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Prior to joining A&S, she started her own company and consulted for the Joint Artificial Intelligence Center (JAIC). Ms. Cuff supported the initial start of the JAIC, working across the team to support the overall program and funding strategy.

Before the JAIC, she supported the United States Air Force (USAF) and the initiation of Kessel Run, one of the first programs in the USAF to adopt DevSecOps and to continuously deliver valuable capability to the warfighter. Ms. Cuff was the lead of the Agile Acquisition branch within Kessel Run conducting oversight of all program management, contracting, and budget.

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