



BIOGRAPHY



DARIEN J. HAMMETT

Executive Vice President, Defense Sector

Darien J. Hammett joined Radiance Technologies in September 2019 and is currently responsible for the strategic direction, growth, and leadership of the Defense Sector—approximately half of the employee-owners—at Radiance. Darien started at Radiance as an Assistant Vice President providing direct support to the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) and Chief Strategy Officer on developing, communicating, and realizing corporate strategy. He provided insight to, and developed strategy for, expanding markets where Radiance competes. Most recently, he led the Space Group before becoming the Executive Vice President of the Defense Sector in 2023.

Before coming to Radiance, Darien spent more than 24 years in our Air Force and retired as a Colonel. He served as a Program Director twice (F-22 Raptor and RQ-4 Global Hawk) and in a variety of engineering, program management, staff, and leadership positions across the Air Force, Office of Secretary of Defense, and National Reconnaissance Office (NRO). Darien's experience includes operations and acquisition positions on several classified programs in the NRO, Air Force Space Command, and Air Force Material Command. He obtained a BS in Electrical Engineering from the University of Florida and an MS in Electrical Engineering from the Rochester Institute of Technology, and is a graduate of Professional Military Education at all three levels: Squadron Officer's School, Air Command and Staff College (Distinguished Graduate), and The Dwight D. Eisenhower School for National Security and Resource Strategy.