



## Thomas Vehec

Site Vice President, Edwin I. Hatch Nuclear Plant  
Southern Nuclear Operating Company

Tom Vehec joined Southern Nuclear as site vice president of the Edwin I. Hatch Nuclear Plant in May 2018. Tom came to Plant Hatch from NextEra Energy, where he most recently served as fleet vice president and offered recovery support to Grand Gulf Nuclear Station in Port Gibson, Mississippi. Prior to that, he was site vice president at Duane Arnold Nuclear Plant in Palo, Iowa. Before his role at Duane Arnold, he was site director and plant general manager at NextEra Energy's Seabrook Station. He has also held leadership roles in several functional areas at Point Beach, DC Cook, Indian Point, Turkey Point, San Onofre and Salem nuclear stations.

Over the course of Tom's 36-year career in the nuclear industry, he has also progressed through roles with Westinghouse, AEP, Entergy and ConEdison. Additionally, Tom served as program manager for the U.S. Department of Energy's International Nuclear Safety Program and managed projects to improve the operational safety of RBMK reactors, developed symptom based emergency procedures and initiated an equipment database at the WANO Moscow Center that all operators of RBMK Russian-designed reactors agreed to populate.

Tom is a graduate of State University of New York–Albany where he earned a Bachelor of Science degree in nuclear engineering technology. He earned multiple Master of Science degrees from Florida Institute of Technology in business and information sciences and management.