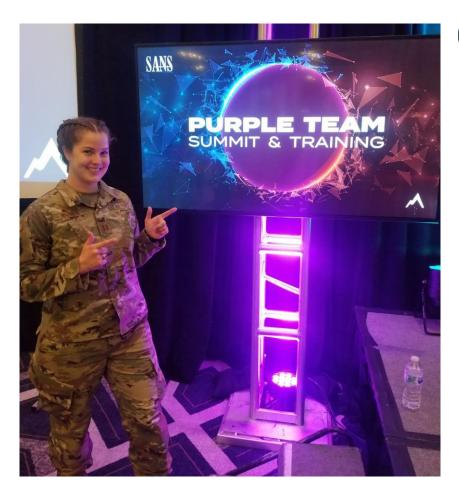


Hero Hackers

How you can use your offensive skills to help the Air Force



Capt Lillian B. Warner, USAF

2016 - Air Education and Training Command

2017 - AF Space Command

2018 - Air Combat Command

2020 - AF Materiel Command



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Agenda

- Hackthe<InsertOrgHere>
- Get \$\$\$ SBIR/SBTT
- Big Problems and Big Ideas AFWERX & AF Cyberworx

#AgileAF - Software Development



Hackthe<InsertOrgHere>

DoD Vulnerability Disclosure Program

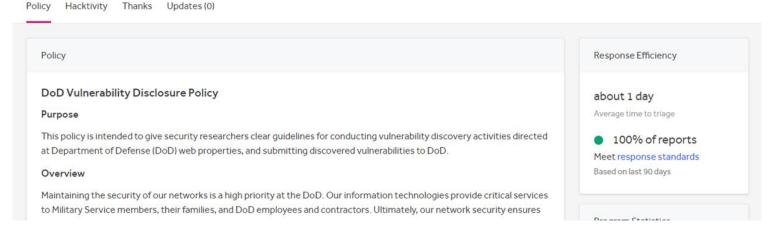
"Any public-facing website owned, operated, or controlled by DoD, including web applications hosted on those sites"

Restrictions

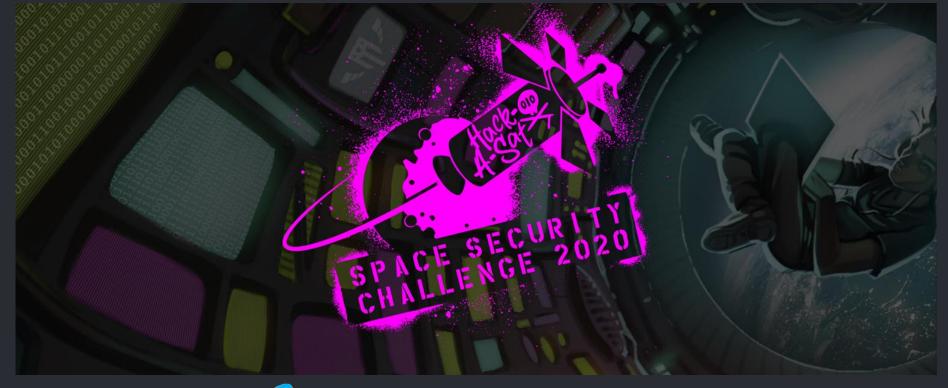
China, Russia, Iran, North Korea













SBIR/SBTT

Doing Business at the Speed of Startups

- \$50K for 3mo.
- Small Business Innovation Research
 - Phase I: Air Force customer discovery
 - Phase II: Trial your solution with AF customers
 - Phase III: Unrestricted Sole-Source Government Procurement

 5G, ML/AI, Autonomy, Biotechnology, Cybersecurity, Directed Energy, Hypersonics, Networked C3, Nuclear, Quantum Science, Space

SBIR/SBTT

- SBTT requirements:
 - 50% American-owned
 - Start-up completes 40% of work
 - Partner must complete 30% of proposed work
- SBIR Requirements
 - 50% American-owned, <500 Employees

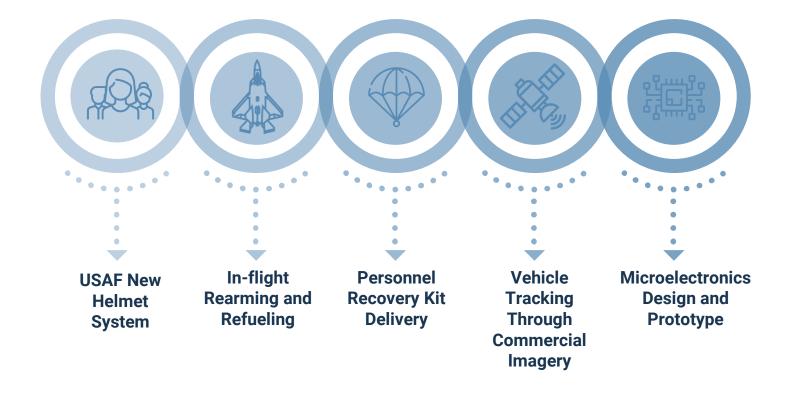
AF Cyberworx

Co-designing solutions for warfighter's problem Military & Government Business & Industry Innovators & Academics





AFWERX - Past Challenges





Software Development

PlatformOne by LevelUP – Texas BESPIN

Alabama

Kessel Run

Massachusetts

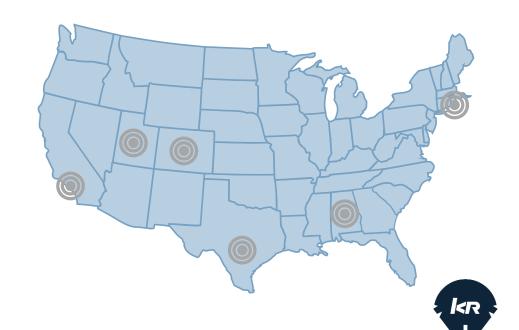
Kobayashi Maru California

Space Camp

Colorado

SkiCamp

Utah



BESPIN

- Airmen Against Drunk Driving
- Whats Up App
- Wing Feedback App

"...a collaboration between internal and private sector developers that will use DevSecOps to turn projects into new resolutions that will ultimately support the Department of Defense"





#agileAF





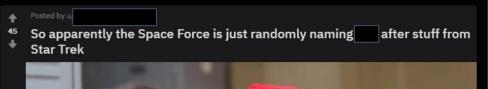
Deliver combat capability that can sense & respond to conflict in any domain, any time, anywhere.





Space Command and Control

Mission applications to enable responsive, resilient operational-level space C2 capabilities





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- Why the would you name something Kobayashi Maru? Do they not know what happened to the Kobayashi Maru?
 - Reply Give Award Share Report Save

Software Factories

SkiCamp

 Continuous development and deployment of Hill AFB mission applications to the warfighter

SoniKube

- Modernize teams approach for web-application development
- Air Force Sustainment Center / Software Engineering Groups

SpaceCAMP

- Platform & application development shop of Kobayashi Maru
- Deliver new capabilities to NSDC & broader space community

PlatformOne by LevelUp

- Provides DevSecOps managed services to AF & DoD
- CNCF-compliant Kubernetes stack
- CI/CD pipeline with c-ATO



Conclusion

- Hacker -> HackerOne
- Small Business -> SBIR/SBTT
- Anyone -> AFWERX & AFCyberworx

Developer -> Software Development



Thanks.





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