

James Dodd, Operations Manager, SAP North America Headquarters

James “Jim” Dodd is the Operations Manager at SAP’s North America Headquarters. For over ten years, Mr. Dodd has overseen operations at the facility, most notably during the Headquarters achievement of LEED Platinum status in 2010. Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED) Platinum is the highest rating given to facilities by the U.S. Green Building Council.

The SAP Headquarters in Newtown Square, Pennsylvania is currently the largest LEED Platinum-certified facility in the state. SAP achieved this certification through its commitment to water efficiency with innovative strategies such as a 50,000-gallon cistern that supplies water for landscape irrigation at the entire facility. Through energy efficiency in its Newtown Square building, SAP is also contributing to its global efforts of lowering the company’s carbon emissions by 50 percent by 2020.

Prior to becoming Facilities Manager at SAP’s North America Headquarters, Mr. Dodd served as a Defense Contractor at Unisys Corporation for 20 years. In this capacity he was twice awarded the James S. Cogswell Award for Security Excellence from the United States government. Along with his experience at Unisys, Jim served a Director of Facilities and Security at Mutual Pharmaceuticals as well as Director of Administration at Towers Perrin.

James Dodd studied at Fairleigh Dickenson University and George Mason University and for four years was stationed with the Joint Chiefs of Staff for the United States Army.