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Mr. Tonon currently serves as the Senior Director for Intelligence, he is responsible for advising the Deputy Under Secretary of the Navy (Policy) (DUSN(P)) on all aspects of the field, to include budgetary, policy, and technical matters. He was appointed to the Defense Intelligence Senior Level in December 2016.

Prior to joining the DUSN(P)'s staff, Mr. Tonon held a number of positions at Johns Hopkins Applied Physics Lab (APL). While at APL, he was both a manager and a senior advisor on the use of analytics to support national security decision making. Additionally, he is also an officer in the Navy Reserve with significant experience in intelligence (Transportation Command and Office of Naval Intelligence) programming and budgeting (OPNAV N80 and N95), and special operations and irregular warfare (Naval Special Warfare Squadron Five, Naval Special Warfare Development Group, and Naval Special Warfare Command). He has also held a number of academic positions and been a consultant to both industry and the intelligence community.

Mr. Tonon completed his undergraduate studies at the University of Rochester. After learning about experimental economics and game theory as an undergraduate, he did his graduate work in game theory at Washington University in Saint Louis. He received his doctorate in 2003. His dissertation focused on organizational design and small group decision making.