



# Combat Support Agency Working Group

**Worldwide Joint Training & Scheduling Conference**  
WJTSC 11-2

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# CSA WG Theme



## “Supporting the Warfighter”

CSA Joint Training WG Discussion Topics:

*Best Practices*



# CSA WG Agenda



- Welcome / Introductions
- Opening Remarks
- CSA “Best Practices” in Support of Joint Training
- *- Break -*
- JTSS WG Update
- Issue Deck Update
- Joint Training Roundtable
- CSA Principals Session



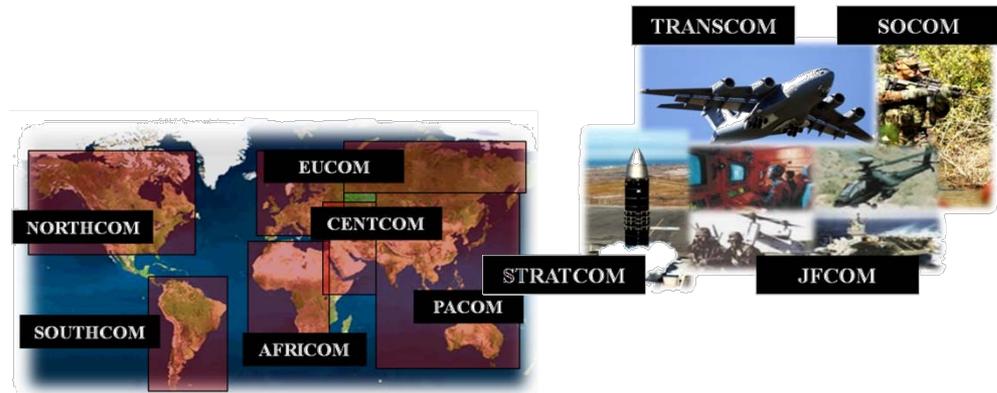
# Opening Remarks



## Combat Support Agencies



## Combatant Commands





# CSA “Best Practices”





**Break**



# JTSS Workshop Update



- Meetings in May & August in Rosslyn, VA
- JTSS workshop improving coordination and synchronization
  - Share best practices and lessons learned
  - Exchange/build products and processes
  - Work towards common, standardized JTS support activities
- JTSS activities:
  - JTS Familiarization Handbook and Briefing
  - Improvement Recommendation template
  - CSA WG Operating Principles
  - Issue Deck
  - Quick Reads
  - Year in Review (2008, 2009, 2010, 2011)
  - Future JTSS Workshop Activities:
    - Training Objectives
    - Linking to combatant command exercises
    - TPOs/TPEs/TPAs



# CSA WG: CSA Orientation Course



**Briefer: Dave Cook, NGA**

**As of: 28 Sep 2011**

**CSA WG Issue 10-002:** Develop an orientation (“101”) course describing CSA capabilities to support joint users.

**Discussion:** During WJTSC 10-1, BG Hix, Joint Staff J-7, recommended CSAs develop a course to help the joint community understand what each CSA does to support COCOMs /joint users in the execution of their missions.

- Building course content from unclassified CSA Briefings/Materials
  - Focus on CSA roles/responsibilities, direct support to COCOMs/Joint Operations
- Draft course to be built in PowerPoint pending conversion by JKDDC
- Leveraging JTSS support for course build; awaiting JKDDC cost estimates on conversion



**Endstate:** Warfighters and joint users familiar with the support provided by CSAs. One or more JKDDC courses illustrating each CSA and its capability to support the entire spectrum of joint users.

**POA&M:** Conduct virtual meetings to fine-tune course content (need CSA content). Work with JKDDC to convert to format compatible with fielding on JKO. Develop a marketing plan for the course.

**OPR:** NGA **OCRs:** All CSAs, JKDDC



Mar 10

May 10

Jun 10

Sep 10

Sep 10

Oct 10

Oct –  
Dec 10

Mar 11

Sep 28

JS J7 recommends CSAs develop a 101 Course

CSA WG assigns development of course

JKDDC agrees to support CSA course development

Solicit candidate CSA presentations & materials

Status update to WJTSC

Produce 1<sup>st</sup> draft of course

Revise Course

CSA Course Brief to WG

Update to WG



# Scope & Content



As of: 23 Mar 2011

Answers will confirm scope & content of CSA 101 Course

- Why create this Course?
  - Educate joint personnel about the CSAs? Improve the effectiveness & efficiency of CSA/joint user interfaces?
- What is the objective of the Course?
  - Familiarization with CSA mission/responsibilities? Describe procedures for interacting with CSA?
- Who is the audience?
  - COCOMs/Services? Functional counterparts? Joint Trainers? Newly assigned staff?
- What is appropriate content (given the intended audience/purpose)?
  - Classification? Level of detail?
  - Examples: What is a CSA; CSA background/history; CSA roles and responsibilities (emphasis on COCOM support with examples)
- Who is responsible for updating?
  - Suggest one CSA POC to facilitate gathering/updating info to JKDDC
- Does this Course replicate another Course?
  - No indications at this point



# CSA WG: Leverage AMET Commonalities



As of: 23 Mar 2011

**Briefer: Fred Ruonavar, DISA**

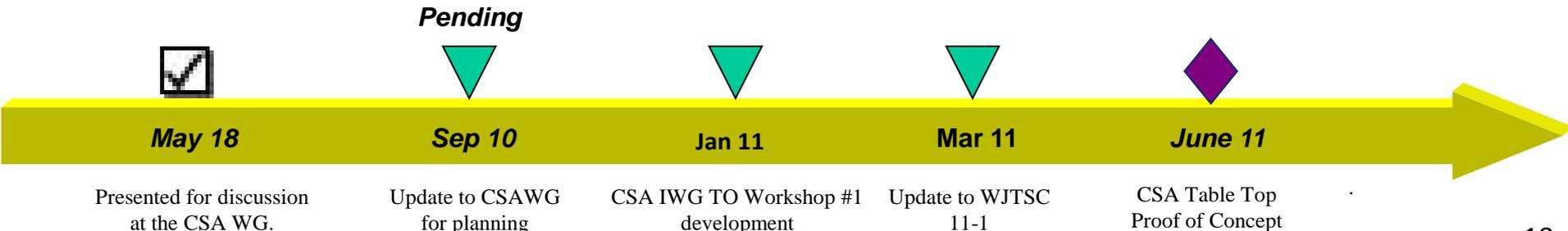
**Issue 10-005:** Greater participant among CSAs to capture and share our successes

**Discussion:** All CSAs are required to participate in the Chairman’s joint training and readiness programs, which are built off of the Agency’s Mission Essential Tasks (AMETs). The CSAs, as they develop their AMETs, could and should leverage greater collaboration among the other CSAs to potentially identify commonalities and capitalize on each other successes. There are other joint training and readiness issues facing the CSAs.

**Endstate:** To identify TO interrelationships / interdependencies that all the CSAs can leverage in their participation in the Chairman’s Joint Training and Readiness programs. An example of this would be to develop some common core CSA training objectives that we could use during our participation in any exercise

- POA&M:**
- 1.) Schedule CSA WG time to explore building interrelated /interdependent Training Objectives off of the CSAs’ AMETs describing relationships (i.e. supporting to supported) across tasks. This library would capture and allow for training against the aggregate capability across the CSAs.
  - 2.) Based on individual CSA Training Objectives Library
  - 3.) Incorporate TO time into CSA WG meetings to discuss and create training objectives
  - 4.) Plan for a CSA table top exercise at CSA WG meeting as a dry run to demonstrate concept

**OPR:** DISA; **OCRs:** DTRA & DIA & NSA





# CSA WG: Interagency Training



Briefer: Mr. Jan Harpole / DLA

As of: 27 Sep 2011

**Issue 10-011:** CSA SIPRNet collaborative web site

**Discussion:** Recommend CSA WG accept the DLA-hosted JLLIS site. Mr. Harpole demonstrated the prototype JLLIS CSA WG site at the 26 July WG session. Site is available for immediate activation and use.

**(Background:** Recommendation was to establish a CSA NIPR/SIPRNet collaborative web site to view documents, taskers, schedules, informational material, agency and JTS contacts, etc. Mr. Harpole conducted a brief demonstration of a CSA Joint Training WG Community of Practice rototype site on JLLIS. He offered to further develop the JLLIS site and brief this initiative at the next CSA Joint Training WG.)

**Endstate:** CSA SIPRNet collaborative web site

**POA&M:**

**OPRs:** Mr. Jan Harpole ; **OCRs:** Supporting Cast



Mar 23 2011

Jun 11

Jul-Aug 11

Aug 11

Sep 11

Concept Brief

POC Input

Site Build

Validation

Vote - IOC



# CSA Joint Training Roundtable

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## Closing Remarks



# CSA Principals Session