

Colonel Miles C. Wiley III, USAF (Ret) Vice President, Programs

As Vice President for Programs, Miles Wiley is responsible for developing and managing all aspects of the Association's meetings, programs, and the Annual Convention; serves as Chairman of the Programs Committee; a member of the Finance Committee; and is authorized to enter into contractual arrangements for facilities and services on behalf of the Association to support program activities as approved by the Board of Officers. Prior to his election to Vice President, Miles served as a Convention Chairman and prior to that as a member of the Program Committee.

Now retired, Miles last worked as the Executive Secretary of the Science and Technology Directorate, Department of Homeland Security from 2004 to 20012. Prior to DHS, he was a senior communication specialist for the Air Line Pilots Association for two years.

A 26-year Air Force veteran, Miles was commissioned in 1975 and reported to active duty in 1976 as a public affairs officer. After five assignments in public affairs including an assignment in Salt Lake City under the Air Force Institute of Technology Education with Industry program and the Pentagon, he attended the Air Command and Staff College at Maxwell AFB, Alabama. Upon graduation he served as a faculty instructor for a year and then became the Commandant's Executive Officer. Following three more executive officer assignments, Miles returned to the Pentagon as the Public Affairs Officer for the Chief of Staff of the Air Force. After four years in that position, he was reassigned to the Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense for Public Affairs where he served until he retired in 2002. In addition to the bases Miles was assigned, his other assignments included tours in Florida, Greenland, Texas, England, and Germany.

Miles has a Master of Arts degree in English from St. Mary's University; a Bachelor of Arts in Journalism from the University of North Dakota. He also completed Air Command and Staff College, Squadron Officers School and Academic Instructors Course in residence and Air War College via seminar program.

Miles and his wife Sarah currently reside in Alexandria, Virginia.