



Department of Veterans Affairs

Senior Executive Biography

Daniel McCune

Deputy CIO
Software Product Management (SPM)

As the Deputy CIO over Software Product Management in the Office of Information Technology, Mr. McCune is responsible for the lifecycle of VA's software products.

Mr. McCune has 25 years' experience leading software delivery teams – in both private and public sectors. In private industry, Mr. McCune worked for a software company where he implemented Agile and led development teams releasing commercial healthcare software. Mr. McCune transitioned to VA in 2010 when he joined the Financial Services Center (FSC). During his 8-year tenure at FSC, Mr. McCune served as a thought leader in Software Engineering and IT Program Management as well as IT innovation as he worked to introduce new methodologies, tools and practices including Agile, Portfolio/Program Management, Low-code/no-code platforms, and Digital Centers. Using principles of Lean, Agile, and Speed to Market, Mr. McCune increased project velocity and capacity while, at the same time, reducing cost. He played many roles including Development Manager, Project Manager, Division Chief, and IT Director. While at the FSC, Mr. McCune launched three new organizations: Lean Six Sigma Process Improvement Division, A Software Development Division, and PMO as a service. Most recently, Mr. McCune drove VA's DevOps and Product Management transformation to achieve better business outcomes, shorter cycle times, and improved quality. Under his leadership, cycle times were reduced by 32x while simultaneously improving reliability by 50%. Dan has also been a key leader in VA's large system integration efforts: EHRM, FMBT, and Supply Chain Modernization.



CAREER CHRONOLOGY:

2022 – present	Deputy CIO, Software Product Management, VA, OI&T, Austin, TX
2018 – 2022	Executive Director, Software Product Management, VA, OI&T, Austin, TX
2016 – 2018	Director of Program Management Office, VA, FSC, Austin TX
2014 – 2016	Chief of Software Development Division, VA, FSC, Austin TX
2014 – 2014	Senior IT Project Manager of Mobile, VA, OI&T, Austin TX
2010 – 2014	IT Project Manager, VA, FSC, Austin TX
2009 – 2010	Development Manager, KForce Government Solutions, Austin TX
2004 – 2009	Technical Product Manager, Logicare, Eau Claire WI
1999 – 2004	Lead Software Engineer, Logicare, Eau Claire WI

1997 – 1999 Software Engineer, Cargill, Minneapolis MN

MILITARY SUMMARY:

1995 – 1997 United States Air National Guard

1993 – 1994 United States Air Force Reserves

1988 – 1992 United States Air Force

EDUCATION:

1996 BBA. Management Information Systems, University of Wisconsin, Eau Claire