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Mr. Nidak Sumrean joined the federal government service in April 1989 as an Aerospace Engineer at the Marine Corps Depot Cherry Point NC. In 1991, Mr. Sumrean relocated to NAVAIR where he was assigned responsibility for acquisition and system engineering on the Arleigh Burke (DDG 51) ship class. Mr. Sumrean also spent many days at sea developing and testing aviation envelopes that provided the basis for safe operation of the V-22 and AV-8B aircraft aboard amphibious ships.

In 1992, Mr. Sumrean joined the NAVAIR Cost Estimating department where he was responsible for developing cost estimates and acquisition strategies for Program Executive Office, Tactical Aircraft programs. After BRAC decisions of 1996, Mr. Sumrean relocated to the NAVSEA Cost Engineering and Industrial Analysis division where he was responsible for system and cost support to the Program Executive Office, Theater Surface Combatants. In 2003, he served as the primary advisor for Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Navy for ships on issues related to the shipbuilding industrial base and acquisition oversight of all amphibious and auxiliary ship construction and conversion programs.

In 2007, Mr. Sumrean was selected as the deputy program manager of the newly formed Strategic and Theater sealift program office. He was responsible for program management of Joint High Speed Vessel (JHSV) program.

In 2009, Mr. Sumrean was selected for the Senior Executive Service position of Director, Cost Engineering and Industrial Analysis, Naval Sea Systems Command. In 2015, Mr. Sumrean was selected as the Executive Director of the Program Executive Office, (PEO), Littoral Combat Ships (LCS). He serves as the senior civilian official responsible for the daily operations of the PEO. His experience is supplemented by education, including a bachelor's degree from North Carolina State University in Aerospace Engineering and master's degrees in Systems Management from Capitol University, National Resource Strategy along with a Senior Acquisition Course certificate from the National Defense University. Mr. Sumrean is DAWIA level III certified in Program Management, System Engineering and Business Cost Estimating.

Mr. Sumrean is the recipient of the Department of the Navy Meritorious and Superior Civilian Service Medals.