

RON BENDLIN

President & Chief Executive Officer

Ron Bendlin serves as President and Chief Executive Officer of TCOM Holdings—parent company of TCOM, LP and Aerostar—and is a member of the Board of Managers. Under his leadership, these companies have become global leaders in elevated surface-to-stratosphere systems for Intelligence, Surveillance, and Reconnaissance (ISR) missions, utilizing lighter-than-air platforms. Mr. Bendlin oversees the development of advanced



solutions supporting defense, homeland security, emergency response, and law enforcement operations for the U.S. government and allied nations.

Work History & Experience

Previously, Mr. Bendlin held leadership positions within TCOM where he was responsible for research, design, and product development. Throughout his career, he has directly supported the defense industry by integrating surveillance payloads including radars, cameras, and sensors into elevated and autonomous platforms. TCOM continues to deliver persistence, mobility, and flexibility allowing for rapid response to threats, real-time situational awareness, and integration with all-domain systems, from tethered aerostats and high-altitude balloons to tethered UAS.

Education

Mr. Bendlin holds a Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering from North Carolina State University and a Master of Science in Technical Management from Johns Hopkins University. In addition, he completed Cornell University's Executive Development Program at the Johnson School of Management.