Department of Veterans Affairs Senior Executive Biography

Bradley Houston

Deputy Chief Information Officer, Account Management Office Office of Information and Technology

Brad Houston is the current Acting Deputy Chief Information Officer (DCIO) in the Account Management Office of the Office of Information and Technology (OIT). He is responsible for overseeing the IT needs of the Veterans Benefits Administration, Veterans Health Administration, the National Cemetery Administration, and the Board of Veterans Appeals and helping these organizations plan for the needs of the future while operating their deployed field infrastructure. He leads AMO in liaising with OIT's business partners to ensure the proper execution of over one billion dollars in OIT funding, allowing these groups to provide more than 130 billion dollars a year in direct benefits to Veterans and their survivors at more than 200 points of service worldwide.



CAREER CHRONOLOGY:

2021-Present	Deputy Chief Information Officer (Acting) (SES), Account Management
	Office, Office of Information and Technology
2020 - 2021	Deputy Chief Information Officer, Benefits, Appeals and Memorials,
	Office of Information and Technology
2015 - 2020	Executive Director (SES), Office of Business Process Integration,
	Austin, TX
2011-2015	Director (GS-15), Office of Business Process Integration, Austin, TX
2009 - 2011	Deputy Director, Office of Business Process Integration, Austin TX
2007 - 2009	VBA Business Architect, Office of the Under Secretary for Benefits, Washington,
2004 - 2007	DC Supervisory Management Analyst, VBA Western Area, Phoenix, A

In addition to permanent duty assignments, Brad has served in acting Assistant Director roles at the Appeals Management Center, with the Office of Performance Analysis and Integrity, and at the Regional Offices in Atlanta., GA, and Providence, RI. He is also an Operation Desert Storm Veteran of the United States Army.

EDUCATION:

2020	business Relationship Management Training, Washington DC
2016	Senior Executives Leadership Training, Washington, DC
2014	Thinking in Business, Wizard Academy, Austin, TX
2012	Project Management Training, New Horizons, Austin, TX
2010	Agile for Executives, TEK Systems, Washington, DC
2010	Six Sigma Green Belt Training, TEK Systems, Washington, DC
2007	Leadership VA, VA Learning University, Washington, DC
2006	Assistant Director Development Program, Washington, DC
2006	Bachelor of Science in Business Management, University of Phoenix, Phoenix, AZ
2005	Basic Mediator Training, Justice Center of Atlanta, Atlanta, GA
2005	Congressional Briefings and Relationships, Georgetown University, Washington, DC
2003	Division Leadership and Management Training, VBA Academy, Baltimore, MD
2000	Introduction to Leadership, VBA Academy, Baltimore, MD