

## Office of Small Business Programs (OSBP) Networking Event

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SOFWERX, in collaboration with USSOCOM, Office of Small Business Programs, hosted the OSBP Networking Event to provide a networking opportunity for Small Businesses with capabilities that support National Security Interests and/or the USSOCOM mission to engage with Government Stakeholders, Prime Contractors, and Investors in the form of "Speed Dating."

## **Event Outcomes**

- SOFWERX hosted 183 Participants
- Of those in-person participants, 24 were Government Stakeholders, 8 were Innovation Hubs, 9 were investors, 27 were Prime Contractors and 115 were Small Business Representatives (Industry).
- Small Businesses were matched with Government Stakeholders, Investors, and Prime Contractors with similar interests, which resulted in 1103 "Speed Dating" meetings.

