



Irregular Warfare Training Symposium

University of Central Florida

Fairwinds Alumni Center - Orlando, FL

“The Future of Small Unit Excellence in Immersive Cognitive Training”

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 2009

7:00 AM REGISTRATION & COFFEE

8:00 AM WELCOME REMARKS

- ▶ Mr. Kent Gritton, *Director, Team Orlando Joint Training Integration and Evaluation Center*

8:05 AM USJFCOM IRREGULAR WARFARE AND SMALL UNIT EXCELLENCE PERSPECTIVES

Keynote Speaker:

- ▶ Major General Jason K. Kamiya, *Director of Joint Training and Commander of the Joint Warfighting Center, US Joint Forces Command*

8:40 AM COGNITIVE SENSEMAKING

- ▶ Mr. Greg Williams, *Lead Human Behaviorist, Cubic Corporation, San Diego, CA*

9:20 AM SYMPOSIUM OVERVIEW AND APPROACH

- ▶ Dr. Peter Johnson, *President, Strategic Performance Institute, Laguna Hills, CA*

9:30 AM BREAK

9:45 AM PANEL DISCUSSION: STRATEGIES FOR SMALL UNIT EXCELLENCE TRAINING

Panel Lead:

- ▶ Dr. David Fautua, *Research Coordinator, National Program for Small Unit Excellence, Joint Warfighting Center, US Joint Forces Command*

Panelists:

- ▶ Dr. Eduardo Salas, *Program Director for Human Systems Integration Research, Institute for Simulation and Training, University of Central Florida*
- ▶ Mr. Greg Williams, *Lead Human Behaviorist, Cubic Corporation, San Diego, CA*
- ▶ Dr. Joan H. Johnston, *Senior Research Psychologist, Naval Air Warfare Center Training Systems Division, Orlando, FL*

11:15 AM LUNCH BREAK

1:00 PM PANEL DISCUSSION: TECHNOLOGIES FOR SMALL UNIT EXCELLENCE TRAINING

Panel Lead:

- ▶ Mr. Jay Reist, *Operational Manager, Future Immersive Training Environment Joint Capability Technology Demonstration, Joint Warfighting Center, US Joint Forces Command*

Panelists:

- ▶ Mr. Kim LeMasters, *Creative Director, Institute for Creative Technology, University of Southern California*
- ▶ Mr. James Korris, *Co-chair, Naval Research Advisory Committee; President/CEO, Creative Technologies, Inc.*
- ▶ Dr. Daniel Kaufmann, *Real World Program Manager, Defense Sciences Office, Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency*
- ▶ Dr. Stephen Goldberg, *Director, U.S. Army Research Institute for the Behavioral and Social Sciences (ARI) Training Technology Research Unit, Orlando, FL*

2:30 PM BREAK

2:45 PM GROUP DISCUSSIONS OVERVIEW, ASSIGNMENTS, GROUPS

- ▶ Dr. Peter Johnson, *President, Strategic Performance Institute, Laguna Hills, CA*
 - ▶ Topic A - *IW Team Decision Making*
 - ▶ Topic B - *IW Joint Enabling Capabilities*
 - ▶ Topic C - *IW Mission Rehearsal*
 - ▶ Topic D - *IW Measurement, Assessment and Evidence Based Training*

3:30 PM GROUP DISCUSSIONS – SESSION I

4:45 PM ADJOURN DAY 1



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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 2009

- 7:00 AM COFFEE
- 8:00 AM WELCOME REMARKS AND ADMINISTRATION
- ▶ Mr. Kent Gritton, *Director, Team Orlando Joint Training Integration and Evaluation Center*
- INTRODUCTION OF KEYNOTE SPEAKER
- ▶ Dr. David Fautua, *Research Coordinator, National Program for Small Unit Excellence, Joint Warfighting Center, US Joint Forces Command*
- 8:05 AM SMALL UNIT EXCELLENCE: AN OPERATIONAL PERSPECTIVE, RAMADI, 2006/07
- Keynote Speaker:*
- ▶ Brigadier General Sean B. MacFarland, *Commanding General, Joint Task Force North, US Northern Command*
- 8:45 AM GROUP DISCUSSIONS - SESSION II
- ▶ Topic A - *IW Team Decision Making*
 - ▶ Topic B - *IW Joint Enabling Capabilities*
 - ▶ Topic C - *IW Mission Rehearsal*
 - ▶ Topic D - *IW Measurement, Assessment and Evidence Based Training*
- 9:45 AM BREAK
- 10:00 AM GROUP DISCUSSIONS CONTINUED – SESSION III
- 11:30 AM LUNCH BREAK (On Your Own)
- 1:00 PM GROUP OUT BRIEFS TO SME PANEL
- ▶ Dr. David Fautua, *Research Coordinator, National Program for Small Unit Excellence, Joint Warfighting Center, US Joint Forces Command*
 - ▶ Mr. Jay Reist, *Operational Manager, Future Immersive Training Environment JCTD, Joint Warfighting Center, US Joint Forces Command*
 - ▶ *IW Team Decision Making SME - TBD*
 - ▶ *IW Joint Enabling Capabilities SME - TBD*
 - ▶ *IW Mission Rehearsal SME - TBD*
 - ▶ *IW Measurement, Assessment and Evidence Based Training SME - TBD*
- 2:30 PM BREAK
- 2:45 PM PLAN FORWARD
- ▶ Dr. Peter Johnson, *President, Strategic Performance Institute, Laguna Hills, CA*
 - ▶ Dr. David Fautua, *Research Coordinator, National Program for Small Unit Excellence, Joint Warfighting Center, US Joint Forces Command*
- 3:45 PM SYMPOSIUM WRAP-UP
- 4:00 PM ADJOURN