



## **Peter Levine, J.D., Inducted into the NAPA 2019 Class of Academy Fellows**

**ALEXANDRIA, VA (November 2019)** – Peter Levine, J.D., a senior research fellow in the Strategy, Forces and Resources Division (SFRD) at the Institute for Defense Analyses (IDA) has been inducted into the National Academy of Public Administration (NAPA) 2019 Class of Academy Fellows.

Levine is one of 51 Fellows inducted during the Academy Fall Meeting held November 7–8 in Arlington, Virginia. Selection of the Academy’s new Fellows followed a rigorous review of the individual’s contributions to the field of public administration and policy.

“Peter Levine has been an extraordinary addition to IDA’s research team,” said retired Adm. John Harvey, Jr., SFRD Director. “His vast experience as the General Counsel and then Director of the Senate Armed Service Committee, Deputy Chief Management Officer of the Department of Defense (DoD) and Acting Under Secretary of Defense for Personnel and Readiness has given him a truly unique perspective on major issues facing the DoD. This perspective coupled with his exceptional insight and superb analytical ability, have enabled him to make significant contributions to a number of current IDA research efforts.”

The 2019 class joins more than 900 Academy Fellows – including former cabinet officers, members of Congress, governors, mayors and state legislators, as well as prominent scholars, business executives, nonprofit leaders, and public administrators.

“My IDA work has focused around defense management reform – helping the Department to organize and operate in a more efficient, effective manner,” said Levine. “This work fits well with NAPA’s congressionally-charted purpose of providing expert advice to government leaders in building and managing more effective, efficient, accountable, and transparent organizations.”

Levine earned his bachelor’s degree in Soviet and Russian studies from Harvard College in 1979 and his juris doctor from Harvard Law School in 1983.

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