



SIMULATION & TRAINING COMMUNITY FORUM 2025

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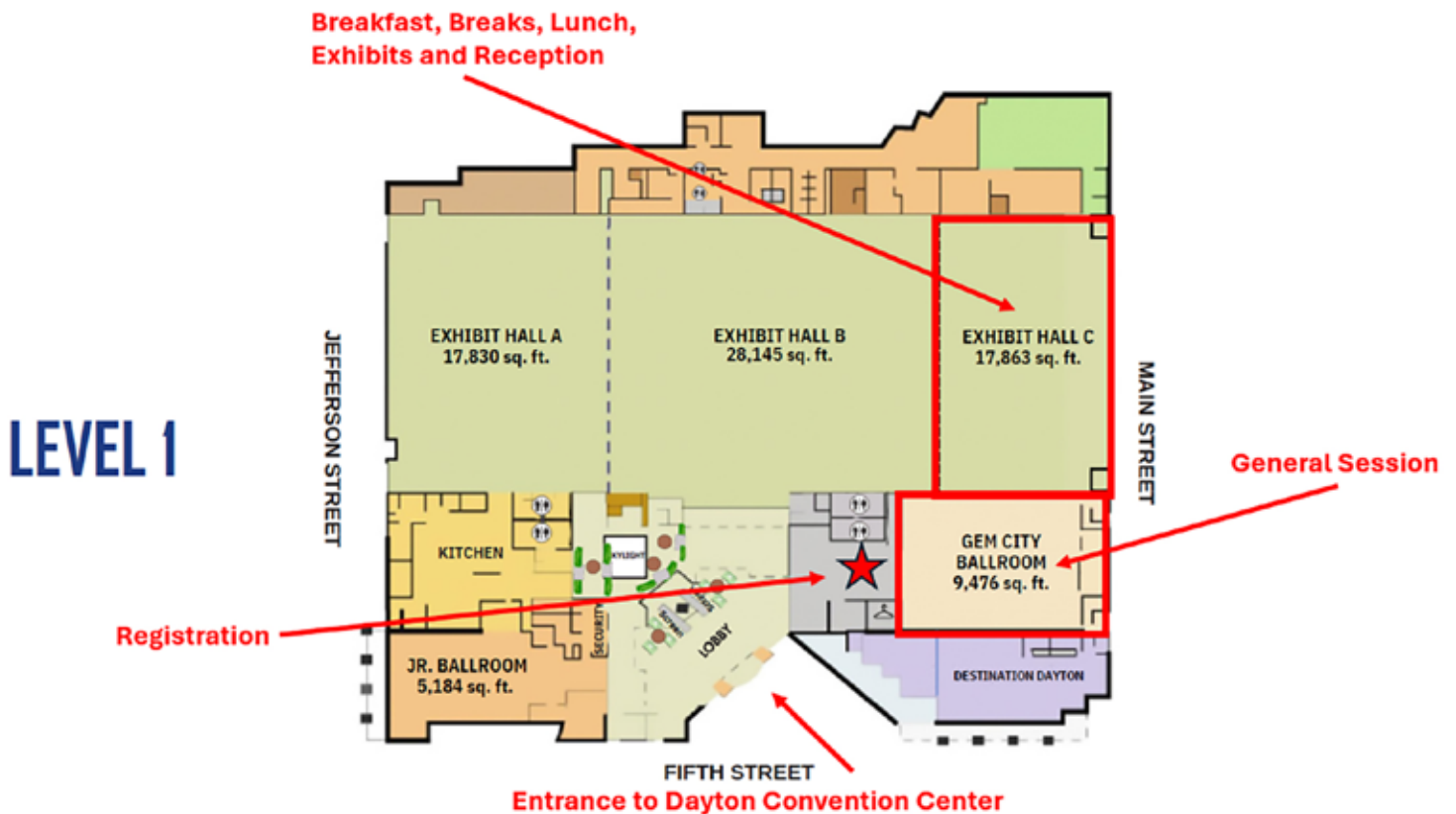
Dayton Convention Center

Dayton, OH

NTSA.org/STCF

Event Information

SLIDO	We will be using Slido to submit questions. Website: Slido.com Code: STCF25
LOCATIONS	Breakfast, breaks, lunch, exhibits, and the reception will be held in the Flex Hall, located next to Gem City Ballroom. The Dayton Convention Center does not permit outside food or beverage within the Convention Center.
SPEAKER INFORMATION	Speaker presentations can be found on the website: NTSA.org/STCF
SURVEY AND PARTICIPANT LIST	You will receive a survey and list of participants (name and organization) via email a few days after the forum. Please complete the survey to make STCF even more successful in the future.



Agenda



0700 – 0750	Registration	SPONSORED BY	
0830 – 0835	Introduction and Remarks	Robert Epstein Senior Solution Architect, Leidos	
0835 – 0840	Welcome from NTSA	VADM Sean Buck, USN (Ret.) President, National Training & Simulation Association (NTSA)	
0840 – 0900	Training Directorate Update	Rodney Stevens, SES Program Executive Officer, PEO Training	
0900 – 0930	Q&A with Mr. Stevens, Col Feranec and Col Ryan		
	MODERATOR: Robert Epstein Senior Solution Architect, Leidos	Col Nicholas Feranec Senior Materiel Leader, Simulators Division Col C. Matt Ryan Senior Materiel Leader, Advanced Training Capabilities (ATD) Division	
0930 – 1000	Break	SPONSORED BY	
1000 – 1200	AFRL Panel		
	MODERATOR: Dr. Glenn Gunzelmann Warfighter Interactions and Readiness M&S Lead, Air Force Research Laboratory Lorraine Borghetti Human and Machine Co-Learning Research Lead, Air Force Research Laboratory Dave Malek Readiness Product Line Lead, Air Force Research Laboratory	Tiffany Myers Senior Cognitive Scientist, Air Force Research Laboratory Christopher Stevens Learning and Operational Training Core Research Area Lead, Air Force Research Laboratory	
1200 – 1315	Lunch		
1315 – 1415	Government/Industry Competitive Acquisition Collaboration – An Industry Perspective		
	MODERATOR: Dave Brickwood Figgins Managing Partner, The Figgins Group Ltd. Joel Jolley Vice President of Business Development, Aero Simulations, Inc. (ASI) Carly McDavid Chief Operating Officer, Aviation Training Consulting (ATC), LLC	Jim Ranck Senior Director Sales & Strategy, Textron Systems Katie Rasmussen Chief of Contracts, Simulators Division, AFLCMC/WNSK	
1415 – 1515	WNS/WNR Opportunities		
	Lt Col John “RePO” Kovacic Materiel Leader, Operational Training Environment, ATD Monika Mapley Materiel Leader, Air Mobility Branch, Simulators Renee Sauerland Materiel Leader, Air Combat Branch, Simulators		
1515 – 1545	Break	SPONSORED BY	
1545 – 1700	Simulator Common Architecture and Common Standards (SCARS) – Successes, Engineering Update and Path Forward		
	Lt Col Virmil Delgadillo Materiel Leader, Operational Training Infrastructure, ATD	Mike Baker Lead Engineer, Simulator Common Architecture & Standards	
1700 – 1830	Reception	SPONSORED BY	

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