



DEFENSE INDUSTRIAL SUPPLY CHAIN SUMMIT

October 29-30, 2024
Charlotte, North Carolina

Location Legend			
 Off-Site	 Birch	 Cypress	
 Exhibits	 Main Ballroom	 Maple	

October 29, 2024				
3:00 – 5:00	Tour: GM Defense, 4280 Defender Way, Concord, NC 28027			
5:30 – 8:00	Networking Social: Hendrick Motorsports, Team Center, 4433 Papa Joe Hendrick Blvd, Charlotte, NC 28262			
October 30, 2024				
7:00 – 8:00	Registration, Check-In and Light Refreshments			
8:00 – 8:30	Welcome Remarks Scott Dorney, Executive Director, North Carolina Military Business Center US Senator Ted Budd (invited)			
8:30 – 9:00	The Department of Defense National Industrial Strategy Laura D. Taylor-Kale, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Industrial Base Policy (invited)			
9:00 – 9:30	Defense Logistics Agency Industry Engagement Plan and Supply Chain Security Strategy Lieutenant General Mark Simerly, Director, Defense Logistics Agency (invited)			
9:30 – 9:45	Networking Break			
9:45 – 10:45	Sustaining Supply Chain for Ground Vehicles & Maritime Systems (Agency)	Empowering the Future: Strengthening the DoD Aerospace Workforce	Why Present Your Technology or Innovation to the Federal Government?	Exhibitors and Networking
10:45 – 11:00	Networking Break			
11:00 – 12:00	Sustaining Supply Chain for Aerospace and Armament Systems (Industry)	Offices of Small Business Programs - Executive Panel Discussion	Overview of DLA Aviation and Land and Maritime Acquisition Processes	Exhibitors and Networking
12:00 – 1:30	Lunch Remarks: US Senator Thom Tillis, North Carolina Army Future Technologies and Emerging Requirements: Brigadier General Shane M. Upton, Director, Contested Logistics Cross-Functional Team, US Army Futures Command Sustaining the Warfighter, Sustaining our Defense Industrial Base: Robert Johnson, Acquisition Executive, Defense Logistics Agency, Land & Maritime			
1:30 – 2:00	Networking Break			
2:00 – 3:00	Sustaining Supply Chain for Aerospace & Armaments Systems (Agency)	Fortifying the Future: Enhancing the DoD Industrial Workforce	Technology and Innovation Shark Tank	Exhibitors and Networking
3:00 – 4:00	Sustaining Supply Chain for Ground Vehicles & Maritime Systems (Industry)	DLA Vendor Support Panel – An Overview of Resources, Procedures and Systems Essential to Maximizing Success as a DLA Provider	Cybersecurity Compliance Panel – Securing Your Business in the Defense Supply Chain	Exhibitors and Networking
4:00	Adjourn			