



IT Acquisition Summit 2018 "Knowledge Sharing"
Martin Luther King Building, Atlanta, GA
June 14, 2018, 7:30 AM to 4:00 PM

Moderator: Glenda Urgiles, ITC Acting Branch Chief, IT Schedule 70, GSA Headquarters

AGENDA

Morning

7:30 AM - 8:30 AM: Pre-Registration

Pick up your name badge, schedule and sign up for the Business Matchmaking Session.

8:30 AM - 8:45 AM: Region 4 ITC Summit Welcome and Introduction

Speakers: Brian Stern, GSA Regional Administrator, Region 4 and Joel Rogero, Acting FAS Regional Commissioner, Region 4

8:45 AM - 9:15 AM: Keynote Speaker

Keith Nakasone, ITC Deputy Assistant Commissioner of Acquisition, GSA Headquarters

9:15 AM - 9:35 AM: Overview of IT Schedule 70 and Best Practices

Cheryl Thornton, ITC Division Director, GSA Region 4

9:35 AM - 9:50 AM Overview of Governmentwide Acquisition Contracts (GWAC)

Speakers: Misty Claypole, ITC Contracting Officer, GSA Region 6 and Diemle Phan, ITC Contracting Officer, GSA Headquarters

9:50AM - 10:05 AM: Break

10:05 AM - 10:20 AM: Overview of the Earth Observation Special Item Number (SIN) 132-41

Charles Wingate, ITC Contracting Officer, GSA Region 4

10:20 AM - 10:35 AM: Overview of the Cloud Computing Services SIN 132-40

Warren Reddick, ITC Branch Chief, GSA Region 4

10:35 AM - 11:05 AM: Overview of Cybersecurity SINs: Continuous Diagnostics and Mitigation Tools (CDM) SIN 132-44 and Highly Adaptive Cybersecurity Services (HACS) SIN 132-45

Terence Rountree, Deputy Director, IT Security Subcategory, GSA Headquarters

11:05 AM - 11:30 AM: Industry/Customer Success Story

Roy Jones, IT Schedule 70 Industry Partner
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11:30-11:35 - Interim Remarks

Julia B. Wise, Acting Director, IT Schedule 70, GSA Headquarters

11:35 AM - 12:35 PM: Lunch on your own

Afternoon

Training Sessions & Descriptions

Sessions will start at 1:00 p.m. and will run concurrently. Attendees will have the option to attend either session A or B.

Afternoon Session A: GSA Schedule Training and Emerging Technologies

Training Option 1

12:45 PM - 1:30 PM: Benefits of Using IT Schedule 70

Description: Gain a basic understanding of IT Schedule 70, the benefits of using Schedules, how to procure from Schedules and hear about policy changes that are improving the buying process.

Speakers: Warren Blankenship, ITC Senior Policy Advisor, GSA Headquarters and Hassan Harris, ITC, GSA Region 4

OR

Training Option 2

12:45 PM - 1:30 PM: What is GSA's Emerging Citizen Technology Office? What new innovations are in store for GSA's agency partners?

Description: GSA is experimenting with new technology - Distributed Ledger Technology (DLT), Artificial Intelligence (AI) and machine learning - Learn about these developments and how they can help federal agencies provide services.

Speaker: Justin Herman, Lead, GSA Emerging Citizen Technology Office, GSA Headquarters

Afternoon Session B: GSA Schedule Processes and GWAC Training

Training Option 1

1:45 PM - 2:30 PM: Procedures and processes for successfully submitting an e-offer and an e-modification

Description: Learn from GSA Contracting Officers (CO) how to submit an e-offer and an e-modification and learn what COs look for when reviewing these packages.

Speakers: Sherri Wyatt, ITC Branch Chief, GSA Region 4 and Yolanda Collins, ITC Contracting Officer, GSA Region 4.

OR

Training Option 2

1:45 PM - 2:30 PM: GWAC Training for Federal Buyers

Description: Gain a basic understanding of GWACs, how to place a task order, and utilize the various tools available for ordering agencies.

Speakers: Misty Claypole, ITC Contracting Officer, GSA Region 6 and Diemle Phan, ITC Contracting Officer, GSA Headquarters

2:30 PM - 2:35 PM - Closing Remarks

Cheryl Thornton, ITC Division Director, GSA Region 4

2:40 PM - 3:45 PM: Business Matchmaking Session: Agencies and companies will have an opportunity to speak with GSA's professional acquisition staff in 10 minute interval sessions to ask vital business questions and obtain tips on how to market their Schedule and GWACs to federal agencies. Note: Matchmaking appointments will be made in the morning at registration.