

Jeffrey R. Sgarlata

Chief of Staff



Mr. Jeffrey Sgarlata serves as the Chief of Staff for the Defense Threat Reduction Agency (DTRA). In this capacity, he is responsible for standardization of all administrative and operational support activities. His office enables well-informed strategic, operational, and tactical decisions; facilitates communication across the organization; and exercises authorities, as defined by the DTRA Director and Deputy Director. Mr. Sgarlata manages agency processes for the development of CWMD and emerging threat directives and issuances in response to DoD changes in guidance, funding, priorities, and provides guidance regarding the strategic planning for near-term and long-term objectives across the organization.

Mr. Sgarlata is a 26-year, Air Force veteran retiring in the grade of Colonel in 2022. In his final active duty assignment he served as the Ninth Air Force (United States Air Forces Central), Director of Intelligence. In the course of his military career, he served in multiple Air Force and joint assignments across Europe, the Middle East, and the Far East

Mr. Sgarlata is a two-time graduate of the United States Air Force Weapons School and a graduate of the School of Advanced Air and Space Studies. He received a Master of Strategic Studies from The United States Army War College in 2015, Master of Airpower Art and Science from Air University in 2010, a Master of Arts in Strategic Intelligence from American Military University in 2005, and Bachelor of Arts in Economics and Foreign Affairs from the University of Virgina in 1996.

