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Catherine L Jones is currently the Director of Employee Plans Examinations in the Tax Exempt & Government Entities division. In this assignment, she leads a nationwide compliance program of over 400 employees responsible for thousands of audits per year in support of enforcing programs for qualified retirement plans, protecting pension plan assets and the associated retiree benefits. Cathy is based in the Brooklyn, NY office.

Cathy recently served as Acting Director, Employee Plans. She provided executive leadership and direction in all matters relating to the Examinations and Rulings and Agreements programs of Employee Plans.

In prior assignments, Cathy served as Director Field Operations (DFO) North Atlantic in the Northeastern Practice Area within the Large Business & International (LB&I) division. She was also the Acting Director for the former International Individual Compliance unit, the Acting Industry Director for the former Financial Services headquartered in New York City and DFO in both the former Heavy Manufacturing and Transportation and Heavy Manufacturing Pharmaceutical units in LB&I.

Prior to becoming an executive in 2010, Cathy served on numerous committees and projects. She has worked in Employee Plans since 1983 where she held numerous positions such as tax auditor, revenue agent, actuarial coordinator and various frontline and senior management positions. Cathy began her IRS career as a seasonal Taxpayer Service Contact Representative in the former Taxpayer Service Division.

Cathy also serves as a mentor for future senior managers and executives.

Cathy graduated from Executive Readiness in 2006 and is a graduate of the 2010 Candidate Development Program.