

**Susie Adams** is the Chief Technology Officer for Microsoft Federal's Civilian business. She has over 20 years experience in IT and Computer Science and has held numerous leadership positions at Microsoft as well as several Washington area IT consulting organizations. In her present role she is responsible for managing all technical planning and IT decisions for a \$600 million dollar business. Susie is noted for her leadership in standing up Microsoft's Technology Center for the Washington DC region and is an accomplished author on the topics of IT Integration and Web based development. Her most recent a book in on the topic of the development of standards based Office Business Applications. Susie is a graduate George Mason University.

### **Henry Chao, CMS Chief Technology Officer (CTO)**

Mr. Henry Chao currently serves as the principal advisor to Agency leadership and a key decision-maker on technology, technical standards, architecture, systems development, and systems integration for a wide-ranging portfolio of healthcare data and systems. Mr. Chao also represents CMS on matters of technology alignment for administrative systems with the DHHS and other Federal initiatives established by the OMB and any cross-agency collaboration necessary to ensure success and compliance. Mr. Chao also is a key participant in planning and executing strategies to address significant challenges in creating interoperability between Federal, State, and Commercial healthcare data and systems. Most recently, Mr. Chao has been engaged with the Social Security Administration and the CMS Office of Legislation, leading various cross-agency initiatives to produce briefings in response to pending legislation to better inform Congressional staffers on various policy, operations, impact, and cost considerations. In addition, Mr. Chao represents the agency on the Federal Security Strategy Workgroup formed by the Office of the National Coordinator for Health IT, the Federal Health Architecture Program Office, and the DHHS Chief Information Security Officer. Mr. Chao chairs the CMS Technical Review Board (TRB) and the CTO Technical Advisory Committee (CTAC). The TRB and CTAC provide support for the Agency's IT Governance processes. As the CMS CTO, Mr. Chao has great appreciation and knowledge of not just the Medicare and Medicaid domains, but all aspects of the nation's healthcare delivery mechanisms and the data and systems that support them.

Mr. Chao began his career at CMS in 1994 when the agency was still known as the Healthcare Financing Administration. He spent close to 10 years working with State Medicaid Programs on systems funding policy (cost sharing between the Federal and State Governments), attempting to drive innovation and efficiencies in sharing common information architectures, operational improvements in managing healthcare providers, and service delivery to healthcare consumers. Mr. Chao provided National level leadership in guiding the State Medicaid Programs on Y2K remediation, planning and executing the implementation of the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act's

(HIPAA) standard transactions and code sets, and the creation of a common enterprise architecture framework called the Medicaid IT Architecture (MITA) Framework, which has been widely adopted by most states. In 2004, Mr. Chao joined the Office of Information Services and was put in charge of the final design and implementation phases of the systems that were being developed to support the Medicare Prescription Drug Program (known as Medicare Part D). Serving in the role of the Medicare Part C and D Systems Implementation Manager, Mr. Chao was able to meet the production deadline of January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2006 of over 10 major systems to enroll 29 million beneficiaries for the new Medicare Prescription Drug Program.

Mr. Chao graduated Summa Cum Laude from St. Mary's College of Maryland with a BA in Economics. Prior to coming to CMS in 1994, Mr. Chao served honorably in the US Navy from 1984 to 1994. Mr. Chao was a finalist in the Citizen Services category of the prestigious Service to America Award in 2007.



**Ms. Linda Y. Cureton** is the Chief Information Officer (CIO) of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) Goddard Space Flight Center (GSFC) and leads the Information Technology and Communications Directorate. As the CIO, Ms. Cureton is responsible for ensuring that GSFC's information assets are acquired and managed consistent with Agency and Federal Government policies. She is responsible for ensuring that the Center's Information Technology strategy aligns with NASA's vision, mission, and strategic goals. The CIO provides the information infrastructure and tools that effectively and securely support management, science, research, and technology programs; develops, implements, and operates specialized IT systems to support mission planning and operation; and provides systems that disseminate information to the public and that preserve NASA's information assets.

Prior to her arrival at GSFC, Ms. Cureton was the Deputy Chief Information Officer of the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, and Firearms (ATF) and led the Office of Science and Technology as Deputy Assistant Director. The Office of Science and Technology is responsible for providing leadership in the innovative and efficient application of science and technology used to collect, clarify, and communicate information needed to reduce violent crime, collect revenue and protect the public. As the ATF Deputy CIO, she was responsible for ensuring that the use of Information Technology for the Bureau's mission and business requirements fulfill customer and stakeholder needs.

Previously, Ms. Cureton served as Associate CIO, Acting Deputy CIO, and Acting CIO of the Department of Energy. There, she had a broad range of responsibilities including: strategic planning, network and information security, information architecture, capital planning and IT investment, network and telecommunications services, operational support of voice, data, video, LAN/WAN, and computer systems, and application development and maintenance for corporate systems.

Ms. Cureton also served the Department of Justice in the Justice Management Division and was responsible for managing the Department of Justice Data Centers, which supported mission critical computing requirements for the Drug Enforcement Administration, Bureau of Prisons, and the Immigration and Naturalization Service.

As a strong advocate for the practical application of technology, she serves as a member of organizations such as the Government Information Technology Investment Council, the American Council for Technology, and Women in Technology.

Ms. Cureton earned a Bachelor of Science Degree from Howard University in 1980 graduating magna cum laude with a major in Mathematics and a minor in Latin. She also received a Master of Science Degree in Applied Mathematics from Johns Hopkins University in 1994, and a Post-Master's Advanced Certificate in Applied Mathematics from Johns Hopkins University in 1996. She performed extensive research in numerical analysis and has been published in the "Journal of Sound and Vibration."

She currently resides in Maryland with her husband and mother.



**David Kelly**  
**Information Assurance Solutions Director**

David Kelly is the Information Assurance Solutions Director at Citizant. In this position, he works with Federal agencies to develop comprehensive information assurance and security strategies to ensure that their applications, systems, and data are protected.

Kelly brings to Citizant an expertise in Information Security and Assurance. He has twenty years of software development experience using multiple platforms and languages, with more than 10 years experience leading and managing software development teams. Kelly has worked with numerous government systems such as web based e-commerce, document management, workflow, and basic transaction processing systems. He has implemented secure software development practices and techniques for multiple government clients, including the U.S. Departments of Energy and Homeland Security and the Patent and Trademark Office.

Most recently, Kelly was an Associate with Booz Allen Hamilton where he was the technical lead for the Assurance and Resilience Security Group. In this capacity, he was responsible for identifying, evaluating, and testing Data Loss Prevention (DLP) for the Defense Finance and Accounting System network.

Previously, he was Technical Director and Software Architect at QinetiQ, WebCritical Technologies, and Software Performance Systems. He was a Principal Consultant and Center of Excellence Coach for Texas Instruments. Kelly also served as an instructor for Learning Tree and began his career as a Systems Analyst for CALIBRE Systems.

He has a Masters Degree in Information Security and Assurance and is a Certified Information Systems Security Professional, Certified Information Systems Auditor, and a Microsoft Certified Professional.

**David Linthicum** (Dave) is an internationally known Enterprise Application Integration (EAI), Enterprise Architecture, Service Oriented Architecture (SOA), and Cloud Computing expert. In his career, Dave has formed or enhanced many of the ideas behind modern distributed computing including EAI, B2B Application Integration, and SOA, approaches and technologies in wide use today.

Currently, Dave is the founder of David S. Linthicum, LLC, a consulting organization dedicated to excellence in SOA product development, SOA implementation, corporate SOA strategy, and leveraging the next generation Web (Web 2.0). Dave is the former CEO of BRIDGEWERX, former CTO of Mercator Software, and has held key technology management roles with a number of organizations including CTO of SAGA Software, Mobil Oil, EDS, AT&T, and Ernst and Young. Dave is on the board of directors serving Bondmart.com, and provides advisory services for several venture capital organizations and key technology companies.

In addition, Dave was an associate professor of computer science for eight years, and continues to lecture at major technical colleges and universities including the University of Virginia, Arizona State University, and the University of Wisconsin. Dave keynotes at many leading technology conferences on application integration, SOA, Web 2.0, and enterprise architecture, and has appeared on a number of TV and radio shows as a computing expert.

Dave has authored over 800 articles and columns for major computing publications, and has monthly columns in several popular industry magazines including Web Services/SOA Journal and Business Integration Journal. Dave writes the Real World SOA blog on InfoWorld.com, and hosts the InfoWorld SOA Report Podcast. He is also a columnist and blogger for Intelligent Enterprise. Dave has authored or co-authored ten books including David Linthicum's Guide to Client/Server and Intranet Development, and the groundbreaking and best selling Enterprise Application Integration, released in 1998. His latest book, Next Generation Application Integration, is also a best seller.