BIOGRAPHY



Amanda Bacchetti

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Amanda Bacchetti is the vice president of Product Development for United Launch Alliance (ULA). In this role, Bacchetti is responsible for Vulcan block upgrades, development of Centaur for the Space Launch System (SLS), Emergency Detection System development for Vulcan Starliner and new capability development to support emerging markets. She also works collaboratively across organizations to mature ULA's product development roadmap, associated business cases and the long-term execution strategy for key upgrades to the Vulcan launch system and beyond. Prior to this assignment, Bacchetti served as the director of Strategic Development and the director of Vehicle Subsystems Integration, focused on engineering support and overall execution of critical Vulcan components and systems from key partners.

Bacchetti has held of number of leadership positions over her career at ULA including director of Vulcan Development, a role in which she was instrumental in establishing the processes and culture for executing development at ULA; senior leader of Upper Stage Development; manager of the Payload Accommodations hardware group, including serving as program manager for ULA's strategic partnership with Beyond Gravity; and mission manager with responsibility for programmatic, technical, budget and schedule for missions launched on Atlas V and Delta IV rockets. Bacchetti began her aerospace career as a mechanical design engineer focused on payload accommodations hardware.

Bacchetti earned a Bachelor of Science in Aerospace Engineering from Worcester Polytechnic Institute and a Master of Science in Engineering Management from the University of Southern California.

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