



# Biography

## **Mr. Michael Mastaler**

*Director of the Aeronautics Test Program Office*

As director of the Aeronautics Test Program (ATP) Office, Michael Mastaler is responsible for providing strategic management of and direction for research testing capabilities across the four NASA research centers and aligning test capabilities with strategic research technical challenges.

Mastaler was previously ATP deputy director after serving a two-year detail as the ATP liaison to NASA Headquarters during which he worked closely with ARMD, the Office of Chief Engineer, and the Office of Strategic Infrastructure.

He began his NASA career in 1983 at NASA's Langley Research Center and has an extensive background in the support of research test capabilities as an engineer, engineering manager, and resources manager. He has received numerous commendations for individual and group achievements including NASA's Exceptional Service Medal.

Mastaler earned bachelor's and master's of science degrees in mechanical engineering from Old Dominion University, and a master's of business management degree from the College of William and Mary.



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