

David Jenkins grew up in Yazoo county, Mississippi and attended the Yazoo City Public Schools. After high school, he went on to attend Holmes Community College, Mississippi State University, and the University of Mississippi, where he received a Bachelor of Science degree in Civil Engineering in 1991. After college, he was hired as an engineer in training at the MS Department of Transportation. In 1994, David joined the US Army Corps of Engineers and has worked in Engineering Division and Project Management in the Vicksburg District. In 2006, David moved to the Mississippi Valley Division and served as Program Manager and Deputy Chief of the Middle District Support Team. In 2012, he was selected as Deputy Chief of Operations Division at the Vicksburg District. David has received outstanding recognition for his contributions on the Hurricane Katrina response/recovery and the Louisiana Coastal Area Ecosystem Restoration effort. He is currently the Program Chairman of the Society of Military Engineers (SAME), Vicksburg Post. He is married to the former Steffani Morgan and has two sons, Dylan and Austin. In his spare time, David likes to play guitar and is an avid Mississippi State fan and attends MSU sporting events whenever possible.