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Kathryn M. Yurkanin was selected for the Senior Executive Service in January 2020 to serve as the Principal Deputy Chief of Legislative Liaison, Office of the Chief of Legislative Liaison (OCLL), Office of the Secretary of the Army. As the Principal Deputy to the Chief of Legislative Liaison, Mrs. Yurkanin participates in developing policies and plans, and integrating and coordinating execution of all OCLL functions and activities. She advises and assists the Army leadership on legislative aspects of DA policies, plans and programs and prepares leadership for Congressional engagements.

#### **CAREER CHRONOLOGY:**

- 2016 2020: Director, Congressional Affairs Assistant Secretary of the Army for Acquisition, Logistics and Technology (ASA (ALT)); Washington, DC
- 2016 –2016: Acting Director, Acquisition Policy and Oversight Directorate; Fort Belvoir, VA
- 2011 –2016: Acquisition Policy and Oversight Directorate Acquisition Specialist and Congressional Affairs Officer; Fort Belvoir, VA
- 2005 –2011: Congressional Affairs Officer; Fort Belvoir, VA
- 2004 –2005: Office of Management & Budget Army-Detailed Budget Examiner; Washington, DC
- 2002 –2004: Congressional Budget Liaison Officer; Washington, DC
- 2001 –2002: Congressional Fellow-Office of Congressman Silvestre Reyes; Washington, DC
- 1985 2005: United States Army

#### **COLLEGE:**

- MS, Naval War College Newport, Rhode Island, 2000
- MS, George Mason University, Virginia, 1995
- BA, Mount Saint Mary's University, Maryland, 1985

## **AWARDS AND HONORS:**

• Superior Civilian Service Award (2016)(2020)

## PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS AND ASSOCIATIONS:

• Member, Army Acquisition Corps