

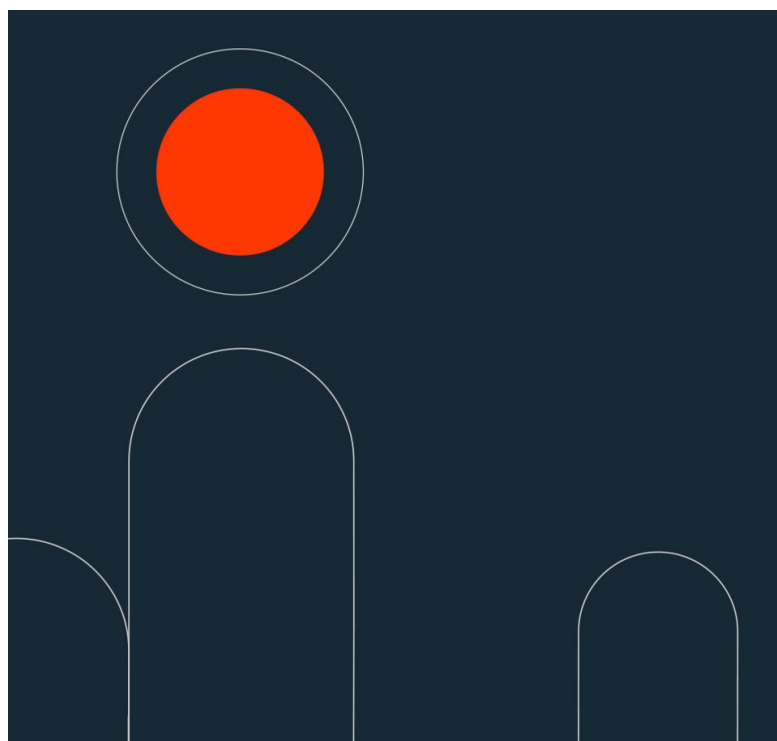
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About Tom

Tom Feddo is one of the US' leading authorities on investment security, economic sanctions, national security and geopolitical risk, with extensive experience advising on complex cross-border transactions and government investigations. He currently serves on the Defense Policy Board, a select group of senior national security experts that provides independent strategic advice directly to Secretary of War Pete Hegseth on critical defense and national security matters. He was appointed to the board by Secretary Hegseth in 2026.

Tom served as the first Senate-confirmed assistant secretary of the treasury for investment security, leading the US government's Committee on Foreign Investment in the United States (CFIUS) process from 2018 to 2021. He spearheaded implementation of the Foreign Investment Risk Review Modernization Act and oversaw national security reviews of more than 500 transactions valued at over US\$400 billion, spanning critical infrastructure, advanced manufacturing, semiconductors, energy and emerging technologies.

Previously, Tom served as assistant director for enforcement at the Department of the Treasury's Office of Foreign Assets Control (OFAC), where he directed major sanctions investigations and enforcement actions involving international financial institutions and multinational corporations. His government experience also includes senior legal and policy roles with the US Navy and the House Energy and Commerce Committee.

A former Navy submarine officer, Tom is a permanent member of the Council on Foreign Relations and a recipient of the Alexander Hamilton Award, the Treasury Department's highest honor.

At the firm, Tom advises corporations, investors and governments on investment security, economic sanctions, cross-border transactions and geopolitical risk, helping clients navigate complex regulatory environments and pursue strategic commercial opportunities.

Credentials

Education

- George Washington University, J.D., 2000
- United States Naval Academy, B.S., 1990

Expertise

Services

- Public Policy

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