

**Joseph Bechtold**  
(202) 841-8409  
joe.bechtold@camberconsult.com

## RESUME SUMMARY

### INTEREST

Assisting federal government Program Managers to field high technology projects; working across all project and program management domains. Onsite, dedicated advisor and working member of high functioning PMO.

- Both Program (PgMP) and Project (PMP) Management Professional certifications; Project Management Institute
- Current DoD Top Secret (SCI) and DHS Public Trust Security Clearances
- CMMI, ISO-9000, OMB-300/Capital Asset Planning, Intergovernmental Appropriations Law, COTR certifications
- Innovator and leader in government, commercial and military sectors

### Management

- Government Program Manager: Managed significant organizational change; fully transitioned Presidential aircraft fleet logistics from military/civil service to contractor in under one year; supervised 26 quality assurance and procurement personnel on largest and most visible A-76 outsourcing effort for United States Air Force.
- Technology Acquisition Management: Fielded technology projects including FBI Investigative Data Warehouse; Airborne Battlefield Command and Control Center; multiple aviation Satcomm, INMARSAT, UHF, VHF, HF, GPS, Radar, INS, Intercommunication, Communications Switching Systems.
- Commercial Contracting: As General Manager, grew division from 55 to over 110 people and from \$11M to over \$25M in annual contracts in under 18 months; managed 15 separate contracts; negotiated rates, follow-ons/extensions; never lost a single contract or position; oversaw company's operations on nationally visible programs such as Secure Border Initiative, Radiation Portal Monitor, Non-Intrusive Inspection systems, Unmanned Aerial Vehicle, License Plate Reader, etc.
- Small Business: As President, expanded business from expediting to integrated web services, on-site education and national level conferences; delivered customized services to 7,000 customers for 25,000 products.
- Aviation: Private Pilot (Instrument); Airframe and Powerplant Mechanic; FCC Radiotelephone (with Radar)

### Communication

- Conducted an assessment of recurring problems and financial reporting provided by SPAWAR to a FBI program. Identified numerous deficient areas, root causes, elaborated them and offered multiple solution options. Developed and presented briefing to FBI senior executives.
- Conducted award term board for senior Air Force leadership; established success metrics and proposed award of additional contract years; steered contractor process improvement.
- Evaluated IT project acquisition plan; suggested changes that include transitioning future phases to Performance Based Services vehicle for both acquisition and management initiatives; mentored COTR and CO by analyzing contract labor categories and developing negotiation strategy for proposed substitutions.
- Hand-picked to brief Administrator of Federal Procurement at OMB on US Air Force process.
- Achieved over 90% division employee retention rate in diverse DHS functions.

### EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

- 2008-Present; FBI Program Management Consultant, President, Camber Consulting; Washington DC
- 2006-2008; FBI Oversight Program Manager, Keane Federal Systems; Washington, DC
- 2004-2006; DHS Operations General Manager, Organizational Strategies; Washington, DC
- 1994-2005; President, Prime Label Consultants and foodCompliance.com; Washington, DC
- 2003-2004; Air Mobility Squadron Superintendent, US Air Force; McGuire AFB, NJ
- 2001-2003; Contract Program Manager, US Air Force; Andrews AFB, MD
- 1997-2001; A-76 Outsourcing Project Manager; US Air Force; Andrews AFB, MD

### EDUCATION

- Master of Business Administration – George Washington University, Washington, DC
- Bachelor of Science in Management – National-Louis University, Chicago, IL
- Associate of Science in Avionics Technology – Community College of the Air Force
- Beta Gamma Sigma International Business Honor Society