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Mr. Neil Graf serves as the Navy Manufacturing Technology (ManTech) Program Lead for the Office of Naval Research (ONR). In this role, he coordinates the overall Navy ManTech Program and is the portfolio lead for each of the Navy ManTech Integrated Project Teams (IPTs) for the platforms in the current investment strategy, including the F-35 and various ship and submarine platforms. His duties include coordinating the ManTech activities supporting each platform with the respective program offices, industry partners, and other key stakeholders. Mr. Graf also serves as the Navy principal representative for the Joint Defense Manufacturing Technology Panel (JDMTP), which has the responsibility of joint service coordination, planning, and strategy development for ManTech programs across the Department of Defense.

Mr. Graf is also the Program Officer for the Composites Manufacturing Technology Center (CMTC), a position he has held since 2005. His responsibilities include developing new projects, executing ongoing projects, fiscal planning and monitoring, and coordination with industry and other Navy commands to identify manufacturing needs and to ensure the successful implementation of developed technologies. Mr. Graf previously served as the Program Officer for the Center for Naval Metalworking (CNM) and the Center for Naval Shipbuilding Technology (CNST)/Naval Shipbuilding and Advanced Manufacturing (NSAM) Center of Excellence.