
WILLIAM S. KNOLL



Program Manager Commissioned Submarines Naval Reactors

Mr. Knoll has more than 33 years of experience in positions of increasing responsibility in the Naval Reactors Program. He started his career as a Nuclear Power School instructor and has served in the Naval Reactors Headquarters offices of the Deputy Director, Regulatory Affairs, Nuclear Technology Division, and as a field assistant in the Idaho Branch Office at the Naval Reactors Facility. From 2001 through 2006 he served as the Program's Director of Radiological Controls.

Mr. Knoll was assigned as the Naval Reactors Representative (NRR) for Northrop Grumman Shipbuilding in 2006. In this role, he and his staff provided independent oversight of technical activities for new construction, overhaul, repair, modification, testing and operation of Naval nuclear propulsion plants for the purpose of ensuring the Program's reactor safeguards measures are not compromised.

In January 2014, Mr. Knoll was selected as the Program Manager for Commissioned Submarines (08O). In this role, he and his staff oversee all aspects of the Nation's commissioned submarines, including operating instructions, maintenance, modernization, and inactivation, ensuring the submarine fleet fully supports national defense objectives.

Mr. Knoll has a Bachelor of Science in Chemistry from Birmingham-Southern College and Master of Engineering Administration in Industrial and Systems Engineering from Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University. He is married to the former Celeste Johnston and currently resides in Alexandria, Virginia.