Defence and Aerospace Workshop Agenda

March 24th, 2025, 2:00 pm – 5:00 pm (NL time) Location: COIC, 710 Torbay Road, St. John's, NL

Time (NL)	Торіс
2:00 – 2:10 pm	Welcome and Overview, Victoria Belbin, CEO, ACADA
2:10 – 2:40 pm	Defence Research and Development Canada (DRDC)
	An overview of DRDC's science & technology program in underwater technology, in support of Canada's national defence.
	Dr. Mark Stoddard , Maritime Systems, Experimentation, and Analytics (M-SEA), Department of National Defence
	Warren Connors, Section Head, Defence Research and Development Canada Atlantic Research Centre
2:40 – 3:15 pm	Dual-Use Technology Panel
	A panel discussion with innovators/leaders experienced in growing their
	companies through dual-use technologies.
	Randy Billard, President and CEO, Virtual Marine
	Gina Pecore, CEO, Genoa Design
3:15 – 3:20 pm	CISMaRT
3:20 – 4:00 pm	NATO DIANA Program and Network Test Centres
	A panel discussion about the NATO DIANA Program and how you can participate.
	Matthew Clancey, Program Director, NATO DIANA, COVE (virtual)
	Robyn Warrier, Program Manager, NATO DIANA, COVE (virtual)
	David Murrin, Director General, Ocean, Coastal, and River Engineering, National
	Research Council Canada / Government of Canada, a NATO DIANA Network Test Centre
	Kelley Santos, Director, The Launch, a NATO DIANA Network Test Centre
4:00 – 5:00 pm	Join the speakers and panelists for refreshments and interesting discussions!











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