

To help shape a culture that promotes career-long learning at the point of need, DAU adopted the Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics (AT&L) Performance Learning Model (PLM), which lays the foundation for meeting the professional development needs of the AT&L workforce.

Training courses offer the AT&L workforce the education, training, and experience when and where it is needed, satisfying the requirements of the Defense Acquisition Workforce Improvement Act (DAWIA).

Performance support is tailored to customer needs and may include consulting; targeted training, which is tailored to the specific requirement; rapid-deployment training, which delivers training within days of new policy implementation; and group facilitation.

The DAU Continuous Learning Center offers opportunities designed to maintain currency and help employees meet the DoD requirement to complete 80 points of continuous learning every 2 years. DAU also hosts and participates in a variety of public forum events that promote learning and offer continuous learning opportunities.

Knowledge sharing is promoted through the AT&L Knowledge Sharing System, which provides online access to a variety of reference materials; the Acquisition Community Connection, which hosts an online information-sharing and discussion forum; and DAU's David D. Acker Library, which supports research in defense acquisitions.



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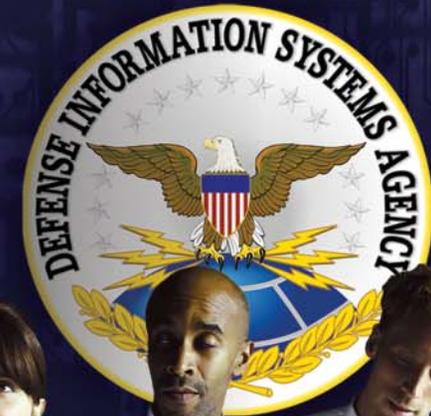
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DISA Information Systems Engineering Seminar (ISES)



Learn. Perform. Succeed.

Purpose of this Course

This course is under the guidance and direction of the Defense Information Systems Agency (DISA) Chief Technology Officer, the organization in DISA that manages systems engineering training. The course is intended to introduce the software management team of any DISA project to some of the realities of procurement, acquisition, basic systems, and software engineering. While DAU organizes and presents the course, entry into the course is managed and controlled by DISA.

During this course, you will:

- Learn the expectations and requirements associated with the DoD acquisition environment
- Learn how the basic systems engineering process works and how software engineering and management relates to it
- Receive hands-on experience, gaining a greater understanding of how to manage a software engineering project using the latest software management best practices

Classroom and Hands-On Experiences

Day 1:

Setting the Stage

Day 2:

Understanding the Systems Engineering Process

Day 3:

Managing the Systems Engineering Process

Day 4:

Applying the Systems Engineering Process

Knowledge and Skills You Will Gain

Professionals who take this course will learn:

- How the DoD acquisition community is organized
- How to create output products of the engineering process
- The basic network engineering process
- The basic systems engineering process
- The basic software engineering process
- The experiences of successful software project managers
- The operation of the Joint Capabilities Integration and Development System
- Where DISA fits into the DoD acquisition community

Course Topics

- Business Enterprise Architecture (BEA)
- DISA engineering process
- Interoperability and architecture
- Latest DoD policy
- Overview of DoD acquisition process
- Practical application of best practices on a DISA-related project
- Systems engineering process
- Software management best practices
- Systems analysis and controls (e.g., risk management, configuration control)

Who Should Attend

Members of the DISA project management teams who need additional knowledge on the demands of the acquisition environment and on how systems, network, and software engineering best practices need to be utilized to ensure project success.

Interested?

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Note: The Performance Support seminar is currently available at the Fort Belvoir campus only.

