Chad A. Reed

Chad A. Reed serves as the Vice President for Administration and Finance and Chief Financial Officer at Old Dominion University. Chad is a member of the University's senior leadership team and provides executive leadership for the University Budget and Financial Planning, Facilities Management Design and Construction, Office of Finance, Institutional Research, Public Safety and Emergency Management, Real Estate Development, Risk Management, and Strategic Sourcing. He also serves as the University's Chief Financial Officer in coordinating the development of the University's annual operating budget, in excess of \$650 million.

Chad earned a Bachelor of Arts in Political Science with a minor in Business from East Tennessee State University and a Master in Public Administration from Virginia Tech. He is a proud native of the Commonwealth of Virginia and has served the state for 17 years, to include prior service at Radford University and Virginia Tech. Prior to his public service in higher education, Chad worked in various operation and management roles within the private sector, including Norfolk Southern Corporation and DHL Group.

Throughout his professional career, his proven record of success in advocating for and supporting public higher education in Virginia, he has fully demonstrated his commitment to access and opportunity. This includes a strategic focus on identifying and implementing tuition models that promote both affordability and timely degree completion and increase targeted financial assistance for unique student populations such as international students and student athletes. He is highly-regarded for his solution focused mentality, which is driven by his commitment to customer service, public stewardship, and servant leadership.