

Special Reconnaissance (SR) Virtual Assessment Event (AE) Series

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SOFWERX, in collaboration with SOF Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics (SOF AT&L) Special Reconnaissance (PEO-SR), hosted a series of virtual Assessment Events (AEs) to identify technologies and techniques to aid four (4) Program Management (PM) Offices with eight (8) Technology Focus Areas (TFAs).

Technology Focus Areas (TFAs)

- 1. PM Remote Capabilities (RC): Small Satellite Communications
- 2. PM Remote Capabilities (RC): Advanced On-Orbit Processing Architectures
- 3. PM Remote Capabilities (RC): Collaborative Autonomy for Small UAS
- 4. PM Integrated Sensor Systems (ISS): Low-Cost Simple RF Collector
- 5. PM Integrated Sensor Systems (ISS): Assessing Cyber Vulnerabilities
- 6. PM Technical Collection & Communications (TCC): Remote Emplacement of Sensors/Tags
- 7. PM Technical Collection & Communications (TCC): Maritime Tagging, Tracking, and Locating (TTL)
- 8. PM Sensitive Site Exploitation (SSE): Biometrics

Event Outcomes

- Out of 100 submissions, USSOCOM selected 36 organizations to brief 42 capabilities to the respective Program Management offices.
- Virtual one-on-one sessions were hosted to allow Industry to pitch their solutions and be asked specific questions by the Government Stakeholders.
- Based on the outcome of the one-on-one discussions, USSOCOM will downselect their top candidate(s) to advance to the next phase of this effort.