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## Top Skills

Policy

Environmental Policy

Public Speaking

# John Rapp

Budget Director at USDA

Washington, District of Columbia, United States

## Experience

### USDA

2 years 10 months

#### Budget Director

August 2021 - Present (2 years 1 month)

Washington, DC

#### Budget Director and Chief Risk and Performance Officer (Acting)

November 2020 - August 2021 (10 months)

Washington, DC, United States

### U.S. Forest Service

9 years 4 months

#### Budget Director

April 2018 - August 2021 (3 years 5 months)

Washington D.C. Metro Area

#### Acting Budget Director

December 2017 - March 2018 (4 months)

Washington, DC

#### Assistant Budget Director

August 2015 - December 2017 (2 years 5 months)

#### Branch Chief, Performance Management

May 2012 - August 2015 (3 years 4 months)

Washington D.C. Metro Area

Directs the implementation of policies and programs to ensure that the Forest Service Performance Accountability System supports the Forest Service needs to effectively implement the Government and Performance Results Act and OMB guidance on Budget and Performance integration. This includes:

- Analyzing the use of agency performance measures by all levels of the organization and making recommendations how the Forest Service should use these measures to promote effective performance management and meet accountability requirements;

- Developing long-range program plans, goals, objectives, and milestones for evaluating and measuring the effectiveness of major agency programs.

**Acting Assistant Director - Strategic Planning, Performance, and Budget Formulation**

January 2015 - April 2015 (4 months)

**NOAA**

9 years 10 months

**Program Manager**

May 2011 - May 2012 (1 year 1 month)

Silver Spring, MD

Responsible for developing and managing restoration and evaluation programs related to the on-going Natural Resource Damage Assessment for the Deepwater Horizon oil spill, as well as NOAA's habitat restoration program.

**Marine Habitat Resource Specialist**

January 2008 - May 2011 (3 years 5 months)

Silver Spring, MD

Planned, coordinated, and directed activities related to the implementation of NOAA's Damage Assessment, Remediation, and Restoration Program. Evaluated office-wide programs and identified and recommended programmatic and/or policy changes.

**Marine Habitat Resource Specialist**

August 2002 - December 2007 (5 years 5 months)

Baton Rouge, LA

Fisheries lead for NOAA's Damage Assessment, Remediation, and Restoration Program in Louisiana and Texas. Thorough experience in all facets of the NRDA process.

**Louisiana Department of Natural Resource**

**Natural Resource Specialist**

June 1999 - August 2002 (3 years 3 months)

Thibodaux, LA

Provided direction and guidance on biological monitoring to staff, including data collection and management, analysis, and interpretation. Worked collaboratively with the Engineering staff to determine the feasibility of habitat restoration project alternatives. Conducted statistical analyses of monitoring

data to determine the effectiveness of habitat restoration projects. Authored technical papers on project success.

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## Education

### North Carolina State University

Master of Science (M.S.), Forested Wetland Ecology · (1997 - 1999)

### Penn State University

Bachelor of Science (B.S.), Forest Science · (1994 - 1996)

### Paul Smith's College

Associate of Arts and Sciences (A.A.S.), Pre-professional Forestry · (1992 - 1994)