

### Steve Patrick

Vice President,  
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Steve Patrick currently serves as the Vice President of Bombardier Defense where is responsible for the delivery of multiple specialized aircraft programs. These include applications such as intelligence, surveillance and reconnaissance platforms, communication relay, maritime surveillance as well as Head of State transport. Steve also champions all facets of business development, program management, engineering, manufacturing, testing, and support, overseeing diverse teams in both Wichita, Kansas and Montreal, Canada.

Since joining the company in 1997, Steve has held numerous key leadership roles across multiple business units. Before assuming leadership of Bombardier Defense, he served as the Director of both the Global 7500 and CSeries Flight Test teams where he led over 500 engineers, pilots, mechanics, quality inspectors, and project managers.

In previous roles, Steve directed a highly skilled team for the Learjet product line, guiding the Learjet 70/75's entry into service. He also led a team of 200 engineers to oversee the successful entry into service for the CRJ-1000 while supporting over 1,500 in-service CRJ aircrafts.

Earlier in his career, Steve spent a few years with an entrepreneurial startup developing the Adam Aircraft A500 piston aircraft and A700 very light jet. He also served as a senior flight test engineer for BAE Systems, focused primarily on Tornado GR1 weapon systems program.

Steve graduated from The University of Ulster, in Northern Ireland, where he earned his Bachelor of Technology in Electrical and Electronic Engineering. He later attended the University of Lancaster where he attained a post-graduate certificate in management studies.

Steve lives in Wichita, Kansas.