

Thomas Ruoff, Bio for NICE Conference

Current Position: Departing as Director, Cybersecurity Education Office, Dept of Homeland Security.

As the current Director, leads the DHS Cybersecurity Education Office (CEO) in meeting its mission of leading cybersecurity education, training, and workforce development for the Nation to protect against and respond to cybersecurity threats and hazards to the Homeland. His past assignment within in DHS include program manager for Einstein 3.

Prior to DHS Tom was the Director of Systems Division at Northrop Grumman, specializing in the development and operations of cross domain solution systems for the US Federal government.

Tom's journey as a Northrop Director started with an acquisition; he originally joined a small company called Windermere in Annapolis, MD which was bought by Essex Corporation which was bought by Northrop Grumman.

An experienced technical consultant, Tom spent 4 years with Booz|Allan|Hamilton as a systems engineer and group lead supporting the NSA/IAD client.

Tom's career started in the United States Air Force and included tours with the National Geospatial National Security and Defense Intelligence Agencies.