



Paul W. Lovelady is vice president of supply chain management (SCM) for the Raytheon Intelligence and Information Systems business.

Lovelady is responsible for all SCM functions, including small business development, purchasing, subcontract management, property management and logistics. His responsibilities include development and execution of SCM strategic goals, business development, sales forecasting, program execution, audit support and IIS supply chain management reporting.

Lovelady joined the company in the summer of 1983 as a co-op employee in finance and became a full-time employee in the spring of 1984. Since then he has progressed through a series of key positions of increasing responsibility.

His early assignments included responsibility for financial program controls supporting multiple programs for the electronic warfare product line. His management responsibilities included proposal development, pricing strategies, teaming agreements, strategic alliances, proprietary information agreements, subcontractor negotiations and supplier performance.

Biography

He was subsequently promoted to cost and price analyst for subcontracts. He next served as material operations administrator for the material acquisition department, prior to being promoted to senior subcontract manager.

In that position, Lovelady was responsible for subcontracting support for multiple product areas, including electronic warfare, tactical systems, space systems and high-performance supercomputing.

In 2001, Lovelady was named director of supply chain management for the Imagery and Geospatial Systems business unit of Raytheon Command, Control, Communication and Information Systems. He accepted his current position in 2002.

Throughout his career, Lovelady has contributed to shaping strategic goals for the supply chain management organization, sales forecasting and subcontract management.

Lovelady also serves as the Raytheon Intelligence and Information Systems Diversity Champion and is a Raytheon Six Sigma™ qualified specialist.

Lovelady received his bachelor's degree in finance and information systems from Baylor University in 1984.