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**Cindy  
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Cindy Nafus is the vice president of Production Operations for United Launch Alliance (ULA). In this role she serves as the strategic leader responsible for the production of ULA's Atlas V, Delta IV and Vulcan Centaur rockets.

Nafus began her career with the McDonnell Douglas Corporation in 1983 and worked in a quality support role on both the Spacelab and SPACEHAB Programs. After joining the Decatur, Alabama, Operations team in 1999, she held several positions of increasing responsibility with The Boeing Company and then ULA, including director of Production Operations and vice president of Quality, Safety and Mission Success.

Nafus earned a Bachelor of Science degree in business from Athens State University. She has served in numerous positions of leadership in the community including board of director positions at the Decatur/Morgan County (Alabama) Chamber of Commerce and the Morgan County Economic Development Association as well as serving on the United Way Women's Leadership Council. In 2016, Nafus was honored as a 2016 North Alabama Girl Scouts Woman of Distinction Award recipient. In 2019, Nafus was named one of 20 Women of Impact in Alabama by Yellowhammer Multimedia.

