MISSILE DEFENSE DIVISION
• MISSION & PURPOSE
  • Industry view on government policies, practices, needs and problems pertaining to missile defense
  • Foster mutual understanding and effective working relationships between the Defense Department, the military departments and industry
  • Identifies and helps resolve missile defense issues and matters of common interest to both government and industry
  • Provides a means for dialogue on all missile defense matters relating to the planning, programming, acquisition, deployment and prospective legislation

• ORGANIZATION
  • The Missile Defense Industry Group (MDIG) provides a bi-weekly exchange of information between government representatives, NDIA corporate members, consultants and others
    • Assists in maintaining a high level of awareness in the planning, budgeting and execution of major U.S. missile defense programs
  • The division’s subcommittees organize ad hoc activities and respond to missile defense issues of national interest
  • The division’s executive committee conducts quarterly meetings at which senior missile defense leaders offer presentations on current topics
    • Jan. 2015 – RDML Jessie Wilson – JIAMDO Overview/Update
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• ANNUAL SYMPOSIUMS
  • MDA Small Business /Small Business Innovative Research Industry Day
    • Missile Defense Agency (MDA) provides briefings on their annual small business requirements prior to their Broad Area Announcement
  • Partners with SLAAD Division to conduct annual CLASSIFIED symposia at JHU/APL
    • The State of Integrated Air and Missile Defense (IAMD)

• Activities
  • Currently in discussions with MDA leadership to sponsor Periodic luncheons at which MDA two-letter staff principals provide timely perspectives on the missions of the Agency
  • Currently in discussions with MDA leadership to re-institute MDA Awards Dinner that celebrates the accomplishments of the Agency and Industry
    • Awards to those programs and individuals deserving of special recognition
    • Kadish Award for Excellence in Acquisition