



David Thompson

joined the Telecommunications Industry Association (TIA) in 1999 as part of the Technical and Regulatory Affairs Department. In his current position, David manages the Global Standards and Technology Department, and reports to the Sr. VP of Standards and Special Projects. Responsibilities include coverage of the ITU-T and ITU-R; involvement in technical aspects of CITELE PCC.I and PCC.III; TIA alternate Council Member to the FCC chartered North American Numbering Council; coordinator for the Public Safety Partnership Project MESA, between TIA and ETSI; TIA technical contact for CALEA; emergency telecommunications and Critical Infrastructure Protection issues; and other activities important to the association and its members. In connection with ITU and CITELE meetings, David participates in the U.S. Department of State preparatory process involving the U.S. ITAC. David holds a Masters degree in Telecommunications (1999) and a Bachelor's in Multimedia Production (1997) from George Mason University (Fairfax, Virginia), in addition to other technology and engineering related certifications.