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All Domain Operations from Competition into Conflict:

The contributions of IO and EW to Joint all-domain warfighting challenges, and to achieving a Free and Open Indo-Pacific during competition.

SUBJECT LINE: 9th Annual Pacific IO & EW Symposium to be delivered on-line and VTC.

This important AOC event, now in its 9th year, will be delivered on-line and via secure video tele-conference in response to the current restrictions on travel to Hawaii during the global COVID-19 pandemic (namely the 14-day quarantine).

A positive aspect to this change of venue, is that it will allow those who would not otherwise had the opportunity to travel to join in the discussion.

The agenda is still being finalized. If you did not previously consider being a speaker at the symposium, the call for papers and presentations deadline was extended to 21 August.

The symposium will now start on Monday October 19th with three days of UNCLASSIFIED presentations, panels, and speakers delivered via the Federal Business Council (FBC) On-line Events platform. Classified presentations follow on October 22 and 23, and will be delivered via DoD secure Video-Teleconference. Detailed instructions for DoD and invited Ally and partner militaries for SECRET REL FVEY, FRA, JPN discussions will be published via official message from HQ U.S. Indo-Pacific Command Director of Operations, J3.

The revised agenda for will be published on the symposium webpage at: <u>https://www.fbcinc.com/e/aocpacific/</u>

Registration is required for the Symposium. Once registered for the overall symposium participants can then choose the plenary sessions and separate presentations they wish to attend after the agenda is published. Registered symposium participants will need to register for each of the three UNCLAS plenary sessions, and also for individual presentations conducted before and after the plenary sessions that will run from 1100 – 1400 Hawaii Standard Time.

Once registered to attend a specific panel, presentation, or plenary session, further instructions will be at the symposium website and via direct e-mails from FBC Events for participants to remotely join the virtual platform. The registration page is found on the symposium website. For registration questions, please e-mail Michael O'Neill at <u>mike@fbcinc.com</u>

For the classified sessions, participating military commands, DoD PME institutions, academia, Industry, and Allies and partners will follow the instructions of the pending message from Indo-Pacific Command J3 on how to be connected to the Towers Conference room on 22 and 23 October over U.S. DoD networks.

Please contact the Symposium Chair, Dr. Arthur Tulak, COL USA, Ret., via e-mail at Arthur.N.Tulak.ctr@pacom.mil for more information.