

## **Disrupter Event**

## 20-22 May 2019

On 20 – 22 May, SOFWERX, in collaboration with USSOCOM, hosted a Disrupter event designed to rapidly evaluate and acquire effective solutions relevant to three Technology Focus Areas (TFA's). The Disrupter Event is a multi-phased, competitive opportunity focused on showcasing the latest, most disruptive and transformational technologies and capabilities for Government Stakeholder review.

## **Event Outcomes**

- Out of 218 submissions, USSOCOM selected 12 companies to present their capabilites to Government representatives during one-on-one sessions.
- Over 159 Government Stakeholders and Other Government Users attended the one-on-one sessions.
- Based on the outcome of the one-on-one discussions, USSOCOM will downselect their top candidates to move forward in any combination of the following ways:
  - Other Transaction Agreements under 10 U.S. Code, Section 2371 or 2371b\* (prototyping/ production follow-on)
  - Procurement contract for experimental purposes 10 U.S. Code, Section 2373
  - Business to business research and development agreement as a sub-award (15 U.S. Code, Section 3715)
  - Cooperative Research amd Development Agreement (15 U.S. Code, Section 3710a)
  - Negotiations for numerous awards are on-going