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Ms. May is responsible for Government-wide National Industrial Security and Controlled Unclassified Information (CUI) program oversight, to include cybersecurity-related issues and compliance. In this role, she receives policy and program guidance from the National Security Council (NSC), and is pivotal in the development, coordination, and implementation of Executive Orders, Federal Regulations, Directives, and Instructions.

Ms. May previously served as the Chief of the Security Professional Education Development (SPeD) Certification Program Management Office with the Center for Development of Security Excellence (CDSE), Defense Counterintelligence and Security Agency (DCSA). In this role, she facilitated two DOD security governance boards, developed and published the DOD Security Skill Standards, and had program oversight of efforts to develop, sustain, and support professionalization of DOD, Federal, and Industry security professionals. The program portfolio consisted of five accredited certifications and four credentials tailored specifically for the security enterprise, with over 6,000 security professionals holding over 11,400 combined certifications and credentials.

Prior to that role, she served as a Security Manager with the Defense Threat Reduction Agency (DTRA); Chief, 86 AW Information Protection Office with the Air Force; Command Security Manager, Navy Munitions Command Atlantic; and as a Program Security Officer and Quality Manager within Industry. Preceding her civilian career, she served honorably in the Air Force as a Command and Control Specialist.

Ms. May earned her Bachelor of Science from University of Maryland and her Master of Business Administration from the University of Phoenix. She has also earned and maintains several security certifications: Security Fundamentals Professional Certification (SFPC), Security Asset Protection Professional Certification (SAPPC), and the Security Program Integration Professional Certification (SPIPC). Additionally, she is a certified Project Management Professional (PMP) and Lean Six Sigma Black Belt (LSSBB).