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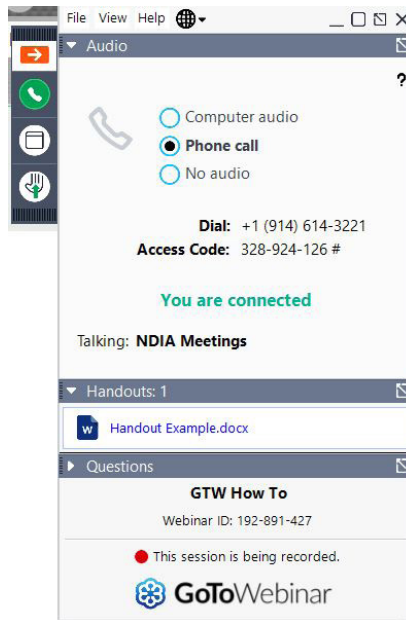
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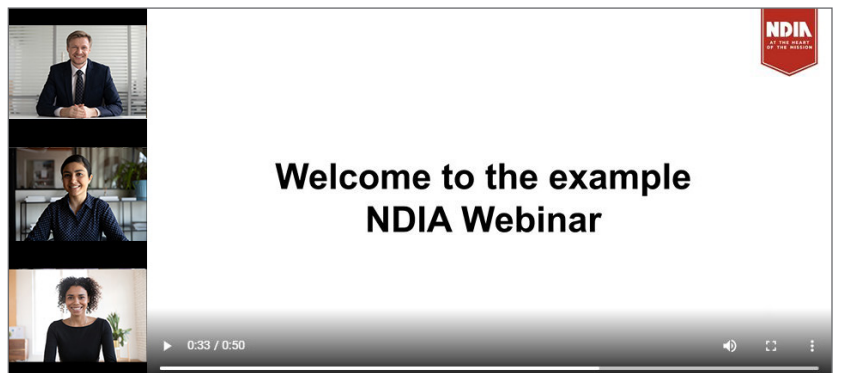
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AGENDA

TUESDAY, APRIL 13

CONCURRENT SESSIONS: COMMITTEE BREAKOUTS

9:00 am – 12:00 pm EDT

**Contract & Acquisition Management
and Legal Committee**
RINGCENTRAL

Contract Finance Committee
RINGCENTRAL

12:00 – 1:00 pm EDT

BREAK

1:00 – 2:00 pm EDT

KEYNOTE SPEAKER
GOTOWEBINAR

Kim Herrington
Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Industrial Policy for Acquisition & Sustainment

Matthew Popham
Chair, Procurement Division, National Defense Industrial Association (NDIA)
Moderator

2:00 – 2:05 pm EDT

BREAK

2:05 – 3:05 pm EDT

PANEL
GOTOWEBINAR

Yii Bajraktari
Executive Director, National Security Commission on Artificial Intelligence

Honorable Katrina McFarland
Chairman of the Board, Army Research and Development, National Academies of Science
Former Assistant Secretary of Defense for Acquisition
Acting Assistant Secretary of the Army for Acquisition, Logistics, & Technology

Zachary Mears, PhD
Head of Strategy, Anduril Industries

Shane Shaneman
Senior Fellow, Artificial Intelligence, NDIA
Senior Director, National Security & Defense, Carnegie Mellon University
Moderator

3:05 – 3:10 pm EDT

CLOSING REMARKS
GOTOWEBINAR

Matthew Popham
Chair, Procurement Division, NDIA
Moderator

4:30 – 5:30 pm EDT

VIRTUAL HAPPY HOUR
RINGCENTRAL

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 14

9:00 – 11:00 am EDT

PEC MEETING
RINGCENTRAL

1:00 – 4:00 pm EDT

GOVERNMENT PROPERTY COMMITTEE BREAKOUT
RINGCENTRAL

KEYNOTE SPEAKER



KIM HERRINGTON

Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Industrial Policy for Acquisition & Sustainment

Mr. Kim Herrington currently serves as the Acting Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Industrial

Policy for Acquisition and Sustainment (A&S), a position he assumed after serving as the Acting Principal Director, Defense Pricing and Contracting (DPC) from November 2018 to November 2020. In this capacity, he is responsible for critically analyzing the U.S. defense industrial base to ensure a healthy and robust industry is available to support the nation's economic and security needs.

Prior to his current position, Mr. Herrington served as the Acting Principal Director, Defense Pricing and Contracting where he was responsible for contract pricing and procurement policy matters within DoD, whose 30,000 contracting professionals spend over \$300 Billion annually. In that role, he was the principal advisor to the USD (A&S) on acquisition and procurement negotiation strategies for all major weapon systems programs, and major automated information systems programs. He was responsible for assisting the USD (A&S) in the implementation of the Department's operational priorities, including business reform initiatives to reduce operational

costs and speed delivery to the warfighter. He oversaw business enterprise initiatives related to pricing; domestic, international, and contingency contract policy for DoD, and associated e-business solutions; and DoD procurement regulations.

Previously he was senior vice president and chief financial officer for Textron Systems. In this role, he was responsible for all the business' financial activities including financial planning and analysis, accounting, financial reporting, and program financial control. Herrington led a team of over 200 finance personnel across the various operating units of Textron Systems. He was a member of the Textron Systems Executive Leadership Team and the Textron Finance Council. Herrington led activities to improve program management practices and was also a board member for the National Defense Industrial Association's Integrated Program Management Division.

Before joining Textron Systems, Herrington spent more than seven years at Bell Helicopter, a Textron company. He served four years as director of Earned Value Management System (EVMS), and 3 years as vice president of Cost Management Integration. As VP CMI, he led Bell's EVMS and Pricing & Estimating (P&E) organizations.

For EVMS, Herrington was responsible for establishing and implementing the earned value management processes, systems, tools and reports used by program management on various Bell programs. While leading the P&E organization, which supported military and commercial programs for all business segments, he managed a large team responsible for annually submitting about 2,000 proposals valued in the billions of dollars.

Prior to his time with Textron, Herrington worked for Lockheed Martin Aeronautics. In his 20 years at Lockheed Martin, he had a variety of earned value, cost management, financial, estimating and subcontract management roles. He began his career as a subcontract negotiator on the F-117A program and served 10 years on the F/A22 program, most of that time as the estimating manager. He held senior manager finance roles on the C-130J and F-35 programs leading all the financial activities on those large programs.

Herrington earned a master of business administration degree in finance from the University of Southern California and a bachelor's degree in economics from the University of California at Los Angeles.