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Speaker Bios

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Brian co-leads the Public Sector Service Area for MorganFranklin Consulting. For over fifteen years, he has advised domestic and international senior government/military customers on a broad range of functional areas from strategic planning to grants management. Brian has lead strategic and complex projects for the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO), the United Nations (UN), the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), and the Intelligence Community (IC). He has deep experience and strong expertise with Strategic Planning, Project Management, Shared Services Design, Business Process Re-engineering (BPR), Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) Implementation, Change Management, and Organizational Design and Effectiveness.

Donna Edsall  
_Associate Director, Financial Management, Interior Business Center_

A member of the Senior Executive Service (SES), is the Associate Director for IBC’s Financial Management Directorate (FMD). In this role, she is responsible for the management and direction of the Financial Management Line of Business (FMLoB) at the Interior Business Center. The FMLoB provides accounting support, finance and procurement system management services, and indirect cost services support for both DOI and other Federal agency customers. Financial management shared services include financial and procurement software, accounting/fiscal support, core financial system hosting, operations and maintenance, travel management, quarters management, indirect cost rate negotiations, and other related services. Offices are located in Denver, CO, Reston, VA and Sacramento, CA.

Donna has a breadth of leadership experience and a record of accomplishments in the federal and private sectors. She served as the head of Advisory Services within the Audit & Assurance Division of Acuity Consulting, Inc. and an Audit and Assurance Director at PriceWaterhouseCoopers LLP. Donna also served as an SES as Assistant Auditor General for the U.S. Air Force Audit Agency and Deputy Assistant Inspector General for Technology and e-Business Audits for the U.S. Postal Service Office of Inspector General.

Donna holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Accounting from Ithaca College, a Master of Business Administration in Taxation from Golden Gate University, a Master of Science in Political Science from Auburn University, a Master of Science in Industrial-Organizational (I-O) Psychology from the University of Phoenix, and is a PhD candidate in I-O Psychology at the University of Phoenix. She is a Certified Public Accountant, Certified Defense Financial Manager, Certified Government Financial Manager, and Certified Internal Auditor. She maintains memberships in the American Institute of CPAs, the American Society of Military Comptrollers, and the Association of Government Accountants.
Hamer Legette
Deputy CFO, DC Courts

Hamer Legette is the Deputy Chief Financial and Fiscal Officer of the D.C. Courts, where he is responsible for the development, implementation and maintenance of sound financial management practices and systems, as well as in developing accounting and financial policies and procedures for the District of Columbia Courts as they pertain to its financial operations. Mr. Legette is the Executive Chair for the Executive Steering Committee for change management. He lead the Courts financial and procurement systems migration from GSA to Department of Interior (IBC) in and during fiscal years 2014 and 2015. Mr. Legette has five (5) years of experience being a customer of shared services provider with Department of Interior, Interior Business System (IBC). He is also responsible for the management and administration of the Courts’ Budget and Finance Division’s day-to-day operations, including the budgeting, accounting, banking, payroll, Defender Services and auditing functions. I assist the Chief Financial Officer on the compilation and development of the Courts’ annual budget, and for providing budget and fund status reports to Congress, the Courts’ Joint Committee on Judicial Administration, the Executive Officer, and the Clerks of the respective Courts, Division Directors, and various other judicial and ad hoc committees.

Mr. Legette spent twenty (20) years with GSA working in Shared Services with Momentum Financial system. He was responsible for forty plus agencies and Presidential Commissions budgeting and accounting operations. He led several system migrations for client agencies from other financial systems to GSA. At GSA, he was the principal contact for the client agencies for OMB, Treasury, GAO, and Congress for budgeting and financial reporting. Oversaw and worked with all types of Treasury Funds (General, Gift, Trust, Revolving, Deposit, Capital, and Miscellaneous). He received my BS degree in Accounting from the Park University in Missouri. Mr. Legette is a Veteran of the U.S. Air Force.