



# Biography



## **Meghan Latcovich** Chief of Staff

Meghan Latcovich was appointed Chief of Staff at the World Food Programme in April 2023. Prior to this, she was chief of staff at the U.S. Mission to the United Nations Agencies in Rome. Ms. Latcovich joined the Mission after working at the McCain Institute for ten years, during which she was the strategic advisor and the director of the Sedona Forum at the McCain Institute for International Leadership at Arizona State University.

Previously, Ms. Latcovich was director of communications and programming at the Institute for two years. Before joining the Institute team, she served as Chief of Staff for Cindy McCain and travelled extensively throughout the world managing Mrs. McCain's humanitarian missions. She also accompanied Mrs. McCain during the 2008 Presidential campaign as her senior advisor.

Ms. Latcovich began her career flying combat missions as a U.S. Navy helicopter pilot. She also worked in the Pentagon and the Navy's Office of Legislative Affairs for the United States Senate. She is a 1999 graduate of the United States Naval Academy, where she majored in economics and was captain of the women's track team. A U.S. national, Ms. Latcovich is married with two children.