

# **U.S. Naval Institute 2022 Board of Directors Ballot Candidate Profiles**



## **The Honorable Christine H. Fox**

Ms. Christine Fox is Assistant Director for Policy and Analysis at the Johns Hopkins Applied Physics Laboratory, a position she has held since 2014.

Previously, Ms. Fox served as acting Deputy Secretary of Defense from 2013 to 2014. With her appointment, she became the highest-ranking woman to work in the Pentagon. From 2009 to 2013, she served as Director of Cost Assessment and Program Evaluation in the Office of the Secretary of Defense and, prior to that, as president of the Center for Naval Analyses from 2005 to 2009.

Ms. Fox holds bachelor's and master of science degrees from George Mason University.



**Mr. William J. Hannigan**

Mr. William Hannigan is the former president and chief operating officer of AT&T. Joining the firm in late 2003, he helped lead AT&T through a challenging time in its and the industry's history.

Previously, Mr. Hannigan served as chairman and CEO at Sabre Holdings, an S&P 500 company and a world leader in travel commerce, distribution, and technology. He served as chairman of the board of Travelocity.com. He also served as a senior corporate officer with Sprint, Pacific Bell, and SBC Communications.

He was appointed by President George W. Bush to the President's Information Technology Advisory Committee and the National Security Telecommunications Advisory Committee in 2001 and 2004, respectively. He also has served on many corporate and non-profit boards and advisory committees.

Mr. Hannigan enlisted in the Navy in 1977, serving on board the submarine USS *Jack* (SSN-605). He holds a master of business administration from the University of Colorado.



**ADM Harry B. Harris Jr., USN (Ret.)**

Admiral Harry Harris served as Commander, U.S. Pacific Fleet, from 2013 to 2015 and then as Commander, U.S. Pacific Command, until his retirement from the Navy in 2018. He subsequently was appointed U.S. ambassador to South Korea, serving until January 2021.

A 1978 graduate of the U.S. Naval Academy, Admiral Harris was designated as a naval flight officer (NFO) in 1979. He commanded Patrol Squadron 46, Patrol and Reconnaissance Wing 1, Joint Task Force-Guantanamo, the U.S. 6th Fleet, and Striking and Support Forces NATO. He has served in every geographic combatant command region and participated in Operations Earnest Will, Desert Shield/Desert Storm, Southern Watch, Enduring Freedom, Iraqi Freedom, Willing Spirit, and Odyssey Dawn. Admiral Harris' staff assignments include three tours on the Navy staff, including Deputy Chief of Naval Operations for Communication Networks. He also served as the Assistant to the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, 2011–13. In this capacity he traveled globally as the Chairman's personal representative to the Secretary of State.

Admiral Harris has logged 4,400 flight hours, including more than 400 combat hours, in maritime patrol and reconnaissance aircraft. Prior to his retirement, he was the Navy's "Gray Owl," the NFO who had held this designation for the longest period, and the "Old Goat," the longest-serving Naval Academy graduate still on active duty.

He holds a master's of public administration from Harvard's John F. Kennedy School of Government and a master's degree in national security studies from Georgetown University. He was also an MIT Seminar 21 fellow for the 1999–2000 class.



**RADM Margaret Klein, USN (Ret.)**

Rear Admiral Margaret Klein is the Dean of Leadership and Ethics at the Naval War College. Before retiring from the Navy in 2017, her last active-duty assignment was as the Secretary of Defense's Advisor for Military Professionalism. Prior to that, she served as Chief of Staff for the Joint Staff J5 (Strategy, Plans, and Policy) and U.S. Cyber Command.

Previous assignments include command of an expeditionary strike group in combat operations in the Mediterranean Sea, director of Operations for the Navy Network Warfare Command, 82nd Commandant of Midshipmen at the U.S. Naval Academy, and command of an E-6 squadron and the Navy's nuclear command-and-control wing. She has more than 4,500 flight hours in the EC-130 and E-6.

Rear Admiral Klein holds a bachelor's degree from the U.S. Naval Academy, a master's degree from the University of Southern Maine, and a doctor of education from the University of Pennsylvania.



**The Honorable Ellen M. Lord**

Ms. Ellen Lord served as Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and Sustainment from August 2017 to January 2021. Prior to her appointment, she was president and chief executive officer of Textron Systems, a multibillion-dollar company with products and services supporting defense, homeland security, aerospace, and infrastructure protection for clients around the world.

Ms. Lord is the former vice chairman of the National Defense Industrial Association and has previously served on the boards of the U.S. India Business Council and the Defense Technology Initiative. She recently was appointed to the board of AAR, a global provider of aviation services, and serves as an advisor to a number of companies.

She holds a bachelor's degree in chemistry from Connecticut College and a master's degree in chemistry from the University of New Hampshire.



**ADM Michael S. Rogers, USN (Ret.)**

Admiral Michael Rogers retired in June 2018, after nearly 37 years of Navy service. He culminated his career with more than four years leading U.S. Cyber Command and the National Security Agency. Admiral Rogers has also served as the Director for Intelligence for both the Joint Chiefs of Staff and U.S. Pacific Command, and as commander, U.S. Fleet Cyber Command/U.S. 10th Fleet.

Duties afloat have included service as a surface warfare officer on board the USS *Caron* (DD-970); as the senior cryptologist on the staff of commander, Carrier Group 2/*John F. Kennedy* Carrier Strike Group; and on the staff of Commander, U.S. Sixth Fleet, embarked in the USS *Lasalle* (AGF-3). Ashore, he has commanded Naval Security Group Activity Winter Harbor, Maine; and has served at Naval Security Group Department; Naval Station Rota, Spain; Naval Military Personnel Command; Commander in Chief, U.S. Atlantic Fleet; the Bureau of Personnel; and Commander, Naval Security Group Command.

An NROTC graduate of Auburn University, Admiral Rogers holds a master's degree in national security, is a distinguished graduate of the National War College, and a graduate of highest distinction from the Naval War College.