



2022 Indiana Auditor & Investigator Conference - Presenter Bios

David Cook was appointed to serve as Inspector General by Governor Eric Holcomb in 2021. Cook previously served as the chairman of the Indiana Alcohol and Tobacco Commission. He was appointed by then-Gov. Pence in 2015 and reappointed by Gov. Holcomb in 2017. The Commission is responsible for regulating and licensing the alcohol and tobacco industries. The ATC also directs the Indiana State Excise Police. During his tenure as chairman, Cook built an enforcement strategy focused on compliance through education and assistance and partnered with local law enforcement to address problem establishments and decrease criminal activity. He also created industry roundtables to improve communication between the commissioners and industry members. Prior to his time at ATC, Cook served as judge of Marion Superior Criminal Division 7, a high-volume misdemeanor court. From 1995-2008, he served as the chief public defender for Marion County. Additionally, he served as a judicial officer on civil and family law cases in the Marion County Circuit Court. From 1979-1989, he worked in the Marion County Prosecutor's Office as chief trial deputy. Cook also spent time in private practice. Cook earned an undergraduate degree from Ball State University and a law degree from the Indiana University McKinney School of Law.

Sean Gorman serves as the State Ethics Director at the Office of Inspector General. He has a broad background involving statutory interpretation, policy making, and administration of a variety of state government programs. Sean most recently served with the State of Indiana as the Assistant Deputy Director at the Department of Child Services and is the former Director of the Indiana State Board of Nursing. Sean is a lifelong Indiana resident and earned his Bachelor of Science in Public Affairs and Juris Doctorate degrees at Indiana University.

Todd Shellenbarger has served as an Assistant United States Attorney for the Southern District of Indiana since 2002. As Evansville Division Branch Chief, Shellenbarger's office is responsible for all aspects of the prosecution of General Crimes in the division. He previously served as a Deputy Prosecuting Attorney in the Porter County Prosecutor's Office and is a veteran of the United States Army Reserve. Shellenbarger earned his undergraduate degree at Wabash College and his J.D. from the Indiana University School of Law in Bloomington.

Michael Moore is a Senior Special Agent at U.S. Secret Service. From 2010 to the present, SSA Moore serves as the U.S. Secret Service (USSS) Evansville Domicile Agent. SSA Moore suppresses organized criminal activities by investigating financial crimes, such as frauds against the government, counterfeiting currency and credit cards, embezzlement, bank and insurance scams, and money laundering. SSA Moore's previous USSS assignments include the Oklahoma City Field Office (2000-2004), Lady Bird Johnson Protective Detail (2004-2008), and Miami Field Office (2008-2010). From 1991 to 2000, SSA Moore served as a Houston, Texas, Police Officer. SSA Moore earned a B.S. in Economics from Purdue University and a M.S. in Criminal Justice Administration from Sam Houston State University.

Debbie Gibson is a graduate from Indiana University, a CPA and Certified Fraud Examiner. She serves as a Director of Audit Advisory Services and has been with State Board of Accounts for 36 years. She audited and oversaw the audits for the State of Indiana and its agencies for 21 years, including the audits of the Annual Comprehensive Financial Report and Statewide Federal Report. In 2007 she started

working with local governments, providing technical and compliance services. Recently, she has begun working with State agencies to provide those same services.

Courtney Everett is Deputy Auditor for the Indiana Auditor of State. Her responsibilities include oversight of the Accounting and Finance departments which includes Accounting and Reporting, Accounts Payable, and Local Government. Courtney has been with the State 14 years and previously held positions at the State Budget Agency and Family and Social Services Administration. She is a Graduate of Indiana University, receiving her bachelor's in Public Administration. Courtney is currently pursuing her Master's in Accounting at Maryville University and plans to sit for the CPA exam after graduation in December.

Lisa Acobert serves as a Deputy Director for the Indiana State Budget Agency. Prior to joining SBA, she served as the Chief Financial Officer for Lt. Governor Suzanne Crouch and Director of Finance and Operations for Superintendent of Public Instruction Glenda Ritz. She has an MBA from Indiana University. Go IU!

Susan Gordon serves as a Director of Audit Advisory Services and has worked for the State Board of Accounts over twenty years in various roles serving state and local government. She is a Certified Public Accountant, Attorney, and Certified Fraud Examiner.

Tiffany Mulligan serves as the Chief of Staff and Chief Legal Counsel for the Office of Inspector General. She has over sixteen years of experience as an attorney, manager, and ethics officer with the State of Indiana in various roles. She spent the majority of this time with the Indiana Department of Transportation, serving as attorney, Ethics Officer and the Director of the Economic Opportunity and Prequalification Divisions. She also served as the Associate General Counsel for Governor Pence and General Counsel for the Family and Social Services Administration. Tiffany graduated magna cum laude from the Indiana University Robert H. McKinney School of Law in Indianapolis and cum laude from Miami University in Oxford, Ohio. Prior to law school, she served over five years on Capitol Hill as a legislative aide to Senator Richard Lugar and Congressman Mark Souder. She is a native Hoosier.

Mark Mitchell is the Director of Investigations effective August 2020 after having served as the Assistant Director for several years and as special agent since 2007. Mark earned a B.A. in Business Administration from Indiana Wesleyan University in 1991. He attended the Command Officers Course conducted by the Southern Police Institute in 1996 and the 202nd Session of the Federal Bureau of Investigation - National Academy in 2000. Mark has 44 years of accumulated law enforcement experience that began in 1976 with the Indiana State Police where he served in various positions of responsibility and leadership before retiring in 2003. In 2003 he joined the Indiana Department of Revenue as Director of their Criminal Investigation Section. When Charity Gaming was split off from the Indiana Department of Revenue, he joined the Indiana Gaming Commission as Director of their Charity Gaming Section until 2007 when he moved to the Office of Inspector General as a special agent.