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John E. McClurg serves as Vice President and Chief Security Officer of Dell's Global Security Organization. McClurg's responsibilities include the strategic focus and tactical operations of Dell's internal global security services, both physical and cyber. He is also charged with the advocacy of business resilience and security prowess generally, the seamless integration of Dell's various security offerings, and with improving the effectiveness and efficiency of security initiatives.

Before joining Dell, McClurg served as the Vice President of Global Security at Honeywell International; Lucent Technologies/Bell Laboratories; and in the U.S. Intelligence Community, as a twice-decorated member of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), where he held an assignment with the US Department of Energy (DOE) as a Branch Chief charged with establishing a Cyber-Counterintelligence program within the DOE's newly created Office of Counterintelligence. Prior to that, McClurg served as a Supervisory Special Agent within the FBI, assisting in the establishment of the FBI's new Computer Investigations and Infrastructure Threat Assessment Center or what was later known as the National Infrastructure Protection Center within the Department of Homeland Security. McClurg also served, for a time, on assignment as a Deputy Branch Chief with the Central Intelligence Agency, helping to establish the new Counterespionage Group and was responsible for the management of complex counterespionage investigations. He also served as a Special Agent for the FBI in the Los Angeles Field Office where he implemented plans to protect critical US technologies targeted for unlawful acquisition by foreign powers and served on one of the nation's first Joint Terrorism Task Forces.

McClurg was recently voted one of America's 25 most influential security professionals; was a 2008 CSO Compass Award recipient; holds a J.D. Degree from Brigham Young University; is a member of the Utah Bar Association; Co-chaired the Overseas Security Advisory Council (OSAC) of the U.S. Department of State and sits on the FBI's Domestic Security (DSAC) & National Security Business Alliance Councils (NSBAC). He also holds an MA in Organizational Behavior, BS and BA degrees in University Studies and Philosophy from Brigham Young, and advanced doctoral studies in Philosophical Hermeneutics at UNC-Chapel Hill and UCLA.