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Mr. Hagood has worked throughout his career advancing research and innovation programs in the energy, environment and water resource fields working primarily in the Northwest and overseas. Mr. Hagood most recently retired from Battelle Energy Alliance, where he was engaged primarily in program development at Idaho National Laboratory (INL) associated with applied research in renewable, fossil, and nuclear energy, hybrid energy systems, energy storage and electric vehicles. Mike also led efforts for INL in developing western regional energy initiatives. Building on his unique skillset and experience, Mike is currently assisting the WSU Office of Research and WSU Tri Cities in developing strategic partnerships and collaborations to enhance the WSU research and education missions. Mike is a registered geologist in the state of Washington. Both Mike and his artist-wife, Denise, relocated back to Washington state in 2019 and reside in Richland.