



CAPT Dale Lumme, USN, Ret. Teams: Strategic Communications, Homeland Security, Navy, Security, Special Operations

Expertise Areas

- Strategic Planning, Communications and Marketing
- Cabinet-Level Government Policy and Relations
- International Corporate and Nonprofit Leadership
- Defense, Aerospace and Homeland Security Business Development

Professional Experience

Captain Lumme supports clients in strategic engagement, management, communications and marketing solutions in U.S. and international government and commercial arenas. He delivers significant expertise in defense and aerospace, with 35-plus years of comprehensive public and private sector leadership experience. Captain Lumme maintains a strong and established network in the Navy policy community.

Captain Lumme currently serves on several boards and, prior to joining The Spectrum Group, successfully led corporate and nonprofit organizations supporting Navy-related programs, human resources, and Cabinet-level policy interests. He previously served as the Senior Director of Government Relations for Orbital ATK, EVP of Government Relations at Decision Lens, and National Executive Director and COO of the Navy League of the U.S. He supports clients in strategic planning and communications efforts using his extensive government, international and industry networks, working and partnering with senior executives at defense and homeland security organizations.

Captain Lumme's Naval career culminated in serving as the Staff Director of Congressional Relations, Secretary of the Navy, Office of Legislative Affairs. A career naval aviator, he served in several leadership positions including Commanding Officer, Atlantic Fleet Shore Activities, and Commanding Officer, VT-6 Shooters, Chief of Naval Air Training. Captain Lumme worked closely with key Navy command offices, including serving as Executive Assistant to both the Office of Chief of Naval Operations (CNO) and the Office of the Commander-in-Chief, U.S. Atlantic Fleet.

Key Positions

- National Executive Director; COO, and Chairman, National Maritime Policy Committee, Navy League of the U.S.
- Staff Director of Congressional Relations, Secretary of the Navy, Office of Legislative Affairs
- Executive Assistant, Offices of the Chief of Naval Operations (CNO) and of the Commander-in-Chief, U.S. Atlantic Fleet

Education

- M.Ed., University of West Florida
- Graduate, Joint Forces Staff College and Air War College
- B.S., U.S. Naval Academy

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