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## Lewis Leinenweber

As the Director of Interoperability Programs for the Open Geospatial Consortium (OGC), Mr. Leinenweber is responsible for planning, managing, and developing geospatial architectures for interoperability initiatives such as testbeds, pilots, and interoperability experiments. Most recently, he served as the Initiative Manager for two OGC Pilot Projects, Climatology-Hydrology Information Sharing Pilot (CHISP-1), and the Geospatial Enhancement for NIEM (Geo4NIEM) Pilot.

As an OGC member company representative, Mr. Leinenweber also served as Chairman of the OGC's Emergency & Disaster Management (EDM) Domain Working Group (DWG). During this period, he was a member of the Emergency Management Technical Committee (EM-TC) in OASIS supporting the development of Emergency Data Exchange Language (EDXL) message standards. Mr. Leinenweber has significant experience as a Project Manager and Software Engineer, where he focused on developing systems and capabilities incorporating geospatial technologies.

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## Justin Stekervetz

As Acting Managing Director of the NIEM Program Management Office, Mr. Stekervetz and his team focus on nationwide implementations of NIEM at DHS and with other federal, state, and local partners. He also serves as the federal co-chair of the NIEM Technical Architecture Committee (NTAC), which is responsible for defining and documenting NIEM's architectural requirements.

With over 15 years of IT-related experience, Mr. Stekervetz has an extensive and diverse background in technical implementations, programming, data modeling, and systems integration, and co-led development of the UML Profile for NIEM in close collaboration with the Program Manager for the Information Sharing Environment (PM-ISE), Object Management Group (OMG), and industry and academic partners. Most recently, Mr. Stekervetz provided leadership in the development and publication of NIEM 3.0 and Geo4NIEM by partnering with PM-ISE and the Open Geospatial Consortium (OGC).