

Robert W. Young

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Robert W. Young, formerly the Assistant Inspector General for Audit (AIG/A), Office of Inspector General (OIG), U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) retired from Federal service on January 2, 2010. Brought back as a reemployed annuitant, Mr. Young is the Special Assistant to the Inspector General on Recovery Act. In this capacity, Mr. Young is responsible for all coordination and oversight of OIG's activities as it pertains to the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009.

Mr. Young has over 39 years of experience as an auditor and manager. He has been responsible for managing, conducting, and planning audits and evaluations involving a wide variety of programs and functional areas with extensive experience in the financial and information technology (IT) areas. Mr. Young served as the AIG/A from January 2004 to his retirement. Prior to that, Mr. Young served 8 years as the Deputy Assistant Inspector General. Mr. Young has also served as the Director of the OIG Administration and Finance Division; as the Assistant Regional Inspector General in the OIG Kansas City, Missouri, regional office; and as the supervisor in charge of the OIG St. Louis, Missouri, office.

Mr. Young is a graduate of West Virginia University with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Accounting. He is a Certified Information Systems Auditor, and a Certified Government Financial Manager.