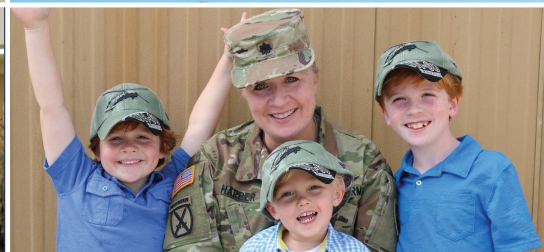


# 2023 NORTH CAROLINA DEFENSE SUMMIT

RALEIGH, NC | SEPTEMBER 26-27



The North Carolina Defense Summit 2023 (NCDS) builds our military, community, and defense industry through sharing state and national best practices. The Summit presents “best practices” in advancing North Carolina as the most military, Veteran, and defense industry friendly state in the nation.

## OBJECTIVES

Advocate for individual, community & installation resilience

Build installation and military host-community partnerships

Coordinate installation, defense sector, education, research

## SPONSORSHIP

Multiple Opportunities  
(See Registration Link)

## ADMISSION

General Attendee **\$150**

Active/Reserve Military **\$25**

**Complimentary Admission:**  
Awardees  
Military Spouses  
K-12 School Liaison Officers  
Speaker/Panelist/Presenters



## PANELS & PRESENTATIONS

- Training & Economic Opportunities
- Military/Defense Research Innovation
- Host-Community Partnerships
- Healthcare Public/Private Collaboration
- Military Childcare Best Practices
- Military K-12 Education Best Practices
- Military Installation Scorecard
- Small Business Opportunities w/ Gov't
- Sentinel Landscape/REPI Opportunities
- Veteran Education Opportunities
- North Carolina Defense Economy
- Military Spouse Employment
- Transitioning Veteran Hiring Event

## EVENT INFORMATION

**September 26, 2023**  
8:00am - 6:00pm

**September 27, 2023**  
8:00am - 12:00pm

**Hilton Raleigh North Hills**  
3415 Wake Forest Rd  
Raleigh, NC 27609

*Book by 5 Sep for \$123 room rate*



**TO REGISTER** Scan QR code or visit:  
<https://DefenseCommunities.org/regional/north-carolina/>