Bradley F. Herbert



Director of Executive Support Deputy Chief of Naval Operations for Information Dominance /Director of Naval Intelligence (OPNAV N2/N6)

Mr. Bradley F. Herbert was appointed as the Director of Executive Support, Defense Intelligence Senior Level, on 16 June 2014. In this capacity he manages the coordination, facilitation, and delivery of intelligence products to senior Navy officials including the Secretary of the Navy, Chief of Naval Operations, and senior Navy staff. The broader portfolio includes representing the Navy in National and Service level analytical forums.

Prior to this appointment, Mr. Herbert served in a variety of positions within the Defense Intelligence Agency (DIA) and Joint Staff (JS) Directorate of Intelligence (J2), most recently as the Associate Deputy Director for Warning. In this capacity he handled a broad range of issues including leading the development of defense warning doctrine and outreach. Mr. Herbert's other JS and DIA assignments include serving as the first Senior Intelligence Officer (SIO) for the JS/J28 Battlespace Awareness Functional Capability Board; SIO in the Executive Support Office supporting the Under Secretary for Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics; SIO within the Directorate for Analysis (DI) Defense Warning Office; Supervisor within the Financial Executive Office responsible for programmatic issues impacting technical collection. Mr. Herbert also completed two combat support deployments in the Middle East during his tenure with DIA.

Mr. Herbert began his intelligence career with the Office of Naval Intelligence serving as an engineer responsible for all-source analysis on foreign air systems. He worked as a Navy Desk Representative in the National Military Command Center and provided intelligence support to major Navy and DoD acquisition programs. Mr. Herbert also supervised civilian and military personnel covering a wide range of technical areas. He then competed for and completed a rotational assignment to the Under Secretary of Defense for Intelligence.

Mr. Herbert holds a Bachelor of Science in Aeronautical Engineering from Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University, Master of Science in Strategic Intelligence from the Joint Military Intelligence College, Master of Strategic Studies from the United States Marine War College, and Certificate of Intelligence Studies in Strategic Warning Analysis from the National Intelligence University. He received numerous awards at the DoD, National, JS, and Agency level including the Office of the Secretary of Defense Award for Excellence, National Intelligence Meritorious Unit Citation, Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff Joint Meritorious Civilian Service Award, DIA Exceptional Civilian Service Award, DIA Civilian Combat Support Award, and DIA Civilian Expeditionary Medal.