



Channelized Wing Hybrid Electric VTOL UAS Assessment Event (AE)

24-25 June 2026

Event Outcomes

SOFWERX, in collaboration with USSOCOM SOF Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics (AT&L) Program Executive Office Tactical Information Systems (PEO-TIS), hosted an Assessment Event (AE) to evaluate the technical merit of Unmanned Aerial Systems (UAS) with channelized wings in concert with a Hybrid Electric powerplant, in combination with Vertical Takeoff and Landing (VTOL) runway independence.

- 19 Industry participants from 6 organizations presented their technology briefs to the Government team
- Out of 10 submissions, 6 capabilities were selected to brief
- A team of 3 USSOCOM and 1 National Labs subject matter experts participated in-person to listen to briefs and have one-on-one conversations with Industry
- USSOCOM will make their decision as to which organizations they will choose to move forward with in the coming weeks

