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Ronald Bushar is a seasoned, highly effective, and innovative cybersecurity leader with extensive Federal Government, Cybersecurity, Risk Management and Network Operations experience. With over 18 years of experience in the areas of information assurance, information security, cyber operations and incident response services, he has a dynamic track record of building teams and strategic solutions that drive mission performance, ensure organizational security and minimize risk.

Currently serving as Vice President for Global Government and Executive Director for Services Innovation at Mandiant, he is leading a global team of experts in security operations, incident response, security programs, industrial control system security and penetration testing. This team develops and delivers innovative security programs and solutions and services for commercial and government clients worldwide.

Prior to his work at Mandiant, Ron served as the Director of the Department of Justice Security Operations Center (JSOC) where he led transformative efforts to redefine and restructure key information security and JSOC operations and capabilities. He conducted critical Department wide security assessments and served as the project manager for major network security procurements and architecture upgrades. As the Department's Program Manager for insider threat program related issues and liaison to the National Insider Threat Task Force (NITTF), he developed and drafted Department cybersecurity policies and procedures.

Focused on rapid research, development and testing of cyber defense innovations, Ron has led in cyber incident response activities throughout the Department and its 42 federated components.

In November 2011, he received the Justice Management Division Special Commendation Award for his development management of the Department's Information Security Assessment and Insider Threat Program. He has also led the Vulnerability Assessment and Penetration Team at the National Geospatial--Intelligence Agency (NGA), and spent eight years in various cyber operation project management and support roles at ManTech International Corporation.

He started his career in the United States Air Force serving in the Information Warfare Aggressor Squadron at Lackland AFB. Today, he holds a Master of Science in Management of Information Systems and a Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering. He is a certified Project Management Professional (PMP), a Certified Information System Security Professional (CISSP), a Certified Information System Security Architecture Professional (ISSAP), and maintains a professional membership with the Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers (IEEE).