



SIA President's Report

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**U.S. Strategic Command and SIA Co-sponsor 13th Annual Workshop
Sponsor, Exhibitor and Industry Registration Now Open**

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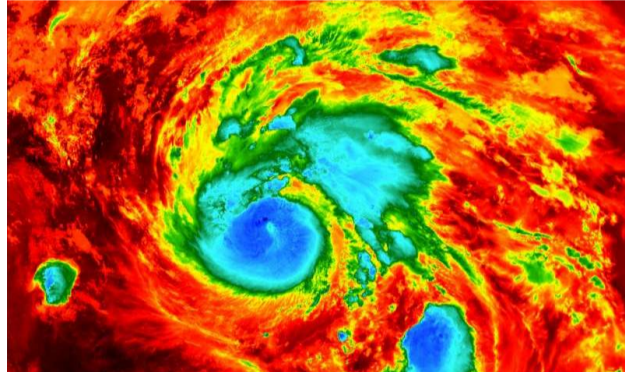
DoD Commercial SATCOM Workshop Organized by – SIA



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SIA Member News

DIGITALGLOBE RELEASES PRE/POST STORM OPEN DATA FOR HURRICANES HARVEY, IRMA AND MARIA



On Aug 31st, DigitalGlobe announced it was releasing pre/post hurricane Harvey imagery & and it would be making other data open as it became available. Throughout September, the Company also released open data for Hurricanes Irma and Maria to support hurricane relief efforts in the stricken areas. More details available [HERE](#) (Photo credit: @DigitalGlobe)

Other [SIA Member](#) [Hurricane News](#) and [Headlines](#):

- [SES Satellite Helps Restore Voice and Data Connectivity Emergency Services in the Caribbean](#)
- [UltiSat Responds to Increased Emergency Response and Recovery Demand During Hurricanes](#)
- [Boeing Announces Donation to Hurricane Harvey Relief Effort](#)
- [Northrop Grumman Announces Agreement to Acquire Orbital ATK](#)
- [Boeing to Design and Build MEO Satellites for SES](#)
- [EchoStar 105/SES-11 Shipped to Cape Canaveral for Oct Launch](#)
- [L3 Announces Agreement with SSL](#)
- [Globecom Releases Satellite and Air Traffic Control Case Study](#)
- [Telesat Inks 15-year HTS Agreement with Bell Canada](#)
- [SES Signs SES-17 Satellite Launch Contract](#)
- [UltiSat Announces NATO Framework Agreement](#)

For More Details - [Click HERE](#) to visit the [SIA Member News Page](#)

Membership News - AGI Joins SIA

Analytical Graphics, Inc. (AGI) has joined SIA as its latest member. AGI develops commercial modeling and analysis software for land, sea, air and space systems which is used by engineers, operators and analysts worldwide. AGI has a long term agreement with the Space Data Association to launch an upgraded Space Data Center to provide space traffic management (STM) service, powered by AGI's Commercial Space Operations Center. The Center delivers relevant, timely Space Situational Awareness (SSA), mission assurance and STM. For additional details, please click [HERE](#).

Membership News - HawkEye 360 Expands SIA Membership

SIA Member HawkEye 360 has expanded its membership to become the Association's latest Associate member. As an Associate Member, the Company has access to SIA's premium events such as the annual SIA Satellite Industry Leadership Dinner and is open to participate in the Association's industry policy and working groups. Earlier this year, SIA announced that the Company had joined as an Affiliate Member. HawkEye 360 is developing a new, space-based radio frequency (RF) mapping and analytics systems for commercial enterprises and governmental entities.

SIA News Headlines

INDUSTRY EARLY-BIRD REGISTRATION CLOSING OCTOBER 27TH FOR DOD COMMERCIAL SATCOM WORKSHOP

For a limited time only, early-bird registration is OPEN for this year's DoD Commercial SATCOM Workshop. Until Oct 27th, SIA Member attendees can save \$400 off the SIA member onsite registration cost by registering as an Early-Bird attendee. Industry Non-SIA members can save \$275 off the non-member onsite cost. Registration is now available [HERE](#).

The 13th annual workshop will take place on Dec 12th-14th at the Hyatt Regency Crystal City Hotel in Arlington, VA.

DISCOUNTED EXHIBITOR OPPORTUNITIES, HOTEL ROOMS AND SPONSORSHIPS ALSO AVAILABLE - A limited number of Discounted Hotel Rooms are now available. Reserve now [HERE](#)

For those interested in Exhibitor or Sponsorship opportunities at this highly attended SIA event, please contact SIA's Director of Events and Operations Jennifer Williams at jwilliams@sia.org or click [HERE](#)

FACEBOOK MEETS WITH SIA

On Sept 27th, Facebook Director of Global Connectivity Chris Weasler met with SIA and several member representatives at SIA's offices in Washington, DC. Photo on the SIA News Page [HERE](#)

SIA ENCOURAGED BY ADDITIONAL EX-IM BANK BOARD NOMINATIONS

Earlier this month, SIA announced it was encouraged by the nominations of three additional persons to the board of the Export Import Bank of the United States (Ex-Im Bank). The White House announced the nominations of Kimberly Reed to serve as First Vice President of the Bank. Judith Pryor and Claudia Slack were also nominated to the Bank's Board of Directors. The new nominees, if confirmed, would restore a quorum to the board and permit the Bank to provide credit support for projects exceeding \$10 million. "SIA is encouraged by these three additional board nominations to the Ex-Im Bank and the Association strongly urges the Senate to take the confirmation actions needed to restore the Bank's financing capabilities," said Tom Stroup, President of SIA. For more information, please click [HERE](#)

FCC INTERNATIONAL BUREAU CHIEF TOM SULLIVAN TO ADDRESS SIA MEMBERS REGARDING SMALL SATELLITES

On October 25th, SIA will host a Member Luncheon with special guest Tom Sullivan, Chief of the International Bureau of the Federal Communications Commission. The meeting will focus on small satellites and is open to SIA Member representatives.

SIA SPEAKING APPEARANCES AT SATELLITE INNOVATION SYMPOSIUM, AMERICAS SPECTRUM MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE AND NAB SHOW NEW YORK

- On Oct 2nd, SIA President Tom Stroup will moderate the "Government as Innovators: Incubators, Investors & Customers" panel at the [Satellite Innovation Symposium](#) at 4:45 p.m. PT - Computer History Museum in Mountain View, CA.
- On Oct 13th, Mr. Stroup will speak on "The Role of Satellite in Next-Generation Wireless Technologies" panel at the [Americas Spectrum Management Conference](#) taking place at 1:50 p.m. ET - The National Press Club in Washington, D.C.
- On Oct 18th, Mr. Stroup will moderate the SATCON: Smallsat Revolution panel at [NAB Show New York](#) at 12:35 p.m. ET - The Javits Convention Center in New York City, NY.

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Calendar of SIA Featured Events

- [SIA MODERATOR/MEMBER SPEAKERS/MEMBER DISCOUNT - Satellite Innovation Symposium: Mountain View, CA October 2nd-3rd](#)
- [SIA MEMBER DISCOUNT - Global Forum 2017: Shaping the Future, Fairmont Winnipeg Hotel, Winnipeg, Canada October 2nd-3rd](#)
- [SIA SPEAKER CONFERENCE - Americas Spectrum Management Conference, The National Press Club, Washington, D.C.](#)
- [SIA MODERATOR AND PARTNER CONFERENCE - NAB Show New York: New York, NY October 18th-19th](#)
- [SIA CONFERENCE AND EXHIBITION - DoD Commercial SATCOM Workshop, Hyatt Regency Crystal City, Arlington, VA December 12th-14th](#)
- [SIA PANEL MODERATOR - Smallsat Symposium: Mountain View, CA Feb 5th-7th in 2018](#)

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