

George Lolas

Chief Operating Officer

California State Controller's Office

George Lolas serves as the Chief Operating Officer (COO) for the State Controller's Office and oversees the functions within the Division of Accounting and Reporting, the Division of Audits, the Unclaimed Property Division, and the Controller's Fi\$CAL operations. Prior to becoming the COO, George was the Chief of the Division of Accounting and Reporting where he was responsible for both Local Government and State Government Operations within the division.

Mr. Lolas also served as the Assistant Chief for Local Operations within the Division of Accounting and Reporting prior to his appointment as Division Chief. In addition, he served as the Chief of the Office of Program Evaluation with the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation and as the Chief of the Performance Analysis and Collections Enhancement Branch at the Department of Child Support Services. His background also includes work as an internal audit manager and as a compliance auditor with the Employment Development Department where he started his state career.

Mr. Lolas holds a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration, with a concentration in Accounting, from San Francisco State University and a Leadership Certificate from California State University, Sacramento. He is also a member of the Association of Certified Fraud Examiners and the Association of Government Accountants. He has been with the State Controller's Office for almost 8 years and with the State of California for 28 years.