

## TUESDAY, 17 JUNE

0630 – 1700 REGISTRATION OPEN

0730 – 0830 CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST

0830 – 0845 WELCOME

**Ms. Tara Kilcullen-Oliva**

President, National Defense Industrial Association – Central Florida Chapter (NDIA-CFL)

**VADM Sean S. Buck, USN (Ret.)**

President, National Training and Simulation Association (NTSA)

0845 – 0915 PM TRASYS COMMAND BRIEF

**LtCol Marcial J. Garcia, USMC**

Product Manager, PM-Training Systems

**Ms. Elizabeth Tygart**

Product Manager, Synthetic Training Systems

**Ms. Racheal Germansky**

Product Manager, Range Training Systems

**Mr. Adam Emanuel**

Product Manager, Warfighter Training Support

0900 – 1830 EXHIBITS OPEN

0915 – 0935 NETWORKING BREAK & VISIT EXHIBIT HALL

0935 – 0950 Q&A WITH U.S. MARINE CORPS PRESENTERS

0950 – 1050 NTSA I/ITSEC 2025 NEXT BIG THING: EMERGING TECHNOLOGY STRATEGY FOR MS&T

**Moderator: Mr. Bob Kleinhample**

CEO and President of PioneerSim; Director, NTSA Next Big Thing Committee

**Ms. Sam Brown**

Director, Oliver Wyman Aerospace, Defense, & Government Practice

**Dr. Brian Stensrud**

Technical Fellow, CAE USA

1050 – 1125 INDUSTRY PANEL: CAN VR/AR/XR ADVANCEMENTS IN MILITARY TRAINING IMPROVE READINESS?

**Introductions: Mr. Dan Covelli**

President and CEO, Covelli and Associates

**Moderator: Dr. Jim Pharmer**

Chief Scientist, Training Systems RDT&E (GT5E), NAWCTSD

**Mr. Derrick Barton**

Chief Growth Officer, Vertex Solutions

**Mr. Niall Campion**

Managing Director, VRAI Simulation

**Mr. Jim Cooper**

Director, Business Development, Design Interactive, Inc.

**Dr. Darin Hughes**

Lead Software Engineer, SIMETRI

1125 – 1140 MEET THE U.S. MARINE CORPS ACQUISITION LEADERS

1140 – 1255 LUNCH & VISIT EXHIBIT HALL

1255 – 1315 KEYNOTE SPEAKER – U.S. NAVY

**RADM Anthony Carullo, USN**

Director, Warfare Development, N72, Office of the Chief of Naval Operations

- 1315 – 1330 **NAVAL AIR WARFARE CENTER TRAINING SYSTEMS DIVISION UPDATE**  
**CAPT Robert Betts, USN**  
Commander, NSA Orlando and NAWCTSD
- 1330 – 1340 **ACQUISITION OVERVIEW**  
**Mr. Mike Merritt**  
Acquisition Director, NAWCTSD
- 1340 – 1405 **AVIATION PROGRAMS AND AVIATION TRAINING SYSTEMS**  
**Mr. Greg Ouellette**  
Director, Aviation Programs (PDA), NAWCTSD
- 1405 – 1420 **SURFACE AND UNDERSEA PROGRAMS**  
**Mr. Bill Zeller**  
Director, Surface and Undersea Programs (PDS&U), NAWCTSD
- 1420 – 1440 **NETWORKING BREAK & VISIT EXHIBIT HALL**
- 1440 – 1505 **CROSS-WARFARE PROGRAMS**  
**Mr. Graham Fleener**  
Director, Cross-Warfare Programs (PDX), NAWCTSD
- 1505 – 1510 **INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS**  
**Ms. Deborah Barnes**  
Director, International Programs (PDI), NAWCTSD
- 1510 – 1520 **RESEARCH AND TECHNOLOGY PROGRAMS**  
**CDR Denver White, USN**  
Director, Research and Technology Programs (PDR&T), NAWCTSD
- 1520 – 1555 **INDUSTRY PANEL: PARALLEL DEVELOPMENT FOR TESTING AND TRAINING EXPEDITES DELIVERY AND IMPROVES READINESS**  
**Introductions: Mr. Rick Goree**  
Business Development and Capture Management, Akima  
**Moderator: Mrs. Paige Reiter**  
Technical Solutions Architect, World Wide Technology  
**Mr. Adam Harris**  
Director, Government Programs, Alluvionic  
**Mr. Matthew Hawes**  
Director, Strategy and Planning, Five Stones Research Corporation  
**Mr. Jong Lee**  
President, Yulista Tactical Services  
**Mr. Favio Lopez**  
President, Trideum Corporation
- 1555 – 1615 **Q&A WITH U.S. NAVY PRESENTERS**
- 1615 – 1620 **DAY ONE CLOSING REMARKS**  
**Mr. Sean Osmond**  
Executive Vice President, NDIA-CFL
- 1620 – 1700 **MEET THE U.S. NAVY ACQUISITION LEADERS**
- 1700 – 1830 **OPENING RECEPTION**

## WEDNESDAY, 18 JUNE

- 0730 – 1600    **REGISTRATION OPEN**
- 0730 – 0830    **CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST**
- 0830 – 0840    **WELCOME**  
**Mr. Sean Osmond**  
Executive Vice President, NDIA-CFL  
**VADM Sean S. Buck, USN (Ret.)**  
President, NTSA
- 0840 – 0910    **AFAMS COLLABORATION OPPORTUNITIES AND THE U.S. AIR FORCE TRANSITION TO TECHNOLOGY-ENABLED COMPETENCY-BASED TRAINING**  
**Jason Austin**  
Explorations Division, Air Force Agency for Modeling and Simulation  
**Andrew Palla**  
Chief Growth Officer, iPerformX (AFAMS Contractor)
- 0900 – 1600    **EXHIBITS OPEN**
- 0910 – 0950    **ADL INITIATIVE, INTRODUCTION AND CAPABILITY OVERVIEW**  
**Dr. Laura Milham**  
Director, Advanced Distributed Learning (ADL) Initiative  
**Mr. Brent Smith**  
Research & Development Principal, Advanced Distributed Learning (ADL) Initiative
- 0950 – 1010    **NETWORKING BREAK & VISIT EXHIBIT HALL**
- 1010 – 1045    **INDUSTRY PANEL: ENTERPRISE MODERNIZATION CORE PRINCIPLES TO ACCELERATE TRANSFORMATION**  
**Introductions: Ms. Sara Dechmerowski**  
President, The Voltron Group  
**Moderator: Mr. Brian Kemper**  
Chief Engineer for Enterprise Transformation Integration (PL ETI), U.S. Army PEO STRI  
**Mr. Amit Kapadia**  
Chief Engineer for Project Manager Synthetic Environment (PM SE), U.S. Army PEO STRI  
**Mr. Sudhir Kunnath**  
CEO, Hyberblox  
**Dr. Doug Maxwell**  
Modernization Solution Architect, Leidos  
**Dr. Laura Milham**  
Director, Advanced Distributed Learning (ADL) Initiative
- 1045 – 1110    **KEYNOTE SPEAKER AND OPENING REMARKS, U.S. ARMY PEO STRI**  
**BG Christine A. Beeler, USA**  
Program Executive Officer
- 1110 – 1130    **PM SYNTHETIC ENVIRONMENT (SE)**  
**Mr. John Gillette**  
Project Manager
- 1130 – 1150    **PM CYBER, TEST, AND TRAINING (CT2)**  
**Ms. Christina Bell**  
Deputy Project Manager

- 1150 – 1210 **PM TRAINING DEVICES (TRADE)**  
**COL Tom Monaghan, USA**  
Project Manager
- 1210 – 1310 **LUNCH & VISIT EXHIBIT HALL**
- 1310 – 1330 **PL ENTERPRISE TRANSFORMATION AND INTEGRATION (ETI)**  
**Ms. Destiny Laski**  
Acting Project Lead
- 1330 – 1340 **PL TRAINING AIDS, DEVICES, SIMULATORS, AND SIMULATIONS (TADSS) SUPPORT OPERATIONS (TSO)**  
**Mr. Michael Willoughby**  
Project Lead
- 1340 – 1350 **PL INTERNATIONAL PROGRAM OFFICE (IPO)**  
**Mr. Dale Whittaker**  
Project Lead
- 1350 – 1430 **ACC-ORLANDO SESSION WITH INDUSTRY**  
**COL Lisbon Williams, USA**  
Director/Senior Contracting Official, Army Contracting Command – Orlando
- 1430 – 1455 **NETWORKING BREAK & VISIT EXHIBIT HALL**
- 1455 – 1530 **INDUSTRY PANEL: IMPROVING TRAINING EFFECTIVENESS THROUGH ADVANCEMENTS IN AI AND MACHINE LEARNING**  
**Introductions: Mr. Mike Callis**  
VP, Air Force Portfolio, AVT Simulation  
**Moderator: Mr. Marwane Bahbaz**  
Chief Technology Officer, U.S. Army PEO STRI  
**Dr. Alethea Duhon**  
Director, Modeling, Simulation, and Training, KBR  
**Mr. Mark Evans**  
CEO, Bubo Defense  
**Dr. Summer Rebensky**  
Senior Research Scientist, Aptima, Inc.  
**Pritesh Patel**  
Founder and CEO, Ad Hoc Research
- 1530 – 1550 **Q&A WITH U.S. ARMY PRESENTERS**
- 1550 – 1625 **USAF: PEO TRAINING ACQUISITIONS**  
**Mr. Joe Erickson**  
Program Manager, AFLCMC/WNS
- 1625 **CLOSING REMARKS**  
**Ms. Tara Kilcullen-Oliva**  
President, NDIA-CFL