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eNEWSLETTER

BETTER BUYING POWER UPDATE

DCMA Does It

Director of the Defense Contract Management Agency, Lt. Gen. Wendy Masiello, will provide an in-depth look at crucial DCMA responsibilities and initiatives that help programs and the Department of Defense achieve better buying power: better prices, better quality, and improved delivery times.

Thu., July 21
1:00 p.m.– 2:30 p.m.

DAU Fort Belvoir
Scott Hall, bldg. 226

Virtually: VTC, DCS



Whether attending at Fort Belvoir, via VTC at a regional DAU campus, or connecting through DCS, [everyone must register](#) for this event.

This Hot Topic Forum provides 1.5 Continuous Learning Points.

RESOURCES

Defense AT&L Magazine

The July-August issue features a special section on risk management.

In the article "[Robust, Replicable and Defensible Risk Management at Headquarters or the Front](#)," author Eugene Razzetti shares a risk management model using what he calls "disciplined subjectivity."



LEARNING ASSETS

Your Cyber Domain

The acquisition process can be complex; while the added layer of cybersecurity is incredibly important, it is another layer nonetheless. DAU has an entire [Community of Practice](#) devoted to cybersecurity. There are articles that explain how cybersecurity affects the DoD acquisition lifecycle, tools to help you implement it and opportunities to connect with others working in this field.



MISSION ASSISTANCE

Help Us Help You

We know that not every problem fits into a case study and not every solution is found in a guidebook. That's why we are committed to helping organizations like yours by tailoring solutions to meet your specific needs.

Thinking about asking for assistance, but not sure what we offer? Contact us with your acquisition and leadership training needs and we'll work with you to develop the solution that best fits your situation.

Tell us how we can help you succeed.
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President's Message

Mr. James P. Woolsey
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Creativity is not just about succeeding. It's about experimenting and discovering.

—from *Orbiting the Giant Hairball* by Gordon MacKenzie



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