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## Operational Training Infrastructure (OTI)

Augmented Intelligence to support  
OTI Ecosystem



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# *Must Transform* *We can't get there from here!*

- Some challenges/areas to consider:
  - **Aging workforce; GS civilian leaders need updated competencies for the future**
  - **Obsolescence; Different underlying hardware/software configurations**
  - **Baselines managed individually by platform**
  - **Attrition Workforce – subjective succession planning**
  - **Current fleet of simulators were never designed to work together**



<https://research.newamericaneconomy.org/report/sizing-up-the-gap-in-our-supply-of-stem-workers/>

“The United States has a persistent and dramatic shortage of STEM workers—a problem that worsened considerably during the first half of the decade.”



- **What can be accomplished with Augmented Intelligence?**
  - **Using Deep Learning Technologies**
- **Initial focus is on “smart automation” that demonstrates the “art of the possible”**
- **Data Architecture**
  - **AF Chief Data Officer symposium**
    - **Data Lake**
      - **Kylo**
    - **AF Chief Data Officer Data Service Strategy**
      - **Set-up data service**
      - **Set-up deep learning**



- **Initial Use Case : Augment Data Engineering Job function**
  - **Facilitate Loading the Data from Pilot Training Next Program (PTN)**
    - **Establish heuristics that facilitate automation**
    - **Smart Automation**
      - **Sense**
      - **Neural Networks (AI Agent)**
      - **Act**
- **Potential Use Cases**
  - **ETL (Extract-Transform-Load) that collect metadata**
  - **Smoke test to facilitate regression testing of simulation capabilities to ensure Composability and Interoperability**



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# ***Conclusion***

- **Use Augmented Intelligence to address STEM shortage in AF M&S**
- **Focus on Smart Automation Demo**
- **Utilize the AF Chief Data Officer data lake architecture**
- **Follow the AF Chief Data Officer Data Services Strategy**



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