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## User Council Overview

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**Moderator: Nickie Whitney**



# User Council Overview

**CDR Matthew Swiergosz, MSC USN**  
DTIC User Council President  
Office of Naval Research



# DTIC User Council

- The purpose of the DTIC User Council is to serve as a liaison between DTIC and its user community.
- We operate independently to provide feedback and advise DTIC of the community's concerns.

The banner features a blue background with the DTIC logo on the left, which includes the text 'DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE' and 'DEFENSE TECHNICAL INFORMATION CENTER'. To the right of the logo is a collage of images showing military personnel in various settings, including a soldier in a helmet and a person in a lab coat.

# DTIC User Council

- Current DTIC User Council
  - CDR Matthew Swiergosz, Ph.D., President
  - H. Steven Kimmel, D.Sc., Vice-President
  - Janet Sutton, Ph.D., Secretary
  - R. Lee Hadden
  - MAJ Logan Blank, J.D., MPH
  - Marybeth Dowdell
  - Sam E. Middlebrooks, Ph.D.
  - Judith Thompkins
  - Alice H. Wakefield



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- Nominees running for the 2012 DTIC User Council
  - James Allen
  - Kenneth Cole
  - Marybeth Dowdell
  - Ronald Joe
  - Steffani Oberdalhoff
  - CDR Matthew Swiergosz, MSC USN
- Online voting open until 5:00 p.m. today
  - <https://ca.dtic.mil/pubs/survey/DTICGeneral.htm>
  - Stop by the DTIC exhibit booth to cast your vote



# DTIC User Council

- 2012 DTIC User Council members will be announced during Wednesday's Wrap Up session
- Come interact with DTIC User Council members and DTIC personnel onsite during the DTIC User Council Meeting: Wednesday at 4:30 p.m.
  - Will not be broadcast on DCO



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Questions?



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