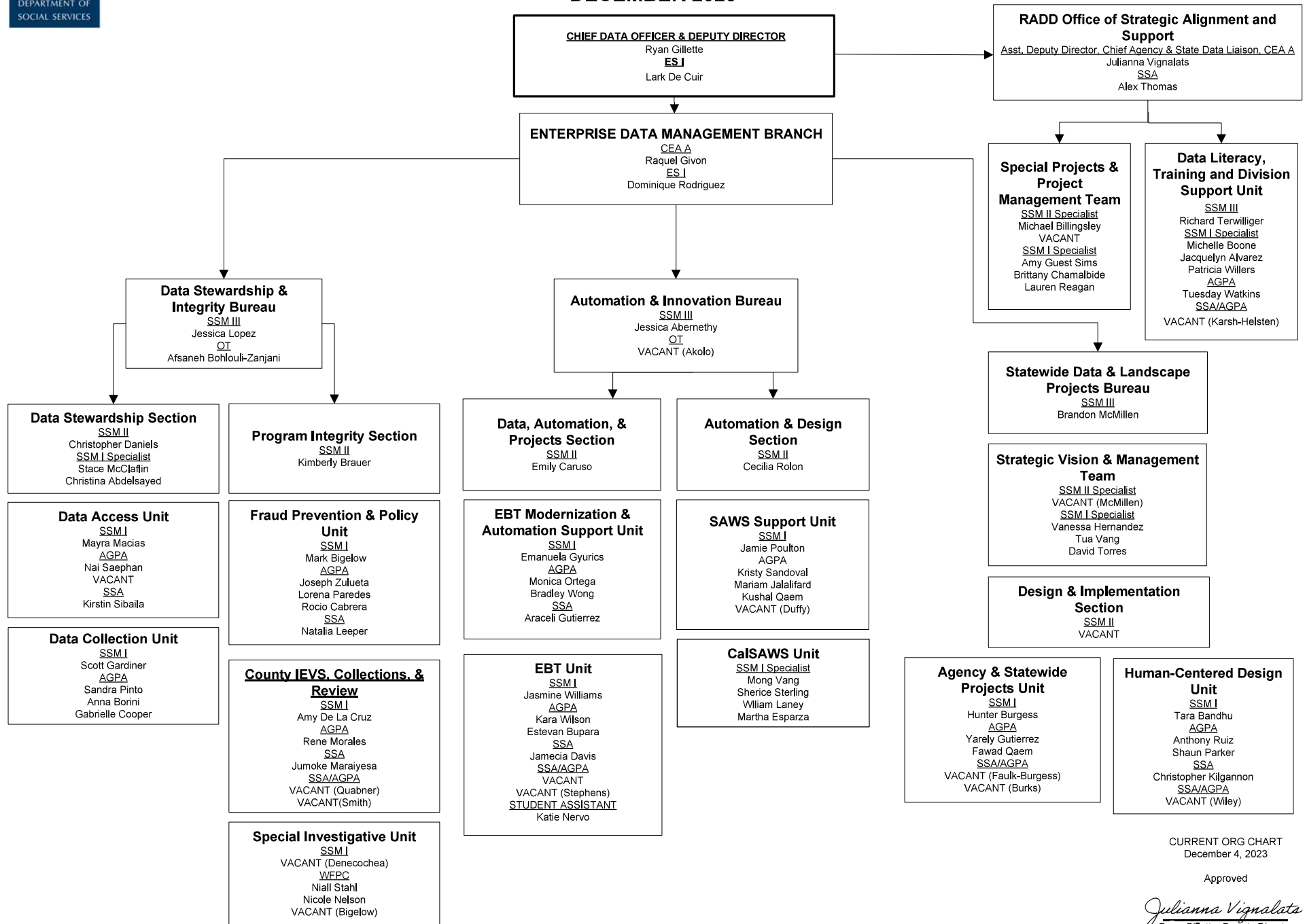




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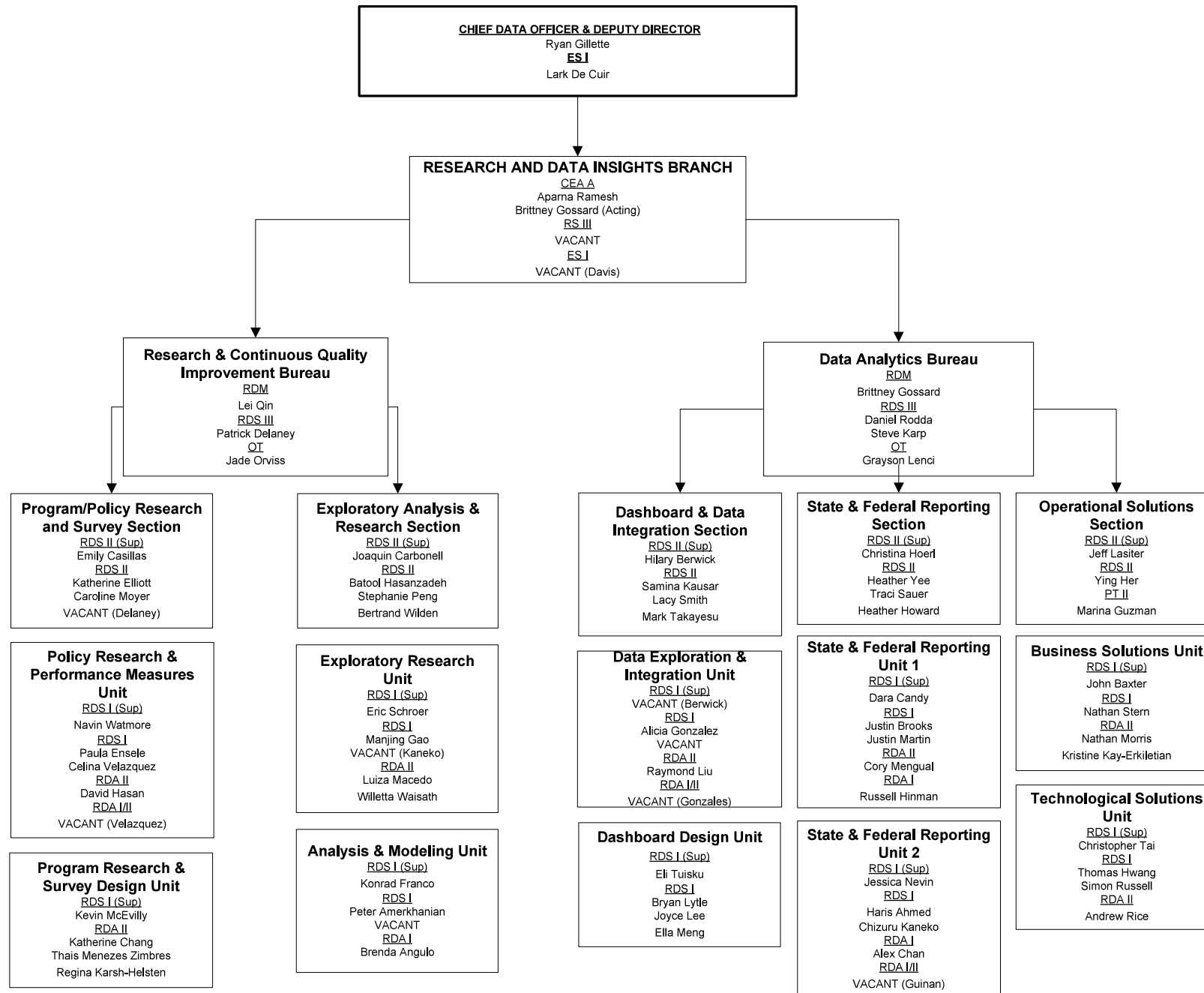
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# **Research Automation and Data Division**

## **External Organizational Chart Text Equivalent**

### **CHIEF DATA OFFICER & DEPUTY DIRECTOR**

- Ryan Gillette

### **ES I**

- Lark De Cuir

## **Office of Strategic Alignment and Support**

### **Asst. Deputy Director Chief Agency & State Data Liaison CEA A**

- Julianna Vignalats

### **SSA**

- Alex Thomas

## **Special Projects & Project Management Team**

### **SSM II Specialist**

- Michael Billingsley
- VACANT

### **SSM I Specialist**

- Brittany Chamalbide
- Amy Guest Sims
- Lauren Reagan

## **Data Literacy Training & Division Support Unit**

### **SSM III**

- Richard Terwilliger

### **SSM I Specialist**

- Michelle Boone
- Jacquelyn Alvarez
- Patricia Willers

### **AGPA**

- Tuesday Watkins

### **SSA/AGPA**

- VACANT (Karsh-Helsten)

## **Enterprise Data Management Branch**

### **CEA A**

- Raquel Givon

### **ES I**

- Dominique Rodriguez

## **Data Stewardship & Integrity Bureau**

### **SSM III**

- Jessica Lopez

### **OT**

- Afsaneh Bohlouli-Zanjani

## **Data Stewardship Section**

### **SSM II**

- Christopher Daniels

### **SSM I Specialist**

- Stace McClaflin
- Christina Abdelsayed

## **Data Access Unit**

### **SSM I**

- Mayra Macias

### **AGPA**

- Nai Saephan

### **SSA**

- Kirstin Sibaila

### **SSA/AGPA**

- VACANT (Paredes)

## **Data Collection Unit**

### **SSM I**

- Scott Gardiner

### **AGPA**

- Gabrielle Cooper
- Sandra Pinto
- Anna Borini

## **Program Integrity Section**

### **SSM II**

- Kimberly Brauer

## **Fraud Prevention & Policy Unit**

### **SSM I**

- Mark Bigelow

### **AGPA**

- Joseph Zulueta
- Lorena Paredes
- Rocio Cabrera Menera

### **SSA**

- Natalia Leeper

## **County IEVS Collections & Review**

### **SSM I**

- Amy De La Cruz

### **AGPA**

- Rene Morales

### **SSA**

- Jumoke Maraiyesa

#### **SSA/AGPA**

- VACANT (Quabner)
- VACANT (Smith)

#### **Special Investigative Unit**

#### **SSM I**

- VACANT (Denecochea)

#### **WFPC**

- Niall Stahl
- Nicole Nelson
- VACANT (Bigelow)

#### **Automation & Innovation Bureau**

#### **SSM III**

- Jessica Abernethy

#### **OT**

- VACANT (Akolo)

#### **Data Automation & Projects Section**

#### **SSM II**

- Emily Caruso

#### **Data Automation Innovation Unit**

#### **SSM I**

- Emanuela Gyurics

#### **AGPA**

- Bradley Wong
- Monica Ortega

#### **SSA**

- Araceli Gutierrez

#### **EBT Unit**

#### **SSM I**

- Jasmine Williams

#### **AGPA**

- Kara Wilson
- Estevan Bupara

#### **SSA**

- Jamecia Davis

#### **SSA/AGPA**

- VACANT
- VACANT (Stephens)

#### **SA**

- Katie Nervo

## **Automation & Design Section**

### **SSM II**

- Cecilia Rolon

## **SAWS Support Unit**

### **SSM I**

- Jamie Poulton

### **AGPA**

- Mariam Jalalifard
- Kristy Sandoval
- Kushal Qaem
- VACANT (Duffy)

## **CalSAWS Unit**

### **SSM I Specialist**

- Mong Vang
- Sherice Sterling
- William Laney
- Martha Esparza

## **Statewide Data & Landscape Projects Bureau**

### **SSM III**

- Brandon McMillen

## **Strategic Vision & Management Team**

### **SSM II Specialist**

- RECRUIT (McMillen)

### **SSM I Specialist**

- Tua Vang
- Yesenia (Vanessa) Hernandez
- David Torres

## **Design & Implementation Section**

### **SSM II**

- VACANT

## **Agency & Statewide Projects Unit**

### **SSM I**

- Hunter Faulk-Burgess

### **AGPA**

- Fawad Qaem
- Yarely Gutierrez

### **SSA/AGPA**

- VACANT (Faulk-Burgess)
- VACANT (Burks)

## **Human-Centered Design Unit**

### **SSM I**

- Tara Bandhu

### **AGPA**

- Anthony Ruiz
- Shaun Parker

### **SSA**

- Christopher Kilgannon

### **SSA/AGPA**

- VACANT (Wiley)

## **Research & Data Insights Branch**

### **CEA A**

- Aparna Ramesh (Brittney Gossard Acting)

### **ES I**

- VACANT (Davis)

### **RS III**

- VACANT

## **Research & Continuous Quality Improvement Bureau**

### **RDM**

- Lei Qin

### **OT**

- Jade Orviss

### **RDS III**

- Patrick Delaney

## **Program/Policy Research & Survey Section**

### **RDS II (Sup)**

- Emily Casillas

### **RDS II**

- Katherine Elliott
- Caroline Moyer
- VACANT (Delaney)

## **Policy Research & Performance Measures Unit**

### **RDS I (Sup)**

- Navin Watmore

### **RDS I**

- Celina Velazquez
- Paula Ensele

### **RDA II**

- David Hasan

### **RDA I/II**

- VACANT (Velazquez)

## **Program Research & Survey Design Unit**

### **RDS I (Sup)**

- Kevin McEvilly

### **RDA II**

- Katherine Chang

- Thais Menezes Zimbres
- Regina Karsh-Helsten

## **Exploratory Analysis & Research Section**

### **RDS II (Sup)**

- Joaquin Carbonell

### **RDS II**

- Batool Hasanzadeh
- Stephanie Peng
- Bertrand Wilden

## **Exploratory Research Unit**

### **RDS I (Sup)**

- Eric Schroer

### **RDS I**

- Manjing Gao
- VACANT (Kaneko)

### **RDA II**

- Luiza Macedo
- Willetta Waisath

## **Analysis & Modeling Unit**

### **RDS I (Sup)**

- Konrad Franco

### **RDS I**

- Peter Amerkhanian
- VACANT

### **RDA I**

- Brenda Angulo

## **Data Analytics Bureau**

### **RDM**

- Brittney Gossard

### **OT**

- Grayson Lenci

### **RDS III**

- Daniel Rodda
- Steve Karp

## **Dashboard & Data Integration Section**

### **RDS II (Sup)**

- Hilary Berwick

### **RDS II**

- Samina Kausar
- Lacy Smith
- Mark Takayesu

## **Data Exploration & Integration Unit**

### **RDS I (Sup)**

- VACANT (Berwick)

### **RDS I**

- Alicia Gonzalez
- VACANT

#### **RDA II**

- Raymond Liu

#### **RDA I/II**

- VACANT (Gonzalez)

### **Dashboard Design Unit**

#### **RDS I (Sup)**

- Eli Tuisku

#### **RDS I**

- Joyce Lee
- Bryan Lytle
- Ella Meng

### **State & Federal Reporting Section**

#### **RDS II (Sup)**

- Christina Hoerl

#### **RDS II**

- Heather Howard
- Traci Sauer
- Heather Yee

### **State & Federal Reporting Unit**

#### **RDS I (Sup)**

- Dara Candy

#### **RDS I**

- Justin Brooks
- Justin Martin

#### **RDA II**

- Cory Mengual

#### **RDA I**

- Russell Hinman

### **State & Federal Reporting Unit**

#### **RDS I (Sup)**

- Jessica Nevin

#### **RDS I**

- Haris Ahmed
- Chizuru Kaneko

#### **RDA II**

- VACANT (Guinan)

#### **RDA I**

- Alex Chan

### **Operational Solutions Section**

#### **RDS II (Sup)**

- Jeff Lasiter

#### **RDS II**

- Ying Her

**PT II**

- Marina Guzman

**Business Solutions Unit****RDS I (Sup)**

- John Baxter

**RDS I**

- Nathan Stern

**RDA II**

- Nathan Morris
- Kristine Kay-Erkiletian

**Technological Solutions Unit****RDS I (Sup)**

- Christopher Tai

**RDS I**

- Thomas Hwang
- Simon Russell

**RDA II**

- Andrew Rice