

Huntsville Simulation Conference Instructions for Attendees of Classified Presentations

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Welcome! The 2008 Huntsville Simulation Conference (HSC) includes an opportunity for HSC attendees with the appropriate security clearances to attend a series of classified briefings on Tuesday, the 21st of October. These HSC Classified Sessions will occur at the Missile Defense Agency (MDA) Advanced Research Center (ARC). The ARC is located in the Research Park area of Huntsville at 6724 Odyssey Drive, less than four miles from the conference's Marriott hotel facility. (The unclassified HSC sessions will occur Wednesday through Thursday, 22 October to 23 October at the Marriott hotel.)

The ARC is a U.S. government contractor facility that is authorized to host classified briefings in support of the mission activities of MDA. COLSA Corporation of Huntsville, Alabama operates the ARC on behalf of MDA. The U.S. Government's Program Manager for the ARC is Mr. Marshall McBride. Mr. Paul Agarwal of COLSA Corporation serves as the contractor POC for the HSC Classified Sessions.

To attend the HSC Classified Sessions at the ARC, all parties attending the conference must submit a visit request one of three ways:

1. Through the Joint Personnel Adjudication System (JPAS) noting "HSC-Paul Agarwal" as the POC for the 21 October conference date, or
2. By sending your name, organization/affiliation and social security number (SSN) to the ARC HSC POC, Mr. Paul Agarwal, at his email address paul.agarwal@arc.army.mil. [Your SSN is required to verify your Personal Clearance Level (PCL) through JPAS.], or
3. If JPAS is not available to you and a Visit Authorization Letter (VAL) will be used instead, please submit a standard, properly documented VAL to the Advanced Research Center, c/o COLSA Corporation containing all of the following information:
 - (1.) Agency/Service's name or contractor's organization name, address, and telephone number, assigned Commercial And Government Entity (CAGE) code, if applicable, and certification of the level of the facility security clearance:
 - (2.) Full name, birth date, place of birth, and citizenship of attendee
 - (3.) Certification of the PCL to the U.S. SECRET or INTERIM SECRET level and the individual has been briefed for access to NOFORN (Not Releasable to Foreign Nationals) and/or Intelligence information
 - (4.) Purpose of the Visit (Attend classified briefing at Huntsville Simulation Conference Classified Sessions)
 - (5.) The ARC's HSC Point of Contact (Paul Agarwal – COLSA Corporation)
 - (6.) Date or period during which the VAL is to be valid (mm/dd/yy through mm/dd/yy)

Due to the large number of attendees expected at the HSC classified sessions, all attendees must have their Visit Authorization Letters, or JPAS information, received at the ARC by Tuesday, 14 October 2008. (One week prior to the HSC classified sessions.)

A conference Registration and Message Board area will be established in the lobby of the ARC for the convenience of the attendees. The ARC's guard desk telephone number of (256) 964-

5700 can be used to relay brief messages to Classified Session attendees via the Message Board during the event.

HSC classified session attendees are reminded that recording devices, cameras, and two-way electronic devices are NOT allowed in the ARC's HSC Classified Sessions. Please plan to leave all such devices in your vehicle.

Your Points of Contact list for the HSC Classified Sessions at the ARC:

ARC Visitor Control	(256) 964-1718 arcvisitorcontrol@colsa.com
ARC Visitor Control FAX	(256) 964-5736
ARC Security Manager – Ms. Beverly Thomas	(256) 964-1612 bthomas@colsa.com
ARC Information Systems Security Manager – Ms. Cathy Greenhaw	(256) 964-1714 cgreenha@colsa.com
ARC General Number / Emergency Contact	(256) 964-5700
HSC ARC Point of Contact (Government)	Mr. Marshall McBride, SMDC ARC Gov't Program Manager Tel. (256) 964-1649 marshall.mcbride@us.army.mil
HSC ARC Point of Contact (Contractor)	Mr. Paul Agarwal COLSA Corporation Tel. (256) 964-5864 paul.agarwal@arc.army.mil
To send Visit Notification through JPAS:	COLSA Corporation's Security Management Office (SMO) code for JPAS: 4U8256
ARC address for surface mailed VALs: COLSA Corporation ATTN: ARC Visitor Control 6724 Odyssey Drive Research Park West Huntsville, AL35806-3302	ARC website: http://www.arc.army.mil/

We are looking forward to hosting you at the sixth annual ARC Classified Sessions of the Huntsville Simulation Conference!

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