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Topic Areas:

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What identified problems does NDIA Connect solve?

- Needs As Identified by NMLC (formerly PDAC)
 1. Space for Easy Collaboration and Integration
 2. Forum for discussion between Chapters and Divisions



High-Level Overview

- Online community hosted by industry leader HigherLogic
- Customizations based on feedback from Chapter & Division leaders
- Member-Only Benefit
 - (with key areas open to non-members)
- Connect and Collaborate
- Tailored Content to User

Bottom Line: NDIA Connect is an investment in the Association's next 100 years

What can NDIA Connect do?



Basic Functionalities of NDIA Connect:

- Add other users as personal contacts
- Crowd-source answers to questions
- Start and/or add to discussion threads
- Join specialized groups/communities
- Connect with users world-wide
- Tag content and users
- Accessible 24/7

Additional Functionalities of NDIA Connect:

- All NDIA-related information in one location
 - Upload and access documents in document libraries i.e. repositories
 - Ability to collaborate on documents IN the platform via Workspace
- Tailored online community experience—information customized to users' interests and permissions
- Receive NDIA updates on your schedule—users choose between real-time, daily and weekly digest options



Space for Easy Collaboration and Integration

- Communities at the heart of NDIA Connect
- Customizable permissions per community
 - Limit who can see or join specialized closed communities i.e. NMLC
 - Ability to tease content to non-members in specific communities
- Multiple Levels of Libraries
 - Build an industry knowledge base of best practices, documents, and media.
 - Share and disseminate content quickly and effectively
 - Ability to comment, recommend, and moderate files.
 - Ability to tag files for easier accessibility
- **Workspace**

Forum for discussion between Chapters and Divisions

The screenshot shows the NDIA Connect website interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with links for Home, Communities, Directory, Events, Browse, and Participate. A search bar is also present. Below the navigation bar, the page is titled "All Communities" and features a "Create a New Community" button. A list of communities is displayed, each with a category name, a "Members" count, and a "Join" button. The communities listed are: Chapters, Divisions, Education, National Training and Simulation Association (NTSA), NDIA General Community, Policy, and Women in Defense (WID). Each community entry includes a small "admin" icon and a timestamp indicating when the last person joined.

- All communities will fall under six main categories
 - Chapters
 - Divisions
 - Education
 - NTSA *(also has its own online community)*
 - Policy
 - WID *(also has its own online community)*

- Tailored Communities
 - Users see relevant content
 - Information is accessible, not buried within long email chains
 - Tags
 - Ability to add communities as need arises

- **Cross collaboration via Workspace and Projects**



Additional NDIA Connect Features





Home Page Highlights

- Home Page reflects The User
- Security
- Gamification



Community Highlights

The screenshot shows the NDIA Connect website interface. At the top right, there are links for [NDIA.org](#), [Contact Us](#), [Help/FAQs](#), and [Rules & Etiquette](#), along with a user profile dropdown. The main header features the NDIA Connect logo and the tagline "At the Heart of the Mission Since 1919". Below this is a navigation bar with links for Home, My Communities, Engage, Affiliates, Chapters, Divisions, Education, Events, and Policy, and a search box. The page title is "General NDIA Chapter Leader Community" with a settings icon. A "Community Navigator" section includes tabs for Community Home, Discussion (0), Library (0), Events (0), Members (1), and Workspace. The main content area is divided into three sections: "Latest Discussion Posts" with a "Post to this Discussion" button, "Announcements" with an "Add Announcement" button, and "Latest Shared Files" with a "Create a Library Entry" button. An "Upload File" button is also visible in the top right of the content area.

- View content at both the macro level and community level
 - Each community has their own navigation bar
- Collaborate via Workspace on living documents
- Library Repository
 - Share best practices, instructions, manuals, etc.
- Discussion



User Profile

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Contact Us | Profile | Settings

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Home Communities Directory Browse Participate

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Add as Contact

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Email Consent Choice
• Yes

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- Add users as Contacts
- NDIA Connect is self-contained
 - Online community inbox keeps all NDIA Connect communications in **one** area
 - Messages by default are also forwarded to your email; no missed messages!



NDIA Connect Digests

Workspace Test Community Digest for Monday October 21, 2019



National Defense Industrial Association <DoNotF...>
To: Sofia Losada

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Tue 10/22/2019 2:05 AM

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Workspace Test Community

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Oct 21, 2019 2:50 PM

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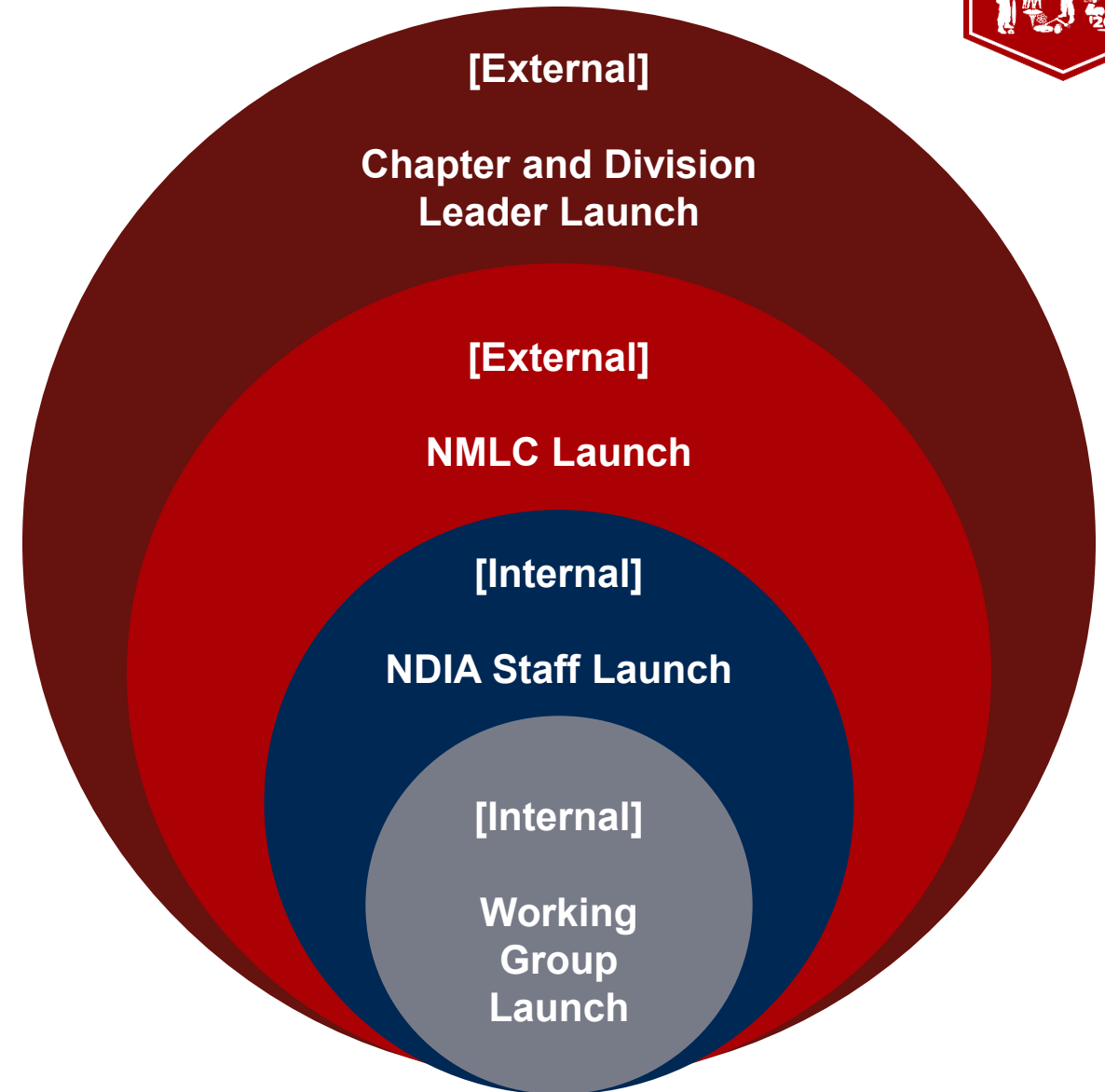
- Receive an email each morning highlighting the discussions from the day before.
- Reply directly from your daily digest email by using the “Reply to Group” feature.
- Digests are configurable
 - Digests can be set to Real Time, Daily or Weekly Consolidated in your user profile

Your role in NDIA Connect

- **Beta Testers**

- Accomplish lists of tasks to eliminate bugs before full membership launch
- Provide feedback

- **Be active users in NDIA Connect**





Questions?





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