



## Thomas H. Blackstock, Jr.

### Senior Project Manager

Mr. Blackstock is a seasoned leader and manager with thirty-five years of experience developing high performance teams in the business and military sectors. He has experience in developing high value, strategic initiatives in new and challenging conditions with unique critical thinking, problem solving and relationship building skills. Mr. Blackstock is a decorated veteran with the innate ability to identify issues, develop solutions, optimize resources, drive efficiencies and lead teams that deliver remarkable results.

### Education

Georgia Institute of Technology  
1987 BS Civil Engineering

Touro University International  
2004 Master of Business Administration

US Army War College  
2008 Master of Strategic Studies

### Professional Associations

Licensed Professional Engineer  
Commonwealth of Virginia

Certified Defense Financial Manager  
American Society of Military Comptrollers

Certified Construction Documents Technologist  
Construction Specifications Institute

### Professional Experience

**David Pattillo & Associates, Inc. – (Present) Senior Project Manager** Provides professional construction management consulting services to various complex, multimillion dollar projects. Services include project management, contract administration and management, cost control, analysis of scheduling delays and conflicts, analysis of change orders, and dispute resolution support.

Analyzes costs, schedules and quality of construction and develops strategies for successful project completion. Provides forensic analysis and dispute resolution services to support mediation, arbitration and litigation. Provides construction management oversight, develops solutions to overcome barriers to success and informs clients of positive results.

Projects include multifamily housing, commercial buildings, airfields, roads, bridges, pipelines, parking structures and other facilities in the public and private sectors. He is experienced in working with owners, architects, engineers, other design professionals, attorneys, insurers, sureties, contractors, regulatory agencies, government entities and end users.

Responsible for marketing and business development focused on services and support to local, state, and federal government clients.

**78th Troop Command, Georgia National Guard (2016-Present) President/Chief Executive Officer** Led and managed a force of 2,500 Soldiers; supervised all staffing, training, equipping, and operating for units throughout the State of Georgia; prepared units for deployment in support of domestic operations and expeditionary contingencies overseas. Responsible for the management of an annual budget of over \$10 million and a property inventory of over \$100 million.

**Georgia National Guard (2014-2016) Chief Financial Officer** Reported directly to the Chief, National Guard Bureau (NGB) (Four Star General); supervised a staff of 75 professionals that support a force of 15,000 Soldiers, Airmen and Civilians responsible for the management, administration, coordination, planning, execution and supervision of all Federal funds and property with an annual budget of over \$500 million and a property inventory of over \$3 billion. Served as the principal advisor to the Adjutant General of Georgia (Two Star General) and the Army and Air National Guard of Georgia regarding federal property and fiscal operations for the state.

**Georgia National Guard (2012-2014) Executive Vice President/Chief Operating Officer/Chief of Staff** Supervised a staff of 50 professionals that support a force of 15,000 Soldiers, Airmen and Civilians responsible for the management and direction, administration, coordination, planning, development, execution and supervision of all Joint Staff programs that prepare the state for contingency

operations in either a federal or state emergency and federal military mobilizations. Served as the Chief and principal spokesman of the Joint Staff and acted in the absence of the Director of the Joint Staff in all matters. Supervised the Manpower and Personnel; Intelligence; Operations; Logistics; Strategic Plans, Policy, and Interagency Interoperability; Command, Control, Communications and Computers; Doctrine, Training and Force Development; Force Structure, Resources, and Assessment; and Family and Soldier Programs Directorates.

**NATO International Security Assistance Force (ISAF), Kabul, Afghanistan (2012) Senior Advisor for Intergovernmental Affairs** Synchronized compliance with the NATO Military Technical Agreement. Coordinated with central points of contact for the Government of the Islamic Republic of Afghanistan, Supreme Headquarters, Allied Powers in Europe, Allied Joint Forces Command Brunssum, NATO Support and Procurement Agency, United Nations Assistance Mission in Afghanistan, US Embassy, other embassies and organizations. Served as the US Senior National Representative at HQ, ISAF supervising personnel actions, awards, housing support and travel funding for approximately 1000 US Joint Service Members and Civilians.

**Georgia National Guard (2010-2012) Senior Vice President, Plans, Operations and Training** Supervised a staff of 25 planning, training and operations professionals responsible for planning, coordinating and resourcing all plans, training and operations for a force of 11,200 Soldiers. Developed policies, prepared budgets and prioritized requirements to meet mission goals and objectives and managed accountability and execution of an annual budget of over \$85 million. Simultaneous military assignment as Commander, 78th Troop Command (Brigade).

**Georgia National Guard (2008-2010) Vice President, Property and Financial Management Operations** Served as the principal advisor to the Commanding General and senior staff regarding property and fiscal operations for the state and served as the Deputy US Property and Fiscal Officer/G8/J8 responsible for planning, programming, coordinating and directing state property and fiscal operations and functions for the state Army National Guard (ARNG) and Air National Guard (ANG) with an annual budget of \$500 million, a capital budget of \$50 million and a property inventory of over \$1 billion. Simultaneous military assignments as Commander, 265th Engineer Group (Combat), then as Commander, 265th Support Group (Regional) and then Commander, 78th Troop Command (Brigade).

**Georgia National Guard (2002-2008) Vice President, Facilities Planning, Design, Construction, and Maintenance Management** Served as principal advisor to the Commanding General and senior staff on all aspects of construction, facilities management, environmental compliance and other associated programs and managed program planning, development, administration,

coordination, execution, and quality control of the programs, including policy development, project management, total requirements budgeting, contracting, and financial/cost accounting including an annual budget of \$20 million, a capital budget of \$30 million and a real property inventory of over 800 buildings in 60 cities. Managed the largest construction program to date in the history of the Georgia Army National Guard and managed the acquisition of over 100 acres of property and over 750,000 square feet of buildings. Supervised a work force of technical experts including professional architects, engineers, engineering technicians, environmentalists, skilled craftspeople, and persons in administrative specialties such as budgeting, contracting, data processing, real estate, and personnel. Simultaneous military assignments as Commander, 648th Engineer Battalion (Sapper), then as Deputy Commander, 265th Engineer Group (Combat) and then as Executive Officer, 78th Troop Command (Brigade).