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Mark Cohn is vice president engineering and chief technology officer for Unisys Federal Systems. He directs portfolio strategy and solution development for major Federal Systems programs to bring innovation to the marketplace and expand the mission impact of IT. He is organizing Unisys capabilities that enable mobility, analytics, and cloud-driven enterprise transformation and acts as technology emissary for Unisys with industry partners and enterprise customers.

Prior to his current assignment, Mark served as partner and vice president, Enterprise Security for Unisys with responsibility for the vision and management of security solutions and services programs across the company while managing the Federal Systems Enterprise Security practice. He was a principal spokesperson and leader of the Unisys global team of experts in the application of information technology to physical security and surveillance systems, transportation, and international border security and was the Unisys representative for government-industry liaison on cybersecurity and critical infrastructure protection.

Since joining Unisys in 1985, Mark has served successfully in a broad range of engineering and management positions. For several years, Mark was vice president and chief architect for Unisys Global Public Sector, where he provided technical leadership for public sector engagements in defense and domestic security. As chief engineer and technical services director for border security and critical infrastructure, he managed mission system engineering and product development for the first phase Common Operational Picture system. He was technical advisor and executive of interest for Unisys with the DoD Counterintelligence Field Activity, program manager for the Transportation Security Administration Registered Traveler pilot program and principal architect for the Department of Homeland Security US-VISIT Exit system. Prior to that, he managed the transition to Unisys of IT Production Support at the Executive Office of the President and architected the technical solution for the TSA Information Technology Managed Services contract, as well as several interagency law enforcement information sharing systems.

In 2001, Mark was chief architect for modernizing Unisys health care solutions to move from mainframe to Wintel servers and comply with HIPAA regulations. From 1997 through 2000, he was general manager of the architecture and software development practice of Federal Systems, where he directed Unisys e-government initiatives and managed a \$25 million per year portfolio of programs from sales through service delivery at the Departments of Education, HHS, HUD, and Transportation and at the FAA, Military Health Service, National Guard Bureau and GSA Public Buildings Service.

Mark is an expert in the design and implementation of trustworthy, highly available distributed systems. He began his career at Unisys as a senior systems programmer on fault-tolerant systems used for aviation infrastructure management and was the principal designer and chief engineer for nationwide critical command and control capabilities essential to air traffic control that have proven to be among the most reliable systems ever put into operation.

Mark was educated at MIT and the University of Maryland with a bachelor's degree in behavioral and social sciences. He has a graduate certificate in management information systems and a master's degree in management of technology from American University. He was a Certified Computer Programmer and is currently a Certified Information Security Manager and Project Management Professional. He resides in Washington DC.