

Back to Basics July 10–12, 2017 | **Baltimore, Maryland**

This conference is an important first step to exporting articles on the United States Munitions List (USML) and the Commerce Control List (CCL) and the associated defense services and technology. This conference is ideal for newcomers (less than 5 years of experience) to export licensing, as they will be provided with a step-by-step guide to using the International Traffic in Arms Regulations (ITAR) and the Export Administration Regulations (EAR). Emphasis will be placed on the license application process and the requirements for submitting licenses to the Department of State, Directorate of Defense Trade Controls as well as to the Department of Commerce, Bureau of Industry Security for review and approval. Attendees will become familiar with the various types of licenses, agreements, exemptions and exceptions and the requirements and conditions associated with each. Government speakers will provide insight into the procedures and policies governing the export licensing process.

Ample time for questions will be included each day. In addition, a special Roundtable Q&A Session with panelists and invited guests will be held at the conclusion of Day 2.

The Conference will integrate hands-on workshops with practical transaction scenarios and corresponding exercises covering jurisdiction and classification, export licensing and agreements, and exceptions. These exercises will give attendees the opportunity to apply what they have learned while US Government experts and defense industry peers are close at hand to answer questions and provide guidance.

Speakers will include participants from US Government agencies such as the US Department of State's Directorate of Defense Trade Controls (DDTC), Defense Technology Security Administration (DTSA), Bureau of Industry and Security (BIS) and members of the defense industry.

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Registration fees include: breakfasts, lunches, breaks, reception and course materials.

Cancellation Policy: Cancellations must be received by Friday, June 30, 2017 to be eligible for a refund. There is a \$35 fee for all cancellations and bank returned checks. *Refunds will not be provided for cancellation requests received after Friday, June 30, 2017.*

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Register early...seating is limited!

HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

Baltimore Marriott Waterfront 700 Aliceanna Street Baltimore, MD 21202-4339

A block of rooms has been reserved at the Baltimore Marriott Waterfront Hotel for the dates of the conference. The SIA room rate is the prevailing government per diem of \$140 per night plus tax (single/double occupancy). Reservations may be made online through the link on SIA's website under the *2017 Summer Back to Basics Conference* or by contacting Reservations at 1-800-228-9290 or 410-385-3000 (ask for the 2017 SIA Conference rate).

The room block has been reserved until Friday, June 16, 2017, or until sold out, whichever occurs first.

GROUND TRANSPORTATION

Supreme Airport services the downtown Baltimore hotels. Please book your reservation in advance via their 24-hour call center (1-800-590-0000), at the airport ticket counter, or online at www.supremeairportshuttle.com. Average taxi fare between BWI & Baltimore Marriott Waterfront is \$45.00 USD (one way). The hotel offers self-parking at \$26/day and valet at \$45/day with in/out privileges.

Attire for the conference is business casual.

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THE SOCIETY FOR INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

Background & Purpose

The Society for International Affairs, Inc. (SIA) is a volunteer, nonprofit, educational organization that was jointly formed in 1967 by US Government and Industry. SIA provides a forum for the exchange of information related to export and import licensing. SIA interests cover the entire spectrum of licensing pertaining to the Departments of Commerce, Defense, State, Treasury, and Homeland Security.

Activities

Business luncheon meetings are held regularly and feature guest speakers who address regulatory and policy issues affecting exporting and importing. Conferences and workshops are presented on a regular basis to educate and instruct the export community on all aspects of defense and commercial exports and technology transfers.

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The meetings and functions of SIA are designed to facilitate the free exchange of ideas and information. Information from these sessions is not for attribution or publication. Recording devices may not be used. SIA members and attendees are expected to uphold the highest standards of personal conduct at all SIA functions and must abide by the Code of Conduct.

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Membership is comprised of over 2,000 members consisting of Industry, U.S. Government, and embassies. Information about SIA membership is available at www.siaed.org.

BACK TO BASICS: Understanding the Basics of International Trade Licensing & Compliance

7:00 AM Registration & Breakfast

8:00 AM Opening Remarks

Jennifer K. Weinel, Northrop Grumman Corporation, SIA President Anna Magoulas, Raytheon Company, Conference Director

8:15 AM Overview of Export Control Regimes & Regulations Panel

Marc Binder, International Trade Compliance Strategies
Tom Donovan, Northrop Grumman Corporation
Terry Davis, Office of Defense Trade Controls Licensing
Scott Maslow, Licensing Directorate-Munitions Division, Defense
Technology Security Administration
Dimitri Smith, Munitions Control Division, Bureau of Industry and Security

10:00 AM Break

10:15 AM Commodity Jurisdiction and Classification Panel

Jeremy Huffman, Huffman Riley PLLC Travis Schultz, Office of Defense Trade Controls Policy

Nick Shahan, Office of Defense Trade Controls Policy

Elyas Akram, Licensing Directorate-Munitions Division, Defense Technology Security Administration

Dimitri Smith, Munitions Control Division, Bureau of Industry and Security

12:30 PM Lunch

1:30 PM Q&A

2:00 PM DDTC Registration

Daniel Cook, Office of Defense Trade Controls Compliance Travis Bryant, Office of Defense Trade Controls Compliance

2:30 PM Q&A

2:45 PM Break

3:00 PM Jurisdiction/Classification Exercise

All Speakers, Board and Committee

5:00 PM Adjourn

5:15 PM Reception

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DAY TWO - Tuesday, July 11, 2017

7:00 AM Breakfast

8:15 AM Opening Remarks

Anna Magoulas, Raytheon Company, Conference Director

8:20 AM ITAR Licensing Panel

Yolanda Gantlin, Office of Defense Trade Controls Licensing Cynthia Keefer, BAE Systems

10:00 AM Break

10:15 AM Licensing Q&A

10:30 AM ITAR Agreements - Overview, Preparation and Best Practices

MAJ Sean Keefe, Office of Defense Trade Controls Licensing LTC Timothy Duffy, Office of Defense Trade Controls Licensing Barbara Clark, Orbital ATK

12:15 PM Lunch

1:15 PM Agreements Q&A

1:30 PM DTSA Review Panel

Jean Singer Rosch, Moderator, JSR Consultants Scott Maslow, Licensing Directorate-Munitions Division, Defense Technology Security Administration

2:00 PM ITAR License Exercise

All Speakers, Board and Committee

2:30 PM Break

2:45 PM ITAR License Exercise (con't)

All Speakers, Board and Committee

3:15 PM ITAR TAA Exercise

All Speakers, Board and Committee

4:15 PM ITAR Exemptions

Sandra Cross, Huntington Ingalls Industries

5:15 PM Q&A

5:30 PM Adjourn

5:30-6:30 PM Meet the Speakers (Roundtable Discussions/Open Q&A)

DDTC-L, DDTC-P, DDTC-C, BIS, DTSA, Industry speakers

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DAY THREE - Wednesday, July 12, 2017

7:30 AM Breakfast

8:30 AM Opening Remarks

Anna Magoulas, Raytheon Company, Conference Director

8:35 AM EAR Licensing / Exceptions Panel

Dimitri Smith, Munitions Control Division, Bureau of Industry and Security
Dara Sanders, Munitions Control Division, Bureau of Industry and Security
Bruce O'Cain, Licensing Directorate-Munitions Division, Defense Technology Security Administration
Elyas Akram, Licensing Directorate-Munitions Division, Defense Technology Security Administration
Suzanne Kao, Deloitte Tax LLP

10:00 AM Break

10:15 AM Q&A

10:30 AM EAR License Exercise / Exemption / Exception

All Speakers, Board and Committee

12:30 PM Lunch

1:30 Trade Compliance Program

James Ackerman, Office of Defense Trade Controls Compliance Adam Butschek, Office of Defense Trade Controls Compliance Thomas Andrukonis, Office of Exporter Services, Bureau of Industry and Security Jeremy Huffman, Huffman Riley PLLC

2:30 PM Break

2:45 PM "Got your license....now what?"

Marc Binder, International Trade Compliance Strategies

4:00 PM Disclosures and Enforcement

James Ackerman, Office of Defense Trade Controls Compliance Adam Butschek, Office of Defense Trade Controls Compliance Thomas Andrukonis, Office of Exporter Services, Bureau of Industry and Security Jeremy Huffman, Huffman Riley PLLC

4:45 PM Q&A

5:00 PM Conference Adjourns