

CY2026 Program Offerings Catalog



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PROGRAM	DESCRIPTION	WHO SHOULD ATTEND/PRICING <i>Rank/Grade recommendations are for guidance only- all submissions are reviewed</i>	DATES
*** IN-RESIDENCE PROGRAM PRICE INCLUDES ALL TUITION, LODGING, AND MEALS ***			
LOGTECH Executive: Logistics, Sustainment, and Technology for Executives	For defense and business executives focused on strategy. Discover innovative tools and techniques to implement strategic direction, leveraging people, processes, and technology for efficient and effective capabilities.	<i>Public Sector: General Officers, Flag Officers, and SES</i> <i>Private Sector: Executive Leaders</i> Price of Program: \$9,000 GSA Rate: \$8,975 (#GS-02F-0200X)	In-Residence Dates Jun 1 - 5, 2026
LOGTECH Advanced: Logistics, Sustainment, and Technology for Leaders	For experienced leaders in defense and business focused on people, processes, and policy. Gain skills in critical thinking, innovation, risk management, and data fluency to lead and sustain significant improvements in your organization.	<i>Public Sector: GS13-GS15, O4-O6, CWO4-CWO5, and E8-E9</i> <i>Private Sector: Director Level Professionals</i> Price of Program: \$9,000 GSA Rate: \$8,975 (#GS-02F-0200X)	In-Residence Dates Feb 22 - 27, 2026 Jun 7 - 12, 2026 Jul 26 - 31, 2026 Sep 20 - 25, 2026 Dec 6 - 11, 2026
LOG21: Logistics for the 21 st Century	For early-career logisticians and supporting areas focused on logistics. This program covers advances in logistics, supply chain, inventory, innovation, critical thinking, technologies, and strategies for success.	<i>Public Sector: GS11-GS13, O2-O4, or equivalent rank.</i> <i>Private Sector: Early Career Logisticians and Professionals</i> Price of Program: \$7,500 GSA Rate*: \$6,850 (#GS-02F-0200X) Price of Virtual Program: \$6,680 *GSA rate update to \$7,350 is in progress. Notification will be provided upon implementation.	In-Residence Dates Mar 9 - 13, 2026 May 18 - 22, 2026 Aug 24 - 28, 2026 Virtual Dates Aug 3 - 7, 2026
LCELP: Life Cycle Executive Leadership Program	Leaders learn strategies to reduce costs and boost effectiveness in product and system design, improvement, and sustainment. They return equipped with insights to maximize long-term investments in products, services, and processes.	<i>Public Sector: GS12-GS15, O3-O6, and E7-E9</i> <i>Private Sector: Career Leaders and Managers</i> Price of Program: \$7,500 GSA Rate*: \$6,850 (#GS-02F-0200X) Price of Virtual Program: \$6,680 *GSA rate update to \$7,350 is in progress. Notification will be provided upon implementation.	In-Residence Dates Mar 2 - 6, 2026 <i>Potential additional dates as requested</i>

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DA2L: Data Analytics and Decisions Advantage for Leaders	The IDB's Data Analytics and Decision Advantage for Leaders (DA2L) provides a hands-on approach to solving specific business problems with analytical insights to influence critical decision making. DA2L equips participants with both the hard and soft skills necessary to make decisions with data.	<i>Public Sector: GS11-GS15, O3-O6, CWO3-CWO5, and E7-E9</i> <i>Private Sector: Senior Manager and Director level</i> Price of Program: \$7,500	In-Residence Dates Apr 20 - 24, 2026 Jul 13 - 17, 2026
IBLDP: Industrial Base Leadership Development Program	Address specific challenges to readiness facing leaders from throughout the Defense Industrial Base (DIB). Outcomes include greater policy and operational coordination, and develops mature, confident, creative, experienced cadre of leaders across the enterprise. Equips leaders with knowledge and skills to navigate the statutes, policies, funding mechanisms, missions, and competencies essential to effectively manage and sustain the complex dynamics of the DIB.	<i>Public Sector: GS13-GS15, and O4-O6</i> <i>Private Sector: Stakeholders that shape Strategy Funding, and Policy that impacts the DIB.</i> Price of Program: \$9,000	In-Residence Dates Jan 25 - 30, 2026 Mar 8 - 13, 2026 Aug 16 - 21, 2026 <i>Potential additional dates as requested</i>
IB2 IE: Industry Based Broadening: Information Environment	For high-potential leaders in strategic communication and information operations. This program covers industry best practices and fundamentals of securing technological infrastructure.	<i>Public Sector: GS12-GS15, O3-O6, and CWOs</i> Price of Program: \$7,850	In-Residence Dates July 12 - 17, 2026
IB2 LOG: Industry Based Broadening: Logistics	This one-week program helps mid-career leaders understand the complexities and critical issues of supply chains and logistics through exposure to a combination of private industry companies and practitioners.	<i>Public Sector: GS12-GS15, O3-O4, CWO2-CWO4, and E7-E9</i> <i>Private Sector: Civilians in roles implementing organizational and business process changes</i> Price of Program: \$7,850	In-Residence Dates Apr 19 - 24, 2026 Aug 2 - 7, 2026

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USS: Urban Strategy Seminar	This 2-week program, hosted in Washington, D.C., helps mid-career leaders understand the complexities and critical issues of operating in dense urban areas and megacities.	<i>Public Sector: GS13-GS15, O3-O4, CWOs, and Senior NCOs (with BA preferred)</i> Price of Program: \$14,500	In-Residence Dates May 3 - 15, 2026 Sep 13 - 25, 2026
AIR-P: Aviation Industrial Readiness Program	AIR-P is an executive program for commanders and senior civilian leaders of our Nation's depot, arsenals, and ammunition facilities. It integrates leadership and business management concepts to aid Defense Organic Industrial Base leaders in effective organization management.	<i>Public Sector: GS13-GS15 senior managers in depots, arsenals, and ammunition activities, and O5-O6 commanders</i> <i>Private Sector: Defense industrial base leaders</i> Price of Program: \$24,995 GSA Rate: \$24,995 (#GS-02F-0200X) Applications now being accepted for the FY2026 AIR-P Cohort	R1: Jan 2026 - Durham, NC R2: Jan 2026 - Durham, NC Benchmarking & Private Industry R3: Jan - May 2026 Corporation Residencies tailored to personal goals. R4: Jun 2026 - Durham, NC
CI2E: Continuous Improvement and Innovation for Executives	The CI2E program is customized and scalable to enhance organizational performance and culture across multiple functional areas and career levels. CI2E supports enterprise-wide transformation and sustainment.	<i>Public Sector: Senior Civilian and Military Leaders</i> <i>Private Sector: Senior Leaders driving change and managing processes for executive-level innovation</i> Custom offerings available specific to individual organizations In Residence or On Site. Program pricing is tailored based on group size, program duration, and specific requirements.	In-Residence Dates Mar 9 - 12, 2026 May 18 - 21, 2026 Jul 13 - 16, 2026 Dec 14 - 17, 2026

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IDB-ELP**: Customized Executive Leaders Program	The IDB-ELP is a customizable program for executive level leaders. Participants sharpen their capacity to drive enterprise transformation through advanced modules in strategic continuous improvement, technology integration, innovation, and other high-impact disciplines. Each component is tailored to organizational objectives, equipping executive leaders to elevate culture and performance across the entire enterprise.	<i>Private Sector: Executive Leaders</i> <i>Public Sector: General Officers, Flag Officers, and SES</i> Price of Program: \$9,000	In-Residence Dates Feb 1 - 6, 2026 May 31 - Jun 5, 2026 Jun 21 - 26, 2026 Oct 18 - 23, 2026 <i>Potential additional dates as requested</i>
IDB-ALP**: Customized Advanced Leaders Program	The IDB-ALP is a program specially developed, customized and scalable to enhance organizational performance and culture across career levels. ALP supports enterprise-wide transformation through high potential senior leader education, to include best practices in continuous improvement, innovation, technology, and others.	<i>Public Sector: GS13-GS15, O4-O6, CWO4-CWO5, and E8-E9</i> <i>Private Sector: Director Level Professionals</i> Price of Program: \$7,500 Price of Virtual Program: \$6,680	In-Residence Dates May 11 - 15, 2026 Virtual Dates Aug 24 - 28, 2026 <i>Potential additional dates as requested</i>

****:** Specialized programs made for and offered to individual organizations/groups. If you would like to inquire into a specialized program for your organization, please contact solutions@idb.org

"Life cycle management is a team sport. You need leaders in the civilian, uniformed military, and contractor communities to integrate efforts. The only place I'm aware of where these communities come together is at the IDB."

LCELP Alumnus

"IDB Programs provide an environment that enables military, industry, and academia to work collaboratively to craft improved defense solutions based on state of the art processes and technology."

LOGTECH Executive Private Industry Alumnus

"I normally leave a course trying to recapture what I was taught and search for ways that I could implement things into my workspace. After this course, I was almost overwhelmed with different techniques that I could use, not only in my workspace, but in my personal life as well. I have found the LOG21 program to be a leadership program, to help open my mind and tap into different strategies to solve the most common or difficult roadblocks. I can't thank you enough for the opportunity."

Log 21 Alumnus

Note - Program dates, prices, details, locations, and other information are current as of the printing of this documentation. Changes can occasionally occur due to many factors and all clients will be notified of all modifications and updates.



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