



BIOGRAPHY



UNITED STATES SPACE FORCE

MS. SHANNON PALLONE

Ms. Shannon Pallone is the Deputy Program Executive Officer, reporting to the Space Force Program Executive Officer (SFPEO), Battle Management, Command, Control & Communications, United States Space Force, Space Systems Command, Los Angeles AFB, California. She guides a \$3.29B (FY21-27) portfolio of over 13 programs and 31 sub-applications/projects encompassing a wide-range of mission areas, including enterprise ground services, information mobility, command and control, space control, cross mission data, and data transport. She assists the PEO in approving program strategies, delivering programs to meet warfighter needs, and engaging with the Air Staff, Service Acquisition Executive, the Office of the Secretary of Defense, and other Departments and Agencies. Ms. Pallone began her career with the Space and Missile Systems Center as a Presidential Management Fellow, and has held a variety of roles in the past decade, to include rotations on staff – as Chief of Acquisition Operations for the Spacelift Range and Satellite Control Network Division, as the Executive Officer to the Space and Missile Systems Center Executive Director, and as the Deputy Program Manager for GPS III Follow-on Production – before joining the MILSATCOM Directorate in November 2015.



Ms. Pallone graduated from Duke University in 1999 with Bachelor of Science degree in Geology and received her Master's Degree in Pacific International Affairs from the University of California, San Diego, in 2009. Prior to joining the civil service, she worked as a television and film development executive, for various non-profit organizations, and as a staff geologist for an environmental consulting firm.

EDUCATION

- 1999 Bachelor of Science, Geology, Minor in Russian, Duke University, Durham, North Carolina.
- 2009 Master of Pacific International Affairs, University of California, San Diego

CAREER CHRONOLOGY

1. 2009 – 2010, Lead, Program Management Developmental Programs, Space and Missile Systems Center, Los Angeles AFB, CA
2. 2010 - 2011, Project Officer, LTRS Integrated Support Contract, Space and Missile Systems Center, Los Angeles AFB, CA
3. 2011 - 2012, Chief, Acquisition Operations, Spacelift Range & Network, Space and Missile Systems Center, Los Angeles AFB, CA
4. 2012 - 2013, Executive Officer to the Executive Director, Space and Missile Systems Center, Los Angeles AFB, CA
5. 2013 - 2015, Deputy Program Manager, GPS III Follow-on Production, Space and Missile Systems Center, Los Angeles AFB, CA
6. 2015 - 2016, Branch Chief, Command & Control System-Consolidated, Space and Missile Systems Center, Los Angeles AFB, CA
7. 2016 - 2019, Materiel Leader, Protected Tactical SATCOM, Space and Missile Systems Center, Los Angeles AFB, CA
8. 2019 - 2021, Senior Materiel Leader, Tactical SATCOM, Space Development Corps, Space and Missile Systems Center, Los Angeles AFB, CA
9. 2021 - 2022, Deputy Director, Space Enterprise Corps, Space Systems Command, Los Angeles AFB, CA
10. 2022 – Present, Deputy Program Executive Officer, Battle Management, Command, Control, & Communications, Space Systems Command, Los Angeles AFB, CA

MAJOR AWARDS AND DECORATIONS

Air Force Meritorious Civilian Service Award

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