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NDIA Lone Star Chapter News

Join us for the NDIA Lone Star Chapter Member Meeting

Dear NDIA Lone Star Chapter Members,

So much shaping up for the year at your local NDIA chapter. You don't want to miss out!

Don't Miss the...

May 17th Member Meeting on Cyber Security

We'll be hosting a Cyber Panel discussion on Issues related to Defense/Security with Patrick Humm (North Texas Fusion Center), Melissa Martini (DHS), and Wayne Boline (Raytheon)

Date/Time:

***Wednesday, May 17th ***

Networking starts at 6:00 PM

Meeting starts at 6:30 PM

Event ends around 7:30 PM where there will be additional networking

****Be sure to RSVP by replying to this email to mpdietz@hotmail.com

Dress is business casual or business attire. Guests and potential interested NDIA members are welcome.

Location:

UTD - University of Texas at Dallas, Applied Research Center

17217 Waterview Parkway, Dallas, TX 75252

Parking Map - http://ndialonestar.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/02/ROW-Campus-Map_UTD_Venue.pdf

Parking Permit, Place on Dash: to be added in next email

Once you come through the front door, there will be people to greet you along with signs to the conference room. Ask for the NDIA Meeting on the ARC.

Teleconference: ***note the number has changed

Dial: +1 408 638 0968 (US Toll)

Meeting ID: 770 180 539

Video: <https://zoom.us/j/770180539>

(Join from PC, Mac, Linux, iOS or Android)

Event Page: <http://ndialonestar.org/events/may-17th-member-meeting> (for ease of forwarding to a friend)

Giving Back through the ROTC Program:

Recently, two of your NDIA board members, Art Hawkins (Director) and Mike Dietz (President) visited the TCU Army ROTC Cadet Awards Ceremony to present a scholarship to Cadet Amber Cantey (photo below).

http://ndialonestar.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/05/22-Cdt-Cantey-NDIA_Cropped.jpg

She was kind enough to then send us a Thank You. A special thanks to NDIA for being the "company" who helped Cadet Cantey out with her expenses (photo below).

http://ndialonestar.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/05/Cantey_Thank_You_TCU_Army_ROTc.jpg

Partner Event, UNT Military History Center War Studies Symposium:

The Military History Center at UNT will hold the 2nd Annual War Studies Symposium on Thursday, 25 May at the Cavanaugh Flight Museum in Addison starting at 11:00 am. Our guest speaker will be Dr. Andrew Wiest and the title of his talk will be: "1967: Make or Break Year in the Vietnam War." We will be serving a plated lunch to all guests. Registration closes on 19 May and must be completed online at:

<http://warstudiessymposium2017.eventbrite.com>

Partner Outing, Baseball with AUSA:

Rich Kaniss, Col. (ret) with the Association of the United States Army is offering \$8 tickets to NDIA members for Military Appreciation day on 20 May at the Grand Prairie Air Hogs baseball game. The game starts at 7:05 pm - they will have Miss Texas and Miss Outstanding teen Texas on hand plus will have the largest joint enlistment ceremony in DFW for 2017. If interested, email Rich at Richard Kaniss rkaniss@att.net and copy me, Mike Dietz mpdietz@hotmail.com and be sure to let Rich know you are an NDIA member.

Upcoming NDIA Monthly Meetings (3rd Wednesday of every month)

June 21st:

Program Management with Reggie Grant, Lockheed Martin (and NDIA Lone Star Board Member) - A special guest Frank Michael, Senior VP with NDIA (CAPT USN, Retired) for Program Development will make a visit that evening

July 19th:

Competitive Analysis and Strategy with Steve Roerman, Chairman & CEO at Lone Star Analysis

August 16th:

Legal Issues in the Defense Industry with Jeff Hunt (Raytheon) and others

Our meetings are always an excellent networking opportunity to connect with fellow Government and Industry folks as well as meet the chapter board! Keep a look out for more communications or bigger speakers and collaborations that you won't want to miss!!

Chapter Web Page: <http://ndialonestar.org/>

(Note: The Chapter Logo was updated to be consistent with the National logo, April 2017)

The web page will have all the latest information, including syndicated news from national on the home page, local news (<http://ndialonestar.org/news>), and a link to join

(<http://ndialonestar.org/membership>). It's a good place to check back to regularly!

Our Web Page is Mobile!

Our webpage can be viewed easily on your phone or other mobile device, including the capability to click on addresses and pull up a map to navigate.

Contact and Involvement:

To view the NDIA Lone Star leadership list, go here: <http://ndialonestar.org/board/>

Feel free to reach out if you'd like to get involved. You can always reach me at my personal email address, mpdietz@hotmail.com

Look forward to seeing you around town and at our local and national NDIA events!
Mike

Mike Dietz
President

<http://www.linkedin.com/in/mikedietz73> (send message, if possible)

NDIA Lone Star - a "Model Chapter" from 2014-2016 and counting

(Dallas/Fort Worth Region and surrounding areas)

"Strength through Industry and Technology"

<http://ndialonestar.org>

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The NDIA Lone Star Chapter is one of the largest chapters in the country with member numbers ranging around 2000 members, including from all the areas major contractors such as Lockheed, Raytheon, Bell, L-3 and the Government with many bases in the local region and representation on key Congressional Committees by our local members of Congress, which is one of the highest such concentrations in the country. We are blessed to be in a region so active with Defense Industry (and Government) activity. Help us help you get more involved, benefit your career, and make a very positive contribution to our nation's security as well as the world's.

Just a reminder that you're receiving this email because you or your company have expressed an interest in NDIA (National Defense Industrial Association) Lone Star Chapter. Don't forget to add mpdietz@hotmail.com to your address book so we'll be sure to land in your inbox!



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