

**REGISTRATION CHECK-IN**

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<b>Sunday</b>	<b>12:00 PM – 5:00 PM</b>
<b>Monday*</b>	<b>8:00 AM – 5:00 PM</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>7:00 AM – 6:30 PM</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>7:00 AM – 3:30 PM</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>8:00 AM – 1:15 PM</b>

*\*Check-in kiosks will be available at the Embassy Suites and the Tampa Marriott Waterside hotel lobbies on Monday, 4:00 PM – 9:00 PM. The kiosks will be equipped to scan your email confirmation and distribute your badge and badge holder.*

**ID BADGE & HOLDER**

During registration check-in, you will be issued a conference ID badge and any Gala tickets you have purchased, as well as a colored badge holder.

Badge holders will only be available for pick-up onsite and must be worn at all SOFIC functions. To gain access to the events for which you have registered, you must show your issued ID badge and badge holder. Please be prepared to present a valid picture ID.

**LUNCH ON OWN**

Lunch items will be available for purchase in the Exhibit Hall and the First Floor Ballroom Foyer during the conference. Cash and major credit cards will be accepted.

**MONDAY, MAY 23, 2016**

**8:00 AM – 5:00 PM**      **Registration Open** *(Note new location)*  
*Rooms 13-16*

**8:00 AM – 5:00 PM**      **Exhibitor Setup**  
*Exhibit Hall*

**1:00 PM – 4:30 PM**      **USSOCOM Marketplace**  
*Rooms 24-25*

The U.S. Special Operations Command (USSOCOM) Marketplace, a resource room of USSOCOM experts, will be available to answer attendee questions as they relate to doing business with command. This informal exchange will include experts from the Technology & Industry Liaison Office, Office of Small Business Programs, Small Business Innovation Research, Broad Agency Announcement Outreach, Project Vulcan and Discovery, Contracting, Cooperative Research and Development Agreements, SOFWERX/Technical Experimentation, The Donovan Group, and USSOCOM's Innovation cell--the "Crazy 8s." There is no specific duration for this session; please visit the marketplace any time between 1:00 - 4:30 PM.

**1:00 PM – 2:00 PM**      **Intro. to USSOCOM and SOF AT&L**  
*Rooms 18-19*

USSOCOM subject matter experts from SOF AT&L will present an overview of the command and acquisition center and its current programs. This event is structured to provide insight into initiatives and processes for those who have not recently done business with USSOCOM.

**1:00 PM – 2:00 PM**      **RFP Sections L&M Exchange**  
*Rooms 20-21*

SOF AT&L Contracting Officers and Program Managers will conduct roundtable exchanges with attendees on Sections L and M of USSOCOM Request For Proposals, highlighting keys to submitting successful proposals.

**2:00 PM – 3:00 PM**      **CRADA "Crash Course"**  
*Rooms 18-19*

SOF AT&L will present the basic construct of a Cooperative Research and Development Agreement (CRADA) and the process for entering into a CRADA with USSOCOM.

An interactive discussion will follow the presentation and include the value of entering into a CRADA and the criteria SOF AT&L uses in determining if a CRADA is the right tool for the Industry-proposed work and what Industry can do to improve the CRADA tool and process.

**ATTIRE**

Appropriate dress for this conference is business casual for civilians and uniform of the day for military personnel.

**NDIA EVENTS**

Please visit the NDIA website for a complete listing of the events we offer.

NDIA website:  
[www.ndia.org](http://www.ndia.org)

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**NDIA SUPPORTS THE SPECIAL OPERATIONS WARRIOR FOUNDATION**

In lieu of Speaker gifts at 2016 SOFIC, a donation will be made to the Special Operations Warrior Foundation.

The Special Operations Warrior Foundation provides full scholarship grants and educational and family counseling to the surviving children of special operations personnel who die in operational or training missions, and immediate financial assistance to severely wounded special operations personnel and their families.

For additional information, please visit the Foundation website:  
[www.specialops.org](http://www.specialops.org)



2:00 PM – 3:00 PM

**Contract Types Exchange**

*Rooms 20-21*

SOF AT&L Contracting Officers will conduct roundtable exchanges with attendees on the contract type selection process. Specific focus will be placed on the different factors involved when considering the most appropriate contract type to use for various acquisitions and scenarios.

3:00 PM – 3:30 PM

**Break**

*Ballroom Foyer*

3:30 PM – 4:30 PM

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(Repeat of the Prior Session)**

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**TUESDAY, MAY 24, 2016**

7:00 AM – 6:30 PM

**Registration Open (Note new location)**

*Rooms 13-16*

7:00 AM – 8:00 AM

**Continental Breakfast**

*Ballroom Foyer*

8:00 AM – 8:15 AM

**Welcome Remarks**

*Ballrooms A-B*

- ▶ MG Barry D. Bates, USA (Ret), Executive Vice President, NDIA

8:15 AM – 9:00 AM

**Technology Domain Awareness (“Project Vulcan”)**

*Ballrooms A-B*

SOF AT&L Science & Technology will present a novel, innovative approach to technology discovery, assessment, and awareness. Vulcan is a cloud based tool that will allow the SOF Enterprise to collaboratively collect and assess technologies/capabilities from across the development spectrum. A demonstration of the current interface and collection workflow will be given, followed with time for Industry interaction with the tool and SOF AT&L S&T personnel.

**NEW THIS YEAR!****SENIOR INDUSTRY EXECUTIVE FORUM**

(Small Business)  
Tuesday, May 24, 2016  
Rooms 24-25

Mr. James F. Geurts, Acquisition Executive, and Mr. Christopher A. Harrington, Director of the Office of Small Business Programs, will discuss with Small Business industry leaders how USSOCOM and industry can collaborate more closely to provide Special Operations Forces around the world with the capabilities and support they need. Advanced registration is required.

**SENIOR INDUSTRY EXECUTIVE FORUM**

(Large Companies)  
Wednesday, May 25, 2016  
Rooms 24-25

GEN Raymond A. Thomas III, USA, USSOCOM Commander, Mr. James F. Geurts, Acquisition Executive, and the USSOCOM Component Commanders and Sub-Unified Commander will discuss with industry leaders how USSOCOM and industry can collaborate more closely to provide Special Operations Forces around the world with the capabilities and support they need. Advanced registration is required.

**Forum Contact:**

Mrs. Christy J. Mason  
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**9:00 AM – 10:00 AM****SOF Capabilities for Partner Nations***Ballrooms A-B*

This session will align Industry with the SOF Vision and Priorities for supporting Partnered Operations. Presentations and discussions will include Security Cooperation activities, such as Foreign Military Sales and Direct Commercial Sales.

**10:00 AM – 6:30 PM****Exhibit Hall Open***Exhibit Hall***10:00 AM – 10:45 AM****Networking Break***Exhibit Hall***10:45 AM – 11:45 AM****Senior Industry Executive Forum (Small Business)***Rooms 24-25**Advanced Registration Required*

Pre-approved small business industry CEOs, COOs, and Presidents are invited to participate in a Small Business Senior Industry Executive Forum during SOFIC. Participation is by invitation only, and advanced registration is required.

**11:45 AM – 1:00 PM****Lunch on Own****1:00 PM – 1:15 PM****Conference Welcome Remarks***Ballrooms A-D*

- ▶ MG Barry D. Bates, USA (Ret), Executive Vice President, NDIA
- ▶ Mr. Robert F. Buckhorn, Jr., Mayor, Tampa, FL
- ▶ Mr. James F. Geurts, Acquisition Executive, USSOCOM

**1:15 PM – 2:45 PM****Commander and Acquisition Executive Remarks***Ballrooms A-D*

- ▶ GEN Raymond A. Thomas III, USA, Commander, USSOCOM
- ▶ Mr. James F. Geurts, Acquisition Executive, USSOCOM

**2:45 PM – 3:30 PM****Networking Break Exhibit Hall****3:30 PM – 4:45 PM****USSOCOM Theater Special Operations Command Panel***Ballrooms A-D*

USSOCOM TSOC Commanders will participate in panel discussions on key acquisition, requirements, operations, and technology issues in the context of theater SOF missions.

**4:45 PM – 5:00 PM****Transition to Networking Reception****5:00 PM – 6:30 PM****Networking Reception** SPONSORED BY*Exhibit Hall***LOCKHEED MARTIN**

## USSOCOM PEO CONCURRENT SESSIONS

Rooms 5-6  
Program Executive Office  
for Special Reconnaissance,  
Surveillance, and Exploitation

Rooms 7-9  
Program Executive Office for  
Services

Room 17  
Program Executive Office for  
Rotary Wing

Rooms 18-19  
Program Executive Office for  
Fixed Wing

Rooms 20-21  
Program Executive Office for SOF  
Warrior

Rooms 22-23  
Program Executive Office for  
Maritime

Rooms 24-25  
Program Executive Office  
for Command, Control,  
Communications, and Computers

## WEDNESDAY, MAY 25, 2016

7:00 AM – 3:30 PM

**Registration Open**  
*Rooms 13-16*

7:00 AM – 8:00 AM

**Continental Breakfast**  
*Ballroom Foyer*

8:00 AM – 8:05 AM

**Administrative Remarks**  
*Ballrooms A-B*

► MG Barry D. Bates, USA (Ret), Executive Vice President, NDIA

8:05 AM – 9:00 AM

**USSOCOM Service Component & Sub-Unified Command Panel**  
*Ballrooms A-B*

USSOCOM Component Commanders and Sub-Unified Commander will participate in panel discussions on key acquisition, requirements, operations, and technology issues in the context of component and sub-unified command SOF missions.

9:00 AM – 3:30 PM

**Exhibit Hall Open**  
*Exhibit Hall*

9:30 AM – 10:30 AM

**USSOCOM Science & Technology Session: Portfolio Review**  
*Ballrooms A-B*

USSOCOM Science and Technology Director will provide a comprehensive presentation of current science and technology projects and initiatives supporting SOF.

9:30 AM – 11:00 AM

**Senior Industry Executive Forum (Large Companies)**  
*Rooms 24-25*

*Advanced Registration Required*

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10:30 AM – 11:30 AM

**Networking Break**  
*Exhibit Hall*

11:30 AM – 12:30 PM

**Tactical Assault Light Operator Suit Open House**  
*Rooms 10-12*

This open house will allow attendees to interact with TALOS subject matter experts and learn more about this innovative SOF AT&L initiative.

**GALA DINNER ATTIRE**

**Civilian: Black Tie/Formal;  
Evening Gown**

**Army: Blue Mess Evening Dress  
or Blue Army Service**

**Navy: Dinner Dress White Jacket**

**Air Force: Mess Dress**

**Marine Corps: Evening Dress A/B  
or Blue Dress A/B**

**Coast Guard: Formal Dress Blue**

**11:30 AM – 12:30 PM USSOCOM PEO Concurrent Breakout Sessions:  
Portfolio Reviews**  
*Rooms 5-6, 7-9, 17, 18-19, 20-21, 22-23, 24-25*

USSOCOM Program Executive Officers will provide comprehensive presentations of current acquisition programs of record. These presentations will detail the size, scope, and technology capabilities of the kit, equipment, and systems used by SOF.

**12:30 PM – 1:30 PM Lunch on Own**

**1:15 PM**

*Transition outside to view ISOF Capabilities Demo*

**1:30 PM – 2:00 PM ISOF Capabilities Demonstration**  
Outdoor Bay Area

U.S. SOF and International SOF will conduct a joint demonstration that will display partnership and interoperable tactical capabilities.

**2:00 PM – 2:30 PM Transition to Sessions**

**2:30 PM – 3:30 PM Sustaining SOF Globally: A Trans-Regional Approach to  
Synchronizing Support for the SOF Mission**  
*Ballrooms A-B*

► COL Steve Allen, USA, Director, Logistics, USSOCOM

USSOCOM SOF AT&L J4 will describe current initiatives to shape logistics support to SOF worldwide along with an overview of expectations for the sustainment of Special Operations-Peculiar end items. With its aim squarely on readiness, the Logistics directorate—in collaboration with the Joint Logistics Enterprise, GCCs, USSOCOM Service Components and Sub-Unified Commands, and partner nations—is developing a trans-regional strategy to improve SOF sustainment through a global logistics network.

**2:30 PM – 3:30 PM Tactical Assault Light Operator Suit Session:  
5 Minute Solution**  
*Rooms 10-12*

Selected attendees will present creative solutions to the biggest problem sets in the development of TALOS—an integrated combat suit for the future SOF operator. This session will focus on topics related to C4I, Operator Interface, and Visual Augmentation Systems.

**2:30 PM – 3:30 PM USSOCOM PEO Concurrent Breakout Sessions:  
Program-Focused Presentations**  
*Rooms 5-6, 7-9, 17, 18-19, 20-21, 22-23, 24-25*

USSOCOM Program Executive Officers, Program Managers, and other acquisition experts will provide detailed presentations on specific USSOCOM program initiatives, challenges, and issues as they relate to global acquisition, technology, and logistics support for SOF.

- 6:00 PM – 6:45 PM**     **Gala Reception** SPONSORED BY   
**- Gala Ticket Required**  
*Marriott Waterside Hotel*  
*Grand Ballroom Foyer*
- 6:45 PM – 7:00 PM**     **Transition to Gala Dinner**  
*THE VALUE OF PERFORMANCE.*
- 7:00 PM – 10:00 PM**     **Gala Dinner** SPONSORED BY   
**& Awards Presentation**  
**- Gala Ticket Required**  
*Marriott Waterside Hotel*  
*Grand Ballroom*  
 ▶ The Honorable James B. Comey, Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation

## THURSDAY, MAY 26, 2016

- 8:00 AM – 1:15 PM**     **Registration Open**  
*Rooms 13-16*
- 8:00 AM – 9:00 AM**     **Continental Breakfast**  
*Ballroom Foyer*
- 9:00 AM – 1:15 PM**     **Exhibit Hall Open**  
*Exhibit Hall*
- 9:00 AM – 10:00 AM**     **USSOCOM Science & Technology Session:  
 Roundtable Discussion**  
*Ballrooms A-B*
- USSOCOM Science & Technology Director and staff will hold three different, simultaneous roundtable discussions on the following topics: Technology Discovery, Technical Experimentation, and Small Business Innovation Research. Participants will have the ability to switch to another S&T roundtable discussion topic area in 20-minute increments to allow participation in all three of the S&T roundtable discussions.
- 9:00 AM – 10:00 AM**     **Tactical Assault Light Operator Suit Session: 5 Minute Solution  
 (Not a repeat of the Wednesday Session)**  
*Rooms 10-12*
- Selected attendees will present creative solutions to the biggest problem sets in the development of TALOS—an integrated combat suit for the future SOF operator. This session will focus on topics related to Human Factors, Power, and Survivability.

## USSOCOM PEO CONCURRENT BREAKOUT SESSIONS: PROGRAM-FOCUSED PRESENTATIONS

**Rooms 5-6**  
**Program Executive Office  
 for Special Reconnaissance,  
 Surveillance, and Exploitation**  
 Targeted Requirements Execution (T-REX  
 Contract Vehicle): Contract Review and  
 Update on Business Processes  
 Sensitive Site Exploitation: Capability  
 Insertion Opportunities  
 Rapid Capability Insertion: Entry Point to  
 Programs of Record

**Rooms 7-9**  
**Program Executive  
 Office for Services**  
 Preservation of the Force and Family  
 Global Research and Assessment Program  
 USSOCOM Enterprise Wide Training and  
 Exercise Program

**Room 17**  
**Program Executive  
 Office for Rotary Wing**  
 Mobility  
 Mission Equipment  
 Training Systems

**Rooms 18-19**  
**Program Executive  
 Office for Fixed Wing**  
 Munitions Requirements  
 Current Inventory/Programs  
 Future Munitions Technology

**Rooms 20-21**  
**Program Executive  
 Office for SOF Warrior**  
 Family of Special Operations Vehicles  
 SOF Ammunition and Weapons  
 SOF Survival Support and Equipment  
 Systems Technology Breakout Session

**9:00 AM – 10:00 AM** **USSOCOM PEO Concurrent Breakout Sessions: Portfolio Reviews** *(Repeat of Wednesday Sessions)*  
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*Exhibit Hall*

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**11:45 AM – 1:15 PM** **Lunch on Own**  
Last Chance to View Exhibits

**1:15 PM – 2:30 PM** **SOF AT&L Awards Presentation**  
*Ballrooms A-B*

**Rooms 22-23**  
**Program Executive Office for Maritime**

Undersea Review: Shallow Water Combat Submersible, SEAL Delivery Vehicle, Dry Deck Shelter, Dry Combat Submersible, and Diving Surface Review: Combatant Craft – Heavy, Combatant Craft – Medium, and Combatant Craft – Assault

**Rooms 24-25**  
**Program Executive Office for Command, Control, Communications, and Computers**

Network Transport and Enterprise Networks  
Tactical Communications and MISO Systems

# SOFIC Solution Showcase

A PLATFORM FOR NEW SOFIC EXHIBITORS



**TUESDAY**  
3:00pm – 4:00pm

**WEDNESDAY**  
9:00am – 12:00pm and 2:20pm – 3:30pm

**THURSDAY**  
9:00am – 10:15am

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