

Fifth Annual Girls in Aviation Day

20 September 2025

SOFWERX participated in the Fifth Annual Girls in Aviation Day hosted by the Women in Aviation, the Tampa Bay Chapter at Sheltair Tampa. The event welcomed over a thousand attendees and highlighted careers in aviation and aerospace through hands-on activities, demonstrations, and mentorship opportunities. Involvement in this event aligned with USSOCOM and SOFWERX missions to inspire innovation, promote STEM education, and expand awareness of diverse career pathways critical to national defense and future technology development.

Event Outcomes

- SOFWERX staff engaged with students and families through interactive STEM-focused activities, fostering critical thinking and sparking interest in aviation and technology.
- During the event, SOFWERX showcased opportunities within STEM and defense-related innovation, reinforcing USSOCOM's mission to prepare the next generation of problem-solvers and leaders.

