

BIOGRAPHY

PATRICK R. HILLER

Mr. Patrick R. Hiller is a Procurement Analyst in the Air Force Office of Small and Disadvantaged Business Utilization, Washington, DC.

Patrick received his Bachelor's degree in Sociology from Old Dominion University, Norfolk, Virginia in 1972 and his Master's degree in Organizational Management from George Washington University, Washington, DC in 1999.

He served in the U.S. Marine Corps as a prison guard and administrative officer from December 1968 through September 1970. He held positions in several private sector companies until 1976.

He entered civil service in April 1976 as a procurement intern for the Army in the Pentagon. From April 1976 to September 1981, he served in a number of positions where he negotiated and awarded contracts as a contracting officer.

He came to the Air Force Small Business Office in September 1981, where he has assisted the Director in developing various programs to aid small businesses in obtaining Air Force contracts. He was the first Air Force Mentor-Protégé program manager and served in this position for 6 years.

In his current position, he is the Air Force representative to the Defense Acquisition Regulation Council on matters concerning small business and serves as the primary interface to the Office of the Secretary of Defense on small business issues. He also develops and executes Air Force policy and programs in a variety of areas including subcontracting and small disadvantaged business. He also prepares, defends and executes the budget for the Air Force Small Business Program.