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Past Speakers at Showcase for Commerce

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Showcase has been privileged to host many notable speakers over the years, including:

Congressional Leadership

U.S. Congressman John P Murtha (PA-12), Chairman of the House Defense Appropriations Subcommittee
U.S. Senator Bob Casey (PA), Ranking Member, Subcommittee on Taxation and IRS Oversight, Ranking Member, Subcommittee on Children and Families
U.S. Congressman John Joyce (PA-13), House Committee on Energy and Commerce, Vice Chair—GOP Doctor's Caucus
U.S. Congressman Glenn "GT" Thompson (PA-15), Agriculture Committee, Natural Resources, Education and Workforce Committees
U.S. Senator Pat Toomey (PA), Finance, Banking and Budget Committees
U.S. Congressman Guy Reschenthaler (PA-14), House Committee on Appropriations

Keynote Speakers

U.S. Congressman Norm Dicks (WA-6), Chairman of the House Defense Appropriations Subcommittee
Kevin M. Fahey, President/COO—Cypress International
U.S. Congresswoman Kay Granger (TX-12), Vice-Chairwoman of the Defense Appropriations Subcommittee
The Honorable Kathleen Hicks, Deputy Secretary for Defense
U.S. Congresswoman Chrissy Houlahan
U.S. Senator Tim Kaine (VA), Armed Services Committee
The Honorable Katrina McFarland, Assistant Secretary of Defense (Acquisition)
The Honorable Justin K. McFarlin, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Industrial Base Development and International Engagement
The Honorable Dr. William A. LaPlante, Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition and Sustainment
The Honorable Patrick J. Murphy, Under Secretary of the Army
General John M. Murray, Commanding General, Army Futures Command
U.S. Senator Jack Reed (RI), Armed Services Committee, Appropriations Committee
The Honorable Heidi Shyu, Assistant Secretary of the Army for Acquisition, Logistics and Technology
U.S. Congressman Adam Smith (WA-9), Ranking Member of the House Armed Services Committee
The Honorable Sean Stackley, Asst. Secretary of the Navy (Research, Development and Acquisition)
U.S. Congressman Mac Thornberry (TX-13), Chairman, Armed Services Committee
U.S. Congressman Rob Wittman (VA), Armed Services Committee - Chair of Seapower and Projection Forces Subcommittee
Governor Tom Wolf, Governor of Pennsylvania

Government Acquisition Leaders

Brigadier General Alfred Abramson, Deputy PEO—Ammunition/Sr. Commander—Picatinny Arsenal
Colonel Scott Armstrong, Program Manager, Soldier Weapons, U.S. Army
Brigadier General David Bassett, PEO—Ground Combat Systems
Captain Matthew Bolls, Director, Aviation Operations at NAVSUP Weapons System Support
Conrad Bonner, Deputy Director or USCENTCOM Regional Operations for USASAC at U.S. Security Assistance Command w/ TS/SCI Poly
Rear Admiral Ronald Boxall, Director-Surface Warfare
Brigadier General Anthony Carelli, Adjutant General of PA
Mr. James Cassidy, Electronic Boat for Supply Chain-General Dynamics
Brigadier General Richard Coffman, Director-Next Generation Combat Vehicle Cross Functional Team
Brigadier General William Cole, Deputy Commanding General of U.S. Army Research, Development and Engineering Command
Brigadier General Brian Cummings, PEO-Soldier
Rear Admiral David Duryea, Deputy Commander, Undersea Warfare, Naval Sea Systems Command
Mr. Peter Errante, Deputy Product Manager, Crew Served Weapons
Mr. Roberto I. Guerrero, Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Air Force for Operational Energy
Mr. Kevin Fahey, Combat Executive Officer, Combat Support and Combat Service Support, U.S. Army
Mr. Bob Kowalski, Chief of Staff—PEO Ammunition
Rear Admiral Cindy L. Jaynes, PEO, Anti-Submarine Warfare, Assault & Special Mission Programs, U.S. Navy
Rear Admiral David Lewis, PEO, Ships, Naval Sea Systems Command
Command Sargent Major Emmett Maunakea, PEO, Soldier, U.S. Army
Rear Admiral Michael McMahon, PEO, Aircraft Carriers, U. S. Navy
Major General Kenneth Merchant, Director, Global Reach Programs, Office of the Assistant Secretary of the Air Force for Acquisition
Ms. Mary Miller, PEO Soldier, U.S. Army
Colonel Michael Milner, Project Manager-Armored Multi Purpose Vehicle, Picatinny Arsenal, U.S. Army
David L. Norquist, President/CEO, NDIA
Lieutenant General Raymond Palumbo, Director for Defense Intelligence (Warfighter Support), U.S. Army
Brigadier General Michael Schmidt, PEO, Fighters and Bombers, Air Force Life Cycle Management
Dr. Lawrence Schuette, Director of Global Science and Technology Engagement, Lockheed Martin
Lieutenant General Roger Thompson (Ret.), Vice President, Membership and Meetings, AUSA
The Honorable Dr. Laura D. Taylor-Kale, Assistant Secretary of Defense for Industrial Base Policy (ASD(IBC))

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