



SPECIAL OPERATIONS FORCES INDUSTRY CONFERENCE

Science & Technology



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- Venue to rapidly assess, develop, counter & exploit emerging capabilities to address immediate warfighter needs
- Tactical Network Testbed collaboration Requests for Information (RFI) posted on www.fbo.gov
- Typical systems invited to events are at Technology Readiness Levels 3-6
- Upcoming Experimentation Events
 - Signature Reduction / Summer 2013
 - POTFF / Fall 2013
 - Maritime Environment / Winter 2014



www.socom.mil/sordac/Pages/ExpWithUS.aspx

Technical Experimentation

- Pay-Off
 - Opportunity for technology developers to interface with operational personnel
 - Identifies solutions to future SOF mission parameters
 - Increased awareness of current technology maturity
 - Reduces time and cost risk of producing Capability Development Documents (CDDs) & Capability Production Documents (CPDs)

