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## MONDAY, MAY 15

- 2:00 pm – 7:00 pm     **REGISTRATION OPEN**
- 5:30 pm – 7:00 pm     **ANNUAL TACTICAL WHEELED VEHICLE NETWORKING RECEPTION / ICE BREAKER**

## TUESDAY, MAY 16

- 7:00 am – 6:30 pm     **REGISTRATION OPEN**
- 7:00 am – 8:00 am     **NETWORKING CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST**  
**Sponsored by Fincantieri Marine Group**
- 8:00 am – 8:10 am     **CONFERENCE OVERVIEW AND WELCOME**
  - Mr. Eddie Garcia, *Chairman, NDIA Tactical Wheeled Vehicles Division*
- 8:10 am – 8:30 am     **NDIA UPDATE**
  - CAPT D. Bruce Roulstone, USN (Ret), *Vice President, Program Development, NDIA*
- 8:30 am – 12:00 pm     **SESSION I**  
CHAIRMAN: MG Roger Nadeau, USA (Ret), *Senior Vice President, American Business Development Group*
- 8:30 am – 9:00 am     **KEYNOTE ADDRESS: TOP MODERNIZATION PRIORITIES FOR OUR TACTICAL WHEELED VEHICLE FLEET**
  - MG Bob Marion, USA, *Deputy for Acquisition & Systems Management, Office of the Assistant Secretary of the Army (Acquisition, Logistics and Technology) (ASA(ALT))*
- 9:00 am – 9:30 am     **SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY INITIATIVES FOR TACTICAL VEHICLES**
  - Dr. David Walker, *Director of Technology, Office of Naval Research*
- 9:30 am – 10:00 am     **SUSTAINMENT AND MODERNIZATION CHALLENGES FOR OUR TACTICAL WHEELED VEHICLE FLEET**
  - MG Clark LeMasters, USA, *Commanding General, U.S. Army TACOM Life Cycle Management Command*
- 10:00 am – 10:30 am     **NETWORKING BREAK**
- 10:30 am – 10:50 am     **NAVIGATING THE BUSINESS OF ARMY DEFENSE EXPORTS AND COOPERATION FOR TACTICAL WHEELED VEHICLES**
  - Ms. Ann Cataldo, SES, *Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Army for Defense Exports and Cooperation, Office of the Assistant Secretary of the Army (Acquisition, Logistics and Technology) (ASA(ALT))*
- 10:50 am – 11:15 am     **FOREIGN MILITARY SALES (FMS) OF TACTICAL WHEELED VEHICLES, UPDATE FOR INDUSTRY**
  - Mr. Bert Liptak, *Director, Security Assistance Management Directorate (SAM-D), U.S. Army TACOM Life Cycle Management Command*
- 11:15 am – 12:00 pm     **CONGRESSIONAL PANEL DISCUSSION: TACTICAL WHEELED VEHICLES AND DEFENSE PRIORITIES UNDER THE NEW TRUMP ADMINISTRATION**  
  
**Moderator:** Mr. Thomas “TJ” Stapleton, *President, Stapleton & Associates*
  - Mr. Douglas Bush, *Congressional House Armed Services Committee*
  - Mr. Jesse Tolleson, *Congressional House Armed Services Committee*
  - Mr. Paul “Church” Hutton, *Senate Appropriations Committee*
  - Mr. Jeremy Steslicki, *Military Legislative Assistant (MLA) for Senator Tammy Baldwin (D – WI)*

## TUESDAY, MAY 16 (CONTINUED)

- 12:00 am – 1:00 pm **NETWORKING LUNCHEON**
- 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm **SESSION II**  
CHAIRMAN: Mr. Eddie Garcia, *Chairman, NDIA Tactical Wheeled Vehicles Division; and Senior Director, Oshkosh Defense, LLC*
- 1:00 pm – 1:30 pm **KEYNOTE ADDRESS: TOP LOGISTICS AND INNOVATION PRIORITIES FOR OUR TACTICAL WHEELED VEHICLE FLEET**
  - LtGen Michael Dana, USMC, *Deputy Commandant, Installations and Logistics, U.S. Marine Corps*
- 1:30 pm – 2:30 pm **AUTONOMOUS VEHICLE TECHNOLOGY PANEL: EMERGING MILITARY AND COMMERCIAL UNMANNED VEHICLE TECHNOLOGIES – ARE THEY READY FOR TWV MILITARY OPERATIONS?**  
**Moderator:** Dr. Bob Sadowski, *Army Chief Roboticist, TARDEC Ground Vehicle Robotics*
  - Mr. John Beck, *Senior Chief Principal Engineer, Oshkosh Defense, LLC*
  - Mr. Don Overton, *Deputy TCM-Transportation, Unmanned Ground Division, U.S. Army*
  - Mr. Fred Wehrli, *Deputy TCM-Transportation, Unmanned Air-Maritime Division, U.S. Army*
  - Mr. Alberto Lacaze, *President, Robotic Research, LLC*
  - LTC Cory Berg, *PdM Applique & Large Unmanned Ground Systems, Force Projection, PEO CS&CSS, U.S. Army*
- 2:30 pm – 3:00 pm **DLA EMERGING INITIATIVES TO PROVIDE CRITICAL SUPPORT OF DOD'S TACTICAL VEHICLE FLEET**
  - Mr. James McClaugherty, SES, *Deputy Commander, DLA Land & Maritime*
- 3:00 pm – 3:30 pm **NETWORKING BREAK**
- 3:30 pm – 4:30 pm **GREYBEARD PANEL: DOD AND TACTICAL WHEELED VEHICLE OUTLOOK**  
**Moderator:** LTG Joseph Yakovac, USA (Ret), *Senior Counselor, The Cohen Group*
  - Mr. Kevin Fahey, SES (Ret), *Senior Vice President, Cypress International*
  - GEN Paul Kern, USA (Ret), *Senior Counselor, The Cohen Group*
  - MG Roger Nadeau, USA (Ret), *Senior Vice President, American Business Development Group*
- 4:30 pm – 5:00 pm **U.S. ARMY WATERCRAFT SYSTEMS UPDATE**
  - COL Paul Fiscus, USA, *TRADOC Capability Manager-Transportation, U.S. Army Combined Arms Support Command, Fort Lee, VA*
  - COL Daniel Furber, USA, *Project Manager, Transportation Systems*
- 5:00 pm – 5:15 pm **2017 RED BALL EXPRESS AWARD PRESENTATIONS**
  - Industry Award
  - Government Award
- 5:15 pm – 6:30 pm **ANNUAL CONFERENCE RECEPTION**  
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## WEDNESDAY, MAY 17

- 7:00 am – 8:00 am **NETWORKING CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST**
- 7:00 am – 12:00 pm **REGISTRATION OPEN**
- 8:00 am – 12:00 pm **SESSION III**  
CHAIRMAN: Mr. Dave Laverdiere, *Director Detroit Operations, Allison Transmission*
- 8:00 am – 8:30 am **KEYNOTE ADDRESS: ROLE OF TACTICAL WHEELED VEHICLES FOR ARMY DEPLOYMENT AND DISTRIBUTION INITIATIVES TO SUPPORT EXPEDITIONARY FORCES: THE SPEARHEAD OF LOGISTICS!**
  - BG Jeffrey Drushal, USA, *U.S. Army Chief of Transportation, U.S. Army Transportation Corps and Transportation School, Fort Lee, VA*
- 8:30 am – 9:15 am **U.S. ARMY PEO CS&CSS AND USMC PEO LAND SYSTEMS: PEO PROGRAMS AND PRIORITIES**
  - Mr. Scott Davis, SES, *Program Executive Officer, Combat Support & Combat Service Support, U.S. Army*
  - Col Andrew Bianca, USMC, *Program Executive Officer, Land Systems (Acting), U.S. Marine Corps*
- 9:15 am – 9:30 am **NETWORKING BREAK**
- 9:30 am – 10:00 am **ARMY EQUIPMENT MODERNIZATION STRATEGY AND 2017 ARMY EQUIPMENT PROGRAM – BUDGET CHALLENGES FOR TACTICAL VEHICLES**
  - LTG John Murray, USA, *Deputy Chief of Staff, Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff, G-8, U.S. Army, Pentagon*
- 10:00 am – 12:00 pm **TACTICAL WHEELED VEHICLE PM SESSIONS**
  - COL Daniel Furber, USA, *Project Manager, Transportation Systems, U.S. Army*
  - Mr. Steve Pinter, *Program Manager, Medium and Heavy Tactical Vehicles, U.S. Marine Corps*
  - COL Jason Craft, USA, *Project Manager, Mine Resistant Ambush Protected (MRAP) Vehicles, U.S. Army*
  - LtCol John Gutierrez, USMC, *Product Manager, Vehicle Systems, Joint Light Tactical Vehicles, U.S. Marine Corps*
  - Mr. Andrew Rodgers, *Program Manager, Light Tactical Vehicles, U.S. Marine Corps*
- 12:00 pm **CONFERENCE WRAP-UP AND ADJOURN**