

# MAIN SESSION AGENDA

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 16, 2023  
LEGACY BALLROOM, 2ND FLOOR

Wednesday, AUGUST 16, 2023

<b>8:00 a.m.</b>	<b>Main Session Welcome, Legacy Ballroom, 2nd Floor</b> Jim McManus, GVSETS Chair
<b>8:10 a.m.</b>	<b>NDIA Welcome</b> Valde Garcia, NDIA Michigan Chapter President
<b>8:15 a.m.</b>	<b>Welcome</b> Michael Cadieux, SES, Director, U.S. Army DEVCOM Ground Vehicle Systems Center (GVSC)
<b>8:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Artificial Intelligence – Army &amp; Industry Perspectives</b> Young Bang, Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Army Acquisition, Logistics and Technology Dr. Zachary Mears, Senior Vice President of Strategy, Anduril Industries
<b>9:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Exhibitor Break</b>
<b>10:30 a.m.</b>	<b>Warfighter Panel</b> Moderator: MG Julian B. (JB) Burns, U.S. Army (Ret.) COL Chris Dempsey, Commander, 1st Brigade, 1st Cavalry Division. Fort Cavazos, TX LTC Ben Flynn, Live Fire, National Training Center, Fort Irwin, CA CPT Chris Jordan, Opposing Forces, National Training Center, Fort Irwin, CA
<b>11:45 a.m.</b>	<b>Lunch</b>
<b>1:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Keynote Speaker</b> COL John F. Antal, USA (Ret.), Technology and Modern Warfare
<b>1:45 p.m.</b>	<b>Guest Speaker</b> Mike Madsen, Strategic Advisor, Defense Innovation Unit (DIU)
<b>2:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Exhibitor Break</b>
<b>3:30 p.m.</b>	<b>Detroit Arsenal Senior Leadership Panel</b> Moderator: Dr. Grace Bochenek, Director - School of Modeling & Simulation, University of Central Florida Michael Cadieux, SES, Director, U.S. Army GVSC MG Glenn Dean, Program Executive Office Ground Combat Systems (PEO GCS) BG Samuel L. "Luke" Peterson, PEO Combat Support & Combat Service Support (CS & CSS) BG Geoffrey Norman, Director - Next Generation Combat Vehicle, Cross-Functional Teams (CFT) BG Michael B. Lalor, Commanding General, U.S. Army Tank-Automotive & Armaments Command (TACOM) Dan Gallagher, Executive Director and Senior Contracting Officer, Army Contracting Command - Detroit Arsenal
<b>4:50 p.m.</b>	<b>Best Paper Presentation</b> Dr. David Gorsich, Chief Scientist, U.S. Army GVSC Dr. Gregg Wildes, Business Development Manager, DornerWorks
<b>5:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Main Session Conclusion</b> Jim McManus, GVSETS Chair
<b>5:15 p.m.</b>	<b>Exhibitor Reception: GVSETS Tours the Great Lakes – Exhibit Hall</b>