

**Virtual Forum for Risks in the Semiconductor Manufacturing and Advanced Packaging
Supply Chain – Panel Biographies**

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Panel:

- **Matthew Borman**, Acting Assistant Secretary for Export Administration, Bureau of Industry and Security, U.S. Department of Commerce
- **Sahar Hafeez**, Senior Advisor, Office of Under Secretary, Bureau of Industry and Security, U.S. Department of Commerce
- **Monica Gorman**, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Manufacturing, Industry & Analysis, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce
- **Michele Schimpp**, Acting Associate Administrator, Office of International Trade, U.S. Small Business Administration

Matthew S. Borman

ACTING ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR EXPORT ADMINISTRATION
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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Mr. Borman currently serves as the Acting Assistant Secretary of Commerce for Export Administration. In this position, Mr. Borman is responsible for implementing the Bureau of Industry and Security's (BIS) controls on the export of dual-use and military items for national security, foreign policy, nonproliferation, and short supply reasons.

In addition, he oversees BIS's programs to ensure that industrial resources are available to meet national and economic security requirements, BIS's implementation of the Chemical Weapons Convention, and BIS's implementation of the Additional Protocol to the US-IAEA Agreement.

Prior to his appointment as Deputy Assistant Secretary, Mr. Borman served as Acting Chief of the Enforcement and Litigation Division of the Office of Chief Counsel for Export Administration. As division chief, he was responsible for providing legal advice to the Export Enforcement unit of BIS, including the adjudication of administrative enforcement actions. Mr. Borman entered the Commerce Department in 1992 as an attorney in the Office of Chief Counsel for Export Administration.

As an attorney in that office, Mr. Borman was responsible for a variety of matters, including attempts to revise the Export Administration Act, Congressional, General Accounting Office and Office of Inspector General investigations and studies, Freedom of Information Act requests, and export control cooperation with other countries.

Mr. Borman received his B.A. in History from Northwestern University, his M.A. from Northeastern University, and his J.D. from New York University School of Law.

Sahar Hafeez

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Sahar is a Senior Advisor at the Office of Under Secretary at the Department of Commerce, Bureau of Industry and Security (BIS). Prior to joining BIS, Sahar practiced international trade and sanctions law at Pillsbury Winthrop Shaw Pittman LLP where she advised companies across multiple industries, including in the nuclear energy, technology, and manufacturing industries, on international trade matters, including trade remedy laws, import/export regulations, customs laws, trade negotiations and OFAC sanctions. In addition, Sahar has assisted non-governmental organizations prepare petitions requesting the U.S. Government to sanction individuals under the Global Magnitsky Human Rights Accountability Act, conducted analysis of damages awarded in federal cases involving human trafficking claims, and drafted American Bar Association recommendations regarding U.S. policy responses to the Rohingya refugee crisis. After graduating from law school, Sahar was a post-graduate fellow at USTR, Office of General Counsel, where she worked on World Trade Organization dispute settlement and intellectual property policy matters. Sahar was named a Super Lawyers Rising Star in 2017, 2018, and 2019. She has served on the Board of Directors of Foreign Policy for America, as vice chair of the International Trade Committee of the American Bar Association, on the Associate Council of the Human Trafficking Legal Center, and as a member of the Atlantic Council Nuclear Energy and National Security Coalition and the International Committee of the University Club of Washington, DC.

Michele Schimpp

DEPUTY ASSOCIATE ADMINISTRATOR

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Michele Schimpp is the Deputy Associate Administrator for the Office of International Trade and has over 20 years of experience managing U.S. government organizations and start-up operations related to global job creation, competitiveness and economic growth. She has worked with the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID), the U.S. State Department, and the U.S. House of Representatives, leading programs and partnerships with the private sector, foundations, universities, federal and state agencies, as well as foreign legislatures and governments.

Michele served on the senior leadership team that established the U.S. Global Development Lab, a new entity within USAID to apply science, technology, innovation and partnerships to help hundreds of millions of people lift themselves out of extreme poverty. As the Director for Mission Engagement and Operations, she was responsible for the Lab's engagement of more than 80 country missions overseas, as well as human resources and budget operations.

Prior to the Lab's establishment, Michele Schimpp served as Chief Operating Officer of USAID's Office of Science and Technology, a predecessor organization to the Lab. For several years before, Michele served on the senior leadership team that established USAID's Office of Afghanistan and Pakistan Affairs, serving as Deputy Assistant to the Administrator during a period when USAID contributed to the civilian surge through increased staff and programs. She represented USAID's work in Afghanistan and Pakistan before government agencies, Congress, international donors, the U.N., interest groups, research and academia. Over the previous four years, Michele held senior management positions with USAID and the State Department, leading groups of experts on economic growth, infrastructure, energy, humanitarian assistance, agriculture, health, education, democracy and governance. She supported missions in Asia and the Middle East and developed public-private partnerships to respond to the Sichuan earthquake and to support women's leadership in Muslim countries.

A Foreign Service Officer for ten years, Michele served in Haiti from 1995-1999. She has a M.A. in Latin American Studies from the University of California at Berkeley and a B.A. in

ten years, Mata was promoted to various positions including Budget Branch Chief, Financial Analysis and Integrity Division Chief and Director of Financial Operations for DLA Strategic Materials. Mata is currently working on attaining his MBA with a focus in Global Supply Chain Management from DeVry University.

Dr. Monica Gorman

DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR MANUFACTURING
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Dr. Monica Gorman serves as Deputy Assistant Secretary for Manufacturing at the US Department of Commerce.

Most recently, Dr. Gorman was Vice President of Responsible Leadership & Global Compliance at New Balance for 9 years, overseeing compliance, international trade, and social & environmental responsibility. She led a worldwide team based in Asia, the Europe/Middle East/Africa region & the Americas. Dr. Gorman is seasoned executive with nearly 20 years of experience building corporate responsibility, international trade, sustainability & product safety programs for multi-billion dollar brands. Prior to New Balance, she led American Eagle Outfitters' global trade, corporate responsibility, product safety & public policy divisions and also held senior roles at Gap Inc. PR News named her Communicator of the Year in 2008. In 2020, Dr. Gorman served as executive producer of New Balance's short film, "Made Responsibly: Vietnam," which was nominated for an Emmy® award.

Dr. Gorman served on the Department of Commerce's Industry Trade Advisory Committee (ITAC) on Textiles & Apparel for more than a decade. She is also a past member of the Board of Directors of the Fair Labor Association, the Board of Directors of the United States Footwear Manufacturers Association, and the Board of Directors of the USDA Cotton Board, as well as a past Term Member of the Council on Foreign Relations. In 2020, she was named a Presidential Leadership Scholar.

Dr. Gorman studied at the University of Oxford as a Rotary Scholar, where she earned a Ph.D. in Politics and M.Phil. in European Politics. She also has an A.B. (summa cum laude) from Dartmouth. She is a regular speaker at national & international conferences and has authored a variety of publications. An avid marathon runner and classical pianist, she lives with her family just outside of Washington, DC.