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APRIL 2023 PROCUREMENT DIVISION MEETING

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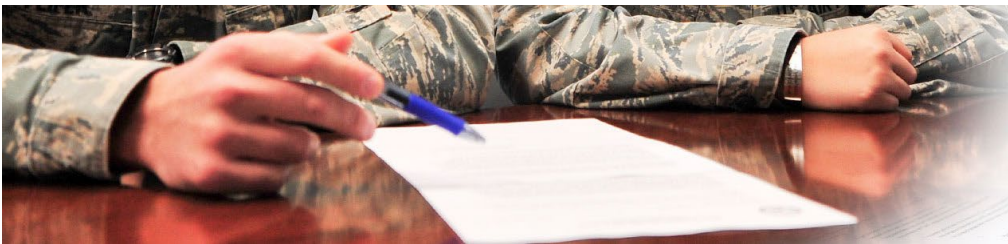
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WHO WE ARE

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PROCUREMENT

WHO WE ARE

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Chair, Government Property Management Systems Committee

Pete Dungan
Chair, Legal Committee

EVENT INFORMATION

LOCATION

UVA Darden Sands Family Grounds
1100 Wilson Blvd, 30th Floor
Arlington, VA 22209

WIFI

Network: UVADardenSandsFG-Guest
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SURVEY AND PARTICIPANT LIST

You will receive via email a survey and list of participants (name and organization) after the conference. Please complete the survey to make our event even more successful in the future.

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SPEAKER GIFTS

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AGENDA

TUESDAY, APRIL 11

8:00 am – 3:00 pm
All times listed are EDT

REGISTRATION
LOBBY

8:00 – 9:00 am

NETWORKING BREAKFAST
POTOMAC RIVER ROOM

9:00 am – 12:00 pm

CONCURRENT SESSIONS: COMMITTEE BREAKOUTS

**Contract and Acquisition
Management and Legal
Committee**
ROSSLYN CLASSROOM

Karen Thornton
Adjunct Faculty, The George
Washington University

**Contract Finance
Committee**
CAPITAL CLASSROOM

**Government Property
Committee**
NATIONAL LANDING CLASSROOM

12:00 – 12:45 pm

NETWORKING LUNCH
POTOMAC RIVER ROOM

12:45 – 1:00 pm

OPENING REMARKS & JON ETHERTON AWARD PRESENTATION
CAPITAL CLASSROOM

Michael Anstett
Chair, Procurement Division, NDIA
Partner, Fried, Frank, Harris, Shriver & Jacobson, LLP

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1:00 – 2:00 pm

KEYNOTE ADDRESS

CAPITAL CLASSROOM

The Hon. Halimah Najieb-Locke

Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Industrial Base Resilience, U.S. Department of Defense

2:00 – 3:00 pm

SMALL BUSINESS PANEL

CAPITAL CLASSROOM

Amanda Bresler

Chief Strategy Officer, PW Communications, Inc.

*Moderator***Stephen Ham**

Senior Advisor, Defense Policy, Office of Senator Ben Cardin

Christopher Clarke

Attorney Advisor, Office of General Counsel, U.S. Small Business Administration

Sean Merrill

Senior Defense Analyst, Government Accountability Office

Maria Barcarse

Director of NA Center of Excellence, SAP America, Inc.

Therese Meers

General Counsel, U.S. Small Business Administration

3:00 pm

CLOSING REMARKS

CAPITAL CLASSROOM

Michael Anstett

Chair, Procurement Division, NDIA

Partner, Fried, Frank, Harris, Shriver & Jacobson, LLP

3:30 pm

NO HOST NETWORKING HAPPY HOUR

LOCATION TO BE ANNOUNCED

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 12

9:00 – 11:00 am

Executive Committee Meeting

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KEYNOTE SPEAKER



THE HON. HALIMAH NAJIEB-LOCKE

Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Industrial Base Resilience
U.S. Department of Defense

Ms. Halimah Najieb-Locke currently serves as the Deputy Assistant Secretary

of Defense for Industrial Base Resilience at the U.S. Department of Defense. In this role, Ms. Najieb-Locke is responsible for assessing the health of the Defense Industrial Base (DIB) and recommending key policies, investments and actions designed to strengthen the capacity and resilience of the DIB. She is also responsible for advising on actions to safeguard the DIB from potential adverse actions domestically, as well as foreign interventions. Ms. Najieb-Locke oversees the Office of Policy, Analysis and Transition, the Office of Global Investment and Economic Security, and the Office of Manufacturing Capability Expansion and Investment Prioritization.

Ms. Najieb-Locke was most recently the Senior Advisor for Industrial Base and Innovation for the Secretary and Deputy Secretary of Defense, where she advised on complex and high priority special assignments and strategies in areas such as federal procurement acceleration, joint experimentation, and critical technology areas. Prior to joining the Department of Defense, she served as the Senior Procurement Counsel for the Select Subcommittee on the Coronavirus Crisis in the U.S. House of Representatives, where she conducted investigations and issued findings as they related to the health specific response to the coronavirus crisis, with a focus on procurement activities from companies that are government contractors and federal agencies.

Previously, Ms. Najieb-Locke was Counsel for the House Armed Services Committee where she handled all acquisition related policy issues and legislative development, including Title XIII, acquisition workforce, industrial base policy, foreign military sales (FMS)/export controls and technology transfer. Prior to this, she served as senior professional staff for the House Small Business Committee, where she handled contracting, entrepreneurial development, veteran's issues, and the SBIR/STTR programs. Ms. Najieb-Locke is a graduate of the University of San Francisco and the George Washington University Law School, where she specialized in public procurement law and how procurement systems operate, both in the United States and abroad.

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June 21 – 22, 2023 | Orlando, FL

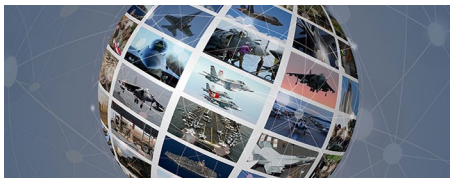


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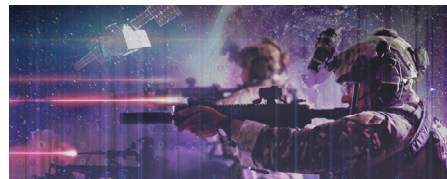
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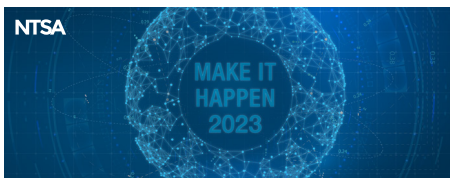
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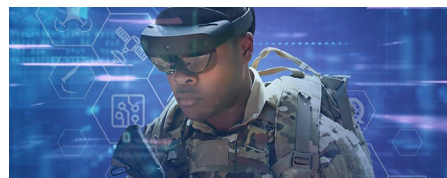
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September 26, 2023 | Arlington, VA



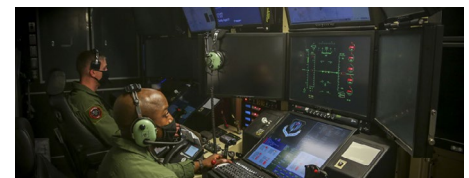
MODSIM WORLD 2023

May 22 – 23, 2023 | Norfolk, VA



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August 28 – 30, 2023 | Washington, DC



26TH ANNUAL SYSTEMS AND MISSION ENGINEERING CONFERENCE

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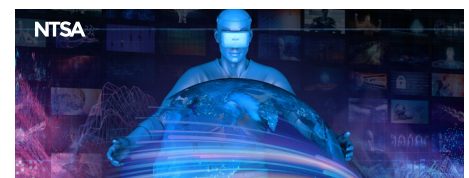
23RD ANNUAL SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY CONFERENCE

May 23 – 25**, 2023 | San Antonio, TX



2023 UNDERSEA WARFARE FALL CONFERENCE

September 18 – 20*, 2023 | Groton, CT



I/ITSEC 2023

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