

Bryan Beyer – Biography

Mr. Beyer has more than 20 years of professional experience conducting and supervising audits. In addition, he has held senior executive positions in two state government agencies. Mr. Beyer has managed and overseen various aspects of California's complex prison system and, through numerous audits, has influenced several of the State's programs and departments by making policy-shaping recommendations. In his current role as chief deputy inspector general, Mr. Beyer manages and directs the California Office of the Inspector General's activities in its provision of independent, transparent oversight for California's prison system. In this capacity, he oversees the office's medical inspections, investigation and discipline monitoring, critical incident monitoring, whistleblower intake reviews, use-of-force monitoring, audits and authorized reviews, and warden-candidate vettings.

Prior to this, Mr. Beyer served as director of the Division of Internal Oversight and Research at the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation. As director, he served in the department's cabinet and managed the offices of Internal Affairs and Civil Rights, Audits and Court Compliance, and Research. He also oversaw the department's data collection unit, known as CompStat. Prior to his tenure with the department, Mr. Beyer was an auditor for the California State Auditor's office. As an auditor, and later, a supervising auditor, he completed numerous audits of state programs and departments. His past audit assignments involved, among others, standardized student testing, military readiness, and emergency preparedness. Mr. Beyer also served as a liaison to the Joint Legislative Audit Committee, for which he analyzed audit requests received from members of the California Legislature.

Mr. Beyer graduated from California State University, Chico, with a Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration, and received an Executive Certificate in Public Leadership from the John F. Kennedy School of Government at Harvard University. Mr. Beyer is a Certified Inspector General through the Association of Inspectors General and also serves as Vice President of the Western States Chapter of the Association of Inspectors General. In addition, Mr. Beyer served for more than 10 years as a California peace officer.



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