaissance (ISR), and defense communications.

Mark has a Bachelor and Master of Science in Aerospace Engineering from Virginia Tech and Georgia Tech; a Master of Science in Management and Finance from Johns Hopkins University; and a Master of Science in National Security Strategy from the National War College. He is also a graduate of the Seminar XXI program in Foreign Politics, International Relations and the National Interest from MIT, and was a Senior Executive Fellow at Harvard University.

Mark belongs to the American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics (AIAA) and Society of Automotive Engineers (SAE). Mark enjoys swimming, kayaking, biking, triathlons, racecar driving, charity fundraising and traveling.