



## Newsletter

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## Events



2021 Air Warfare Symposium and Technology Exposition - **Feb. 24 - 26, 2021**

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AIA Defense Forum 2021 - **April 20 - 23, 2021**

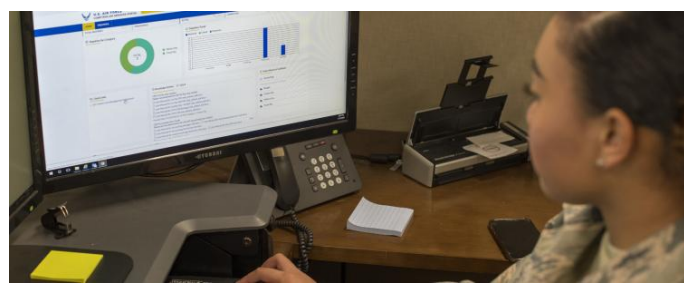
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## Massive Open Online Course (MOOC) Platform Coming!



Do you want to be introduced to the world of DoD and Department of Air Force's SBIR/STTR program? Are you curious about transporting your small business into a rich terrain of opportunities? If so, APEX has the answer! We are developing a Massive Open Online Course (MOOC) platform that will provide you with introductory knowledge on two dozen SBIR/STTR topics. An overview module giving you a primer of what to expect in the MOOC will hang on our APEX web site. If that overview piques your interest, you will then be able to register for our Learning Content Management System (LCMS) which is where the MOOC will reside. We expect to launch the LCMS and MOOC by early February, so stay tuned for updates!

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## News

### About Parallax Advanced Research - APEX's Parent Company



On October 24, Wright State Applied Research Corporation, a 501(c)(3) non-profit, was renamed Parallax Advanced Research and continues to accelerate innovation by developing technology and solutions through strategic partnerships with government, industry, and academia. By building highly synergistic cross-domain teams—composed of humans, artificial intelligence, autonomous systems, and other complex entities—Parallax is where everything comes together. Please visit our new website and subscribe to our newsletter at:

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### Innovation is a Team Sport - Blog



Innovation requires a team. Using a football analogy, the quarterback cannot win the game alone. Even setting aside the obvious need for a defense to keep the other team from scoring, the quarterback must be protected by the offensive linemen, and he must have the help of receivers and running backs to move the ball to the goal line.

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### Dayton designated an Air Force innovation 'digital hub'



Dayton is now an Air Force Innovation digital hub, a designation that Air Force and Dayton advocates say should open doors to greater cooperation between private-sector innovators and Air Force decision-makers.

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### AFOSR Webinar Recap - Blog



On June 19, 2020, the Air Force Office of Scientific Research (AFOSR) and its partnership intermediary the Basic Research Innovation and Collaboration Center (BRICC) hosted a live webinar that drew in around 1,000 registrants with over 500 of those registrants attending via Zoom.

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## About Us

The Academic Partnership Engagement Experiment cultivates innovation by expanding the American research enterprise in a way that moves defense technology from discovery to reality. APEX connects academic innovators with the Department of the Air Force and industry and eliminates barriers in accelerating the transition of science and technology solutions into transformational U.S. Air Force operational capabilities. APEX is a Partnership Intermediary Agreement between the Department of the Air Force and Parallax Advanced Research. The APEX mission supports the United States Air Force Science & Technology 2030 Strategy.

Check out this local success story by WFMJ Youngstown on the APEX program and its client EPI:

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