Biography of the Deputy Inspector General (Acting IG) Joseph C. Picolla



Mr. Picolla has been serving as the Acting Inspector General since June 5, 2021. He joined the Office of Inspector General, U.S. House of Representatives in 2008. Prior to serving as the Deputy Inspector General, he served as a House OIG Management Analyst, Assistant Director, and Director of the Management Advisory Services Division.

Prior to joining the office, Joseph held positions of increasing responsibility in major financial institutions managing IT service operations, including Technology Help Desks, Availability Management, Incident and Problem Management, and Application Portfolio Change Management. He also served his community by volunteering with local law enforcement for 15 years.

Joseph is a Certified Internal Auditor (CIA), a Certified Fraud Examiner (CFE), a Certified Government Auditing Professional (CGAP), Certified in Risk Management Assurance (CRMA), a Certified Forensic Interviewer (CFI), a certified Project Management Professional (PMP), certified in ITIL version 3 Foundations, and is a Lean Six Sigma Champion, Green Belt, and Black Belt. He holds a Bachelor of Science degree from Union College, Schenectady, NY.