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Mr. Jeff Dickerson is the Technical Director (TD) for the Cybersecurity Directorate (CSD) at the National Security Agency (NSA). As the CSD TD, he is responsible for a wide variety of technical assessments, external engagements, workforce development, and strategic direction issues for NSA's cybersecurity mission.

Mr. Dickerson joined NSA in 1990 as a high school senior through the Stokes Educational Scholarship Program. He participated in the Resident Signals Engineering Program, taking a variety of technical positions, specializing in digital signal processing and analysis. He went on to serve in a variety of technical director positions at the Directorate and Deputy Directorate levels within the Signals Intelligence Directorate, before shifting to serve as the NSA/Central Security Service (CSS) Chief Architect and Chief Data Officer within the Technology Directorate from 2014-2016. Mr. Dickerson was the inaugural Technical Director for the Directorate of Operations from 2016-2018 before taking on the role of Technical Director for Computer Network Operations from 2018-2021, and most recently, he served as the Technical Director of Cryptanalysis and Signals Analysis from 2021-2024.

In 2007, Mr. Dickerson was selected for Defense Intelligence Senior Level, was awarded the Meritorious Presidential Rank Award in 2012, and awarded the Distinguished Presidential Rank Award in 2018.

Mr. Dickerson graduated from Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT) in 1994 with a Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering (and a minor in Literature), and a Master of Engineering in both Electrical Engineering and Computer Science in 1995.

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