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Mr. Bechtel is responsible for the development, prioritization, assessment, and validation of Army current and future requirements; the review and prioritization of the Army budget and program; and, the oversight of capability portfolio management for the Army senior leadership. He develops the strategic plans and exercises management authority for key Army programs to include the Army Requirements Oversight Council and the Army Requirements and Resourcing Board, the development of the Army Planning Priorities Guidance for each PPBE cycle, and the development of Army Analysis of Alternatives guidance and Army JCIDS requirements inputs. Mr. Bechtel also chairs the Army Space Council.

Mr. Bechtel most recently served as the Deputy Director for Army Plans and Policy (DA G-35) and Director of the Army Nuclear and C-WMD Agency (USANCA) where he oversaw the formulation and integration of strategies and plans for key global strategic enabling capabilities and for regionally available multi-purpose forces. Mr. Bechtel led the Army's transformation implementation planning efforts for oversees Global Posture adjustments, the contemporary Army Force Generation (ARFORGEN) process, and future Missile Defense planning. Previously, he chaired the Army Capability Mix Panel for QDR 2006 to improve the mix of capabilities to meet the ground-domain demands of the Defense Strategy, led the Army QDR 2010 efforts for High End Asymmetric Threats, and led the Army contributions to the DoD Ballistic Missile Defense, the Nuclear Posture, and the Space Posture Reviews.

As a Combat Infantryman, Mr. Bechtel had operational deployments to Latin America and to the Persian Gulf, and additional peacekeeping and partner building deployments. He has also served as the Deputy Chief of Army War Plans Division, as an Assistant Professor of Political Science at the United States Military Academy, and as both a Strategist and the Special Assistant to the Director of the White House Office of National Drug Control Policy.

Mr. Bechtel graduated from the United States Military Academy and holds a Master of Public Administration degree from Cornell University. He is a career member of the Senior Executive Service and is a Department of Defense designated National Security Professional.