

Mr. Tyler is the Chief Information Security Officer (CISO) and Chief Privacy Officer (CPO) and Program Manager for Mint's Cyber Security Program. Mr. Tyler oversees Mint's Authorization and Assessment implementation, Defense Cyber Operations (DCO) tool development and Security Operation Center (SOC). Mr. Tyler leads the Cyber Protection and Privacy of all of Mint's assets and data. He is responsible for protecting Mint from cyber activities and leading Mint's response to cyber threats.

Prior to assuming the role of CISO & CPO, Mr. Tyler was the Perimeter Defense Portfolio Manager within the Cyber Development Directorate in the Defense Information Systems Agency (DISA). Where he led and oversaw the development of cyber capabilities for all of the Department of Defense's Boundaries. Mr. Tyler led the integration of capabilities from IC partners and led the deployment of next generational cyber capabilities at DOD's boundaries.

Prior to assuming the role of Perimeter Portfolio Manager, Mr. was the Branch Chief of the Internet Protection Branch (ID51) within the Cyber Development Directorate in the Defense Information Systems Agency (DISA). The Internet Protection Branch develops and deploys Defensive Cyber Operations (DCO) solutions to enforce efficient, effective, and critical security measures that protect the Department of Defense Information Network (DoDIN) at the Internet Access Points (IAPs) from malicious attacks. ID51 efforts help to maintain a secure and collaborative cyber environment that enables DoD missions to succeed.

Prior to assuming the role of Chief in Internet Protection Branch, Mr. Tyler was the Lead Engineer for the SIPRNet Releasable Demilitarized Zone (SIPR REL DMZ) and the SIPRNet Federal Demilitarized Zone (SIPR FED DMZ) from 2011 - 2018. In this role, he was responsible for engineering and designing solutions that would improve our ability to share and collaborate classified information with our FVEY coalition and Non-DoD Federal mission partners that support real world operations.

Mr. Tyler began his career with in 2004 enlisting in the United States Navy. He graduated IT "A" School in 2005 becoming an Information Technician and was assigned to STRKFITRON TWO ONE ONE (VFA-211). Where he deployed consecutively in 2006 and 2007 on the USS Enterprise to support Operation Enduring Freedom (OEF) and Operation Iraqi Freedom (OIF). Mr. Tyler learned how to think under pressure and what it meant to lead at all levels and was awarded Junior Sailor of the Quarter while on deployment while also obtaining his Enlisted Surface Warfare (ESWS) and Enlisted Air Warfare (EAWS) qualifications. Throughout Mr. Tyler's naval career, he exemplified honor, courage and commitment and enhanced the careers of sailors under him by constantly mentoring and leading by example. Mr. Tyler departed the Navy in 2013 and pursued a career in the commercial sector as a Defense contractor where he quickly rose through ranks from Network Engineer to Deputy Program Manager prior to joining DISA as a civilian employee.

Mr. Tyler obtained his first degree which was an Associates of Applied Science (AAS) in Information Technology from the State of New York University Empire State College (SUNY

ESC) while on active duty in 2012. He later enrolled into the University of Maryland University College (UMUC) in Adelphi, MD where he completed a Bachelor's of Science in Computer Networks and Cybersecurity in 2017. Mr. Tyler received a Master of Science degree in Cybersecurity Technology and was awarded a Graduate Certificate in Cybersecurity Technology in 2019 from UMUC.