

Distribution of Top Leadership Positions at the DOE Office of Science National Laboratories

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Introduction:

This report contains data pertaining to the gender demographics in the top three tiers of leadership roles in the DOE Office of Science National Laboratories. Because of lack of direct access to these demographics from each of the laboratories, the data was collected from the organizational charts of the websites of the laboratories from June 2014-August 2014. These are displayed in the report. The intention is to do a follow-up report in 2018.

Summary of Results:

In general, there were few women in top research oriented leadership roles at each of the 10 Department of Science laboratories. There were no female Laboratory Directors or Deputy Directors (although there was one female Chief of Staff). There was at most one female in a science and technology Associate Laboratory Director position. It was more common for women to occupy higher levels in operations and human resources rather than in research positions.

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