

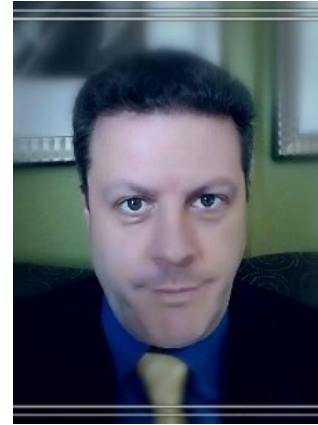
Production WG



Overview/Mission:

Serves as a collaborative environment between industry and government agencies for the exchange of views and information regarding the use of program management control for monitoring the progress of contracts with a production focus

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Objectives:

- Conduct a survey of the USG to assess the government's data need for managing production contracts
- Conduct a survey of the Industry to assess the management
- Development of a Production Controls Best Practice Guide

- Scott LaFrance will act as a co-chair until the Working Group is up and functioning
- Jeff King will serve as co-chair
- Eventually, the intent is to identify 1 more Industry co-lead and Scott LaFrance will remain as BoD liaison

- Bi-weekly teleconferences for working group to establish requirements and methodology for conducting surveys
- Assess and refine the vision/mission of the WG
- Identify some short-term wins to build momentum
- Establish sub-group to begin framing Program Controls in Production Best Practice Guide
- Primary focus is on Program Management utility
- Need more USG involvement

Plan of Action & Milestones

- Form teams, refine purpose and mission
- Review existing documentation
- Develop survey purpose and methodology
- Conduct surveys
- Analyze results of surveys
- Review and refine mission and goals
- Best Practice Guide

- What is it that people would like this group to do?
- There are changes coming with “Program Controls” and we need to be leaner and more rapid with PPC data
- HVI v LVI v Critical in the IMS? What is “sufficient detail”?
- What defines a critical part? How do companies define a part as “Critical”?

Industry Survey Ideas

- Need a mix of USG and Industry for sub-committee
- Process/mechanism for identifying critical material
- Performance at point of consumption v. receipt
- BOM maturity and volatility
- Production Maturity
- Tools and reporting

USG Survey Ideas

- Need a mix of USG and Industry for sub-committee
- What do the buying commands need to manage their portfolio? What is important to know?
- Still mining for ideas. Part of the discussion on the teleconferences moving forward.