



# **Call for Presentations**

# **DPEC 2024**

The Hyatt Regency St. Louis Arch St. Louis, Missouri June 4-6, 2024



The Military Power Sources Consortium is hosting the **Defense Power and Energy Conference (DPEC),** formerly known as the Joint Services Power Expo. The goal of DPEC is to connect military users and DoD system developers to businesses and academic institutions with state-of-the-art solutions to the energy and storage needs of today's military. Abstract deadline extended to April 5, 2024!

## **Making Critical Connections**

The DPEC offers a dynamic, interactive program (not just a symposium) that will enable attendees and presenters alike to forge critical connections and potential solutions to the issues and challenges relative to providing power and energy in a tactical environment. Read on to see how **YOU** can participate!

#### Three Tracks for Submissions

The DPEC program is organized into three tracks:

- **Ready-Now Solutions:** Power and energy solutions available today that require little or no modification for operation in a military environment.
- **Near-Term Solutions**: Technologies not available today, but that will be available within the next five years.
- **Domestic Production and Supply Chain:** What is being done, or can be, to overcome the issues and challenges related to the establishment of a domestic supply chain for energy storage technologies.

**Please note:** Presentations given in these tracks **ARE NOT** sales pitches about your company, but descriptions of how your product(s) can solve the challenges of providing energy in a military environment.

Topics of particular interest include but are not limited to:

- Rechargeable batteries all technologies and battery types
- Non-rechargeable batteries all technologies and battery types
- Fuel cells
- Solar and wind
- Generators
- Energy management and distribution systems
- Advanced manufacturing technologies
- Domestic production and supply chain

## Three Ways to Present

To increase interaction among all attendees, we are offering three options for presenters:

**Traditional Slide Presentation:** Fifteen minutes of slides/speaking followed by five minutes for questions from the audience,

**Panel Discussion:** Participate on a panel for discussion of a specific topic, either one of your choosing or one of the following:

- What is the next rechargeable technology for military applications?
- What can be done to overcome the challenges of establishing domestic production?
- Is there a place for alternative energy generation technologies in a tactical environment?
- What is the next disruptive energy generation technology?

**Show Us What You've Got.** Because we believe there's a place and a time for sales pitches, we are also offering a "Show Us What You've Got" opportunity. This will involve a limited number of short presentations in which you can make an outright sales pitch for your company and product.

Proposed presentations will be reviewed and selected by a group of subject matter experts.

#### April 5, 2024, is the extended deadline for abstracts!

Please use <u>this link</u> for proposals and ideas regarding DPEC 2024, using the template below for your proposal:

- Name and email address
- Government agency or company
- A title brief (150 words or less) description of your proposed presentation
- Select one of the presentation formats:
  - Standard presentation
  - Participation in a panel
  - Consideration for a "Show Us What You've Got" Slot

In addition, feel free to contact <a href="mailto:dpec@pcm411.com">dpec@pcm411.com</a> with inquiries.