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# 2027 PROGRAM CATALOG

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| PROGRAM | DESCRIPTION | PARTICIPANT PROFILE/PRICING<br>*In-residence program price includes all tuition, lodging, and meals* | DATES |
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| **Logistics, Sustainment, and Technology for Executives** (LOGTECH Executive) | For defense and business executives focused on strategy and unlocking the potential of your people. Discover innovative tools and techniques that make it easier to translate strategy into execution and streamline business processes. Gain skills to more effectively use AI and technology as an enabler to generate enterprise-wide efficiency that can create significant cost savings, identify pressure points in your supply chain, and alleviate operational risks. | *This program is positioned at the executive-strategic level and is intended for leaders responsible for shaping organizational direction and delivering sustained impact across complex systems.*<br><br>Price of Program: $9,000<br>GSA Rate: $8,975 (#GS-02F-0200X)<br><br>Estimated Contact Hours: 26.5 | **In-Residence Dates**<br>Apr 5 - 9, 2027<br><br>Duration: 1 week (Mon–Fri) |
| **Logistics, Sustainment, and Technology for Leaders** (LOGTECH Advanced) | For experienced leaders in defense or industry supply chain management and logistics. Apply new techniques to enable AI/ML supported innovation, help improve efficiency, manage risk, and strengthen data fluency by focusing on the data that really matters in logistics. This course is designed to help you identify and lead process improvement and then sustain those improvements throughout your organization to reduce both cost and risk in accomplishing objectives. | *This program is delivered as an advanced, graduate/professional-level short course designed for experienced leaders operating in complex organizational environments. The curriculum reflects executive education standards and assumes foundational knowledge of leadership, organizational dynamics, and decision-making.*<br><br>Price of Program: $9,000<br>GSA Rate: $8,975 (#GS-02F-0200X)<br><br>Estimated Contact Hours: 34 | **In-Residence Dates**<br>Feb 7 - 12, 2027<br>Jun 20 - 25, 2027<br>Jul 11 - 16, 2027<br>Aug 15 - 20, 2027<br>Sept 12 - 17, 2027<br>Nov 14 - 19, 2027<br><br>**Virtual Dates**<br>Sept 19 - 24, 2027<br><br>Duration: 1 week (Sun–Fri) |
| **Logistics for the 21st Century** (LOG21) | For early-career logisticians and supply chain management professionals. This program helps apply critical thinking and problem-solving techniques, supported by AI/ML to identify and manage risks, operationalize strategy, and make more cost-effective tradeoff decisions across your supply chain. The course includes key factors in the federal budget process that can impact funding and timelines, while enabling you to better understand how to properly identify relevant data sources that inform each decision point, reducing the noise of unnecessary data and information. | *Early-career professionals in logistics, supply chain, and related support functions who contribute to operational performance and seek to build foundational skills in modern logistics practices, technologies, and decision-making.*<br><br>*Price of Program: $8,150*<br>GSA Rate: $7,350 (#GS-02F-0200X)<br><br>Price of Virtual Program: $6,685<br><br>Estimated Contact Hours: 26.5 | **In-Residence Dates**<br>Feb 1 - 5, 2027<br>Aug 9 - 13, 2027<br>Oct 18 - 22, 2027<br><br>Duration: 1 week (Mon–Fri) |

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| **Life Cycle Executive Leadership Program**<br>(LCELP) | Leaders learn strategies to reduce costs and boost effectiveness in product and system design, apply systems thinking and tools for lifecycle management, enable process improvement, and effective sustainment activities to maximize value of long-term investments in products, services, and processes. This course is essential for leaders who want to learn about making cost-effective decisions and driving operational changes aligned to organizational strategy. | *Experienced leaders across defense, government, and industry responsible for improving product, system, and process performance, reducing costs, and maximizing long-term organizational value.*<br><br>Price of Program: $8,150<br>GSA Rate: $7,350 (#GS-02F-0200X)<br><br>Price of Virtual Program: $6,685<br><br>Estimated Contact Hours: 26.5 | **In-Residence Dates**<br>Mar 15 - 19, 2027<br>Sep 13 - 17, 2027<br><br>Duration: 1 week (Mon–Fri) |
| **Data Analytics and Decision Advantage for Leaders**<br>(DA2L) | Leaders and staff of all levels learn how to consider multiple problem frames to support decision-making, identify relevant metrics to properly measure progress, and use storytelling techniques to give decision-makers relevant information supported by source data. Leaders should be prepared to save time, save money and reduce risk by focusing on what really matters. | *This program is designed for professionals across defense, government, and industry who use data to inform decisions and influence organizational outcomes.*<br><br>Price of Program: $8,150<br><br>Estimated Contact Hours: 30 | **In-Residence Dates**<br>Mar 1 - 5, 2027<br>Jul 26 - 30, 2027<br><br>Duration: 1 week (Mon–Fri) |
| **Industrial Base Leadership Development Program**<br>(IBLDP) | The Industrial Base Leadership Development Program (IBLDP) prepares senior defense leaders to address the complex readiness, sustainment, and industrial base challenges facing the Organic Industrial Base (OIB). Through executive education, industry engagement, and collaborative problem-solving, participants develop expertise in workforce development, advanced manufacturing, supply chain resilience, financial management, and emerging technologies. Graduates leave equipped with the knowledge, strategic perspective, and professional network needed to strengthen industrial capabilities, drive innovation, and enhance readiness across the defense OIB enterprise. | *Senior military, civilian, and industry leaders responsible for industrial operations, sustainment, acquisition, supply chain management, workforce development, and strategic decision-making across the defense enterprise.*<br><br>Price of Program: $9,000<br><br>Estimated Contact Hours: 34 | **In-Residence Dates**<br>Mar 21 - 26, 2027<br>Aug 22 - 27, 2027<br>Nov 14 - 19, 2027<br><br>*Potential additional dates as requested*<br><br>Duration: 1 week (Sun–Fri) |

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| **Industry Based Broadening: Information Environment** (IB2-IE) | This one-week program provides an overview of industry best practices and the fundamentals of securing technological infrastructure. Participants will be prepared to counter foreign lobbying, apply strategic communications, influence without direct authority, and better wield combat power derived from key information sources. | *High-potential professionals across defense, government, and industry who work in strategic communication or information operations and seek to strengthen their understanding of the technological and infrastructure foundations that enable secure, effective information environments.*<br><br>Price of Program: $9,000<br><br>Estimated Contact Hours: 34 | **In-Residence Dates**<br>Jun 6 - 11, 2027<br><br>Duration: 1 week (Sun–Fri) |
| **Industry Based Broadening: Logistics** (IB2-LOG) | This one-week program combines classroom instruction and site visits to gain exposure to a variety of companies and practitioners across industry. Build the skills foundation necessary to lead complex supply chains, delegate routine tasks to AI, foster a culture of innovation and cost efficiency, and visit multiple industry sites to learn through real-time observation of IoT engineering and innovation that may be applied to your own processes. | *Mid-career professionals across defense, government, and industry who support or lead logistics and supply chain functions and seek exposure to industry practices, real-world challenges, and emerging trends.*<br><br>Price of Program: $9,000<br><br>Estimated Contact Hours: 34 | **In-Residence Dates**<br>May 9 - 14, 2027<br>Aug 22 - 27, 2027<br><br>Duration: 1 week (Sun–Fri) |
| **Urban Strategy Seminar** (USS) | This 2-week program, hosted in Washington, D.C., helps mid-career leaders understand the complexities of military strategy and operating in urban areas. This program gives participants tools to counter emerging threats in the modern operating environment by leveraging critical thinking, problem-solving, technological advancements in the field, and more, reinforced through a series of case studies in real-life conflicts with documented lessons learned. | *Public Sector: High-potential, experienced government civilian and military leaders.*<br><br>Price of Program: $14,500<br><br>Estimated Contact Hours: 67.5 | **In-Residence Dates**<br>Aug 8 - 20, 2027<br><br>Duration: 2 weeks (Sun–Fri) |

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| **Aviation Industrial Readiness Program**<br>(AIR-P) | AIR-P is an executive program for commanders and senior civilian leaders of our Nation's depots, arsenals, and ammunition facilities. It introduces AI for executives, organizational communications strategies, innovation and technological adoption tools and techniques that can be cascaded throughout an organization, and supports organizational effectiveness. Leaders should emerge from this program better equipped to maximize value and reduce cost from inefficiencies.<br><br>For additional details, you can review feedback from Executive Alumni here: https://www.idb.org/alumni/tuttle-award/about-gen-tuttle-award/#recent and here: https://www.idb.org/a-tour-of-maintenance-repair-and-overhaul-mrosfacilities-by-katlin-edmunds/ | *Public Sector: GS13-GS15 senior managers in depots, arsenals, and ammunition activities, and O5-O6 commanders*<br>*Private Sector: Defense industrial base leaders*<br><br>Price of Program: $24,995<br>GSA Rate: $24,995 (#GS-02F-0200X)<br><br>**Applications now being accepted for the FY2027 AIR-P Cohort** | R1: Oct 2026 - Durham, NC<br><br>R2: Dec 2026 - Durham, NC **Benchmarking & Private Industry**<br><br>R3: Jan - May 2027 **Corporation Residencies tailored to personal goals.**<br><br>R4: Jun 2027 - Durham, NC |
| **Customized Executive Leaders Program****<br>(IDB-ELP) | 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. | *Private/Public Sector: Participant profile determined by customer based on program objectives*<br><br>Price of Program: Pricing determined by scope and objectives of customized program | *Dates set by customer, subject to availability* |
| **Customized Advanced Leaders Program****<br>(IDB-ALP) | 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. | *Private/Public Sector: Participant profile determined by customer based on program objectives*<br><br>*Price of Program: Pricing determined by scope and objectives of customized program* | *Dates set by customer, subject to availability* |

****: 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

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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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