



United States Navy Biography

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Patrick J. Geary serves as the Director, Office of Security Programs and Continuity Planning. He directs and manages the programs, policies, processes and procedures of six divisions including more than 350 security and counterintelligence specialists, analysts, assistants and contractors throughout the NAVSEA enterprise. Some of the areas he is responsible for include: Antiterrorism/Force Protection, Research and Technology Protection, Physical Security, Personnel Security, Access Control, Communications Security (COMSEC), Information Security, Industrial Security, Foreign Disclosure, Exports, Ship Transfers, Operations Security (OPSEC), Non-Strategic Treaty Compliance, Critical Infrastructure Protection, Continuity of Operations Planning (COOP), plus Privacy Act and Personally Identifiable Information.



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Mr. Geary earned a Master of Arts degree from the United States Naval War College in National Security and Strategic Studies, a Master of Arts Degree from the University of Richmond in Political Science and a Bachelor of Science degree in Justice and Risk Administration from Virginia Commonwealth University. He is a published author and has written on Operations Security, NATO military/political affairs and catastrophic event planning. He has been awarded the Navy Superior Civilian Service Medal (twice) and the National Interagency Award for Individual Achievement in OPSEC. In 1995 he led NAVSEA to winning the National Interagency OPSEC Organizational Achievement Award as a program manager. In 2010, he led NAVSEA to winning the National Interagency OPSEC Organizational Achievement Award as an Office Director, the only Navy Command to ever achieve the honor. He is professionally certified as an OPSEC Certified Professional (OCP).