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| The Boeing Company 100 N. Riverside PlazaChicago, IL, 60606Mail Code 5003-5495 [www.boeing.com](http://www.boeing.com)  **Ezunial (Eze) Burts III**  **Senior Manager  Future Production Systems & Mfg. Technology**  **Boeing Commercial Airplanes Mfg. & Safety** | **Biography** |

Eze Burts is senior manager Systems & Technology, Environment Health & Safety (EHS) within Boeing Commercial Airplanes (BCA) Manufacturing & Safety at The Boeing Company. He is responsible for rapidly advancing the adoption of technology and innovative industry methods to drive safety, quality, digital transformation, factory automation and future production strategy – while closely interfacing with the enterprise operations councils for Manufacturing, Supply Chain, Quality and Program Management. Previously, he served as senior manager Global Engineering Strategy & Operations / External Technical Affiliations (ETA). He oversaw company-wide strategy and investment levels for ETA global strategic partnerships to shape the company’s future, boost innovation, sustainability, productivity and profitable growth. He was sub-delegated this authority jointly from the Chief Engineer and Chief Information Officer. He led a team of geographically dispersed program management professionals who establish, negotiate and manage a dynamic investment portfolio of strategic third party partnerships to strengthen Boeing’s brand via targeted sponsorships and community investments, cultivate a diverse STEM talent pipeline, develop and engage Boeing’s workforce, shape industry standards and influence public policy.

Eze is a transformative Global Supply Chain and Program Management leader, a STEM talent pipeline cultivator and an innovation ecosystem builder with 20+ years of demonstrated experience managing complex programs for the sale, development, manufacture, production and sustainment across Boeing’s products and services lifecycle. He has deep experience driving enterprise strategies, integrated organization plans, deploying strategic workforce planning activities, and leading cross-functional teams to drive Fortune 500 Company priorities. Eze is a Certified Professional Contract Manager, with a Global Logistics Specialist Professional Designation. He earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Public Policy at the University of Southern California – while playing varsity college hoops – and attained an enhanced understanding of cutting edge approaches for creating innovation ecosystems within corporations at MIT Sloan School of Management. He joined Boeing as an Engineering intern in 2001.

Eze is a Global Logistics Professional Designation Program Instructor in the Center of International Trade & Transportation at California State University Long Beach. He is a founding board member of Thriving Elements, a non-profit organization headquartered in Seattle, Washington, which provides mentorship for girls in underserved neighborhoods who are pursuing STEM career paths. Eze was raised in Los Angeles, California, and is passionate about alleviating water scarcity. He, his wife and daughter spend their free time traveling to the world's most unique destinations. Most breathtaking travel experience thus far = Seychelles, Africa.

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