### BES CIVILIAN EDUCATION EXCHANGE

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# Partnership with Industry

## **Background:**

The Business Enterprise Systems (BES), Civilian Education Exchange (CEE), initiative is a continuation of the organization's desire to remain at the forefront of technological evolution and advancement of its personnel to support the ever-changing environment that is information technology. The goal is to provide the opportunity for BES team members to interact in a hands-on environment with our technical partners and other leaders of industry to glean lessons learned and new methodologies to be incorporate into BES processes and procedures.

## **Expectations:**

The program will consist of a three-month partnership with industry involving both defense and non-defense companies. The program will follow an academic year calendar, broken down into three blocks: August – October, February – April, and May - July. Companies will provide a BES employee the opportunities to acquire knowledge and expertise with leaders of industry that cannot be obtained in the standard working environment: hands-on educational experience, management skills, and technical expertise as they study best practices.

The assigned company will provide a company coordinator and a manager (one or two individuals can fill these two roles, depending upon the company). The company coordinator works in an administrative role, acting as the intermediary between the Program Execution Group (PEG) and the company. The coordinator has responsibilities such as signing the BES CEE agreement, taking care of administrative duties and setting up a generic program roadmap. The manager closely tracks the work and progress of the student and ensures the desired learning objectives (DLO) and needs of the host company are met. This may be done in coordination with supervisors unique to each project.

If you are interested, please provide desired session(s) to the email addresses provided.

Entry Deadline: 15 March 2019

**Desired Session:** August – October, February – April, or May – July

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