

George Hogshead and Michael Stein join the team at IDC

Intelligent Directions Consulting, LLC (IDC) is proud to announce that George Hogshead and Michael Stein have both joined the professional management and technical consulting firm. Both are seasoned professionals and each brings over 30 years of experience to the firm.

George Hogshead

Mr. Hogshead has over 38 years experience as a leader/coach, executive and manager working in public services consulting, program/project management and IT consulting, and banking/financial industries in the United States and the EMEA, Emerging/Conflict, Asia Pacific, and Americas markets.

Mr. Hogshead works with agencies responsible for internal security, public safety, and integrated justice. He helps clients improve the effectiveness and efficiency of their operations by implementing new governance structures, concepts of operations (ConOps), improved business processes and best demonstrated practices, enabling technologies, and integrated mission critical and tactical systems.

He is a founding member, past Treasurer and member of the Board of Directors of the *IJIS Institute*. He is a founding member of the *IJIS Industry Working Group (IWG)*, and a past IWG industry representative to the *Integration Standards Working Group (ISWIG)* of the *GLOGAL Network Integration Committee*, an advisory Body for the Attorney General and the U.S. Department of Justice.

Mr. Hogshead is a Certified Court Executive Officer (U.S. Federal and state courts) and *Fellow* of the Institute for Court Management (ICM), and a former member of the faculty of the ICM Program. Among his former positions held, Mr. Hogshead was the Director of the Middle East Practice and the State and Local Government Practice units for Bearing Point Consulting. Mr. Hogshead also headed up the firm of Knapp+Hogshead Consulting, and was also a partner in the International Consulting Division of Deloitte & Touche. He is a graduate of Florida State University.

Michael Stein

Mr. Stein has more than 30 years of experience in the public sector focusing on *criminal justice, the telecommunications industry and commercial banking*. His career has been focused on helping organizations effectively utilize technology to solve business problems through business process re-engineering, strategic systems planning, requirements definition, and the management of large-scale systems integration efforts. In recent years, Mr. Stein has been primarily engaged in facilitating the development of IT strategies and assisting organizations in finding effective ways to exchange information between legacy information systems.

Recently, Mr. Stein served as the Director, Systems and Technology Program, for SEARCH: The National Consortium for Justice Information and Statistics and as the Director, Public Safety and Justice for Gartner (formerly Gartner Group). Prior to joining

Gartner, he was employed as a Solutions Director in the Information Services Group (ISG) of Unisys Corporation, served as a senior technology manager for the trial courts in the County of Los Angeles, California, and was a Manager in the Law and Justice Practice of Deloitte & Touche.

Mr. Stein received his bachelor's degree from Marietta College, Marietta, Ohio and conducted his graduate studies at John Jay College of Criminal Justice, the City University of New York, in Public Administration. Mr. Stein is a member of the National Association for Court Management.

More Information

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