



Defense Advanced Distributed Learning Advisory Committee

What's the DADLAC?

In 1997, in the earliest days of distributed learning, DoD established the Total Force Advanced Distributed Learning (ADL) Action Team to document and coordinate distributed learning initiatives throughout the defense community. Today, that original concept has evolved into the Defense ADL Advisory Committee (or DADLAC, pronounced “dad-lack”). The DADLAC acts as an advisory body to support distributed learning policy stewardship, resource and information exchange, and monitoring of emerging distributed learning technologies and techniques across the Defense community.

Mission

The DADLAC provides advice to the DoD distributed learning community with respect to the policies and procedures included in Defense Instruction 1322.26, and it helps the DoD distributed learning community adapt to evolving learning science and technical changes in distributed learning environments.



DADLAC members meet bi-annually. These meetings were held virtually 2020-2022 and resumed in-person in Fall 2022.

Activities and Governance

DoD Instruction 1322.26 (“Distributed Learning”) describes the DADLAC’s authorities and responsibilities, including:

- Promote distributed learning collaboration across DoD
- Foster information and resource sharing to maximize ROI
- Investigate emerging distributed learning capabilities for DoD utility
- Identify common deficiencies and recommend R&D priorities
- Recommend updates to DoD Instruction 1322.26, when applicable
- Advise the DoD distributed learning community on:
 - Implementing high-quality measurement and analysis
 - Safely and accurately recording learning experience data
 - Exchanging data among the DoD Components’ systems
 - Adoption of distributed learning standards and specifications
 - Specification conformance testing methods
 - Other interoperability considerations



For more information about DADLAC, visit ADLnet.gov/partners

DADLAC Participating Organizations



The Advanced Distributed Learning Initiative

DADLAC Chair

Office of the Secretary of Defense

Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense for Special Operations and Low-Intensity Conflict
Office of the Chief Information Officer
Office of the Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition & Sustainment
Office of the Under Secretary of Defense (Comptroller)
Office of the Under Secretary of Defense for Intelligence & Security
Office of the Under Secretary of Defense for Personnel and Readiness
Defense Human Resources Activity
Defense Activity for Non-Traditional Education Support (DANTES)
Defense Civilian Personnel Advisory Service (DCPAS)
Office of the Under Secretary of Defense for Research and Engineering - Human Systems Directorate
Washington Headquarters Services

Army

Army Training and Doctrine Command (TRADOC), Army University / The Army Distributed Learning Program
Army Aviation and Missile Command
Army Civilian Human Resources Agency
Army Combat Capabilities Development Command
Army Combined Arms Support Command
Army Command and General Staff College
Army Futures Command
Army Military Intelligence Corps
Army Research Institute
Army Research Laboratory
Army Reserve
Army Reserve Readiness Training Command
Army Tank-automotive and Armaments Command
Army Training Information System
Army Training Support Center
Army War College
Combined Arms Support Command (CASCOM)
DEVCOM Army Research Laboratory
Judge Advocate General's Legal Center and School

Navy

Office of the Deputy Under Secretary of the Navy
Office of the Deputy Chief of Naval Operations
Naval Education and Training Command
Naval Air Warfare Center (Aircraft Div.)
Naval Air Warfare Center (Training Systems Division)
Naval Community College
Naval Info. Warfare Center (Atlantic)
Naval Info. Warfare Center (Pacific)
Naval Info. Warfare Systems Command
Naval Community College
Naval Medical Forces Support Command
Naval Medical Research Center
Naval Medical Training Support Center
Naval Postgraduate School
Naval Supply Systems Command
Naval Sea System Command
Naval War College
Navy Judge Advocate General's Corps
Navy Medicine Education Training and Logistics Command
Office of the Naval Inspector General
Office of Naval Research
Submarine Learning Center
Surface Warfare Officers School Command
U.S. Naval Surface Warfare Center
U.S. Navy Systems Commands

Air Force

Air Education and Training Command
Air Force Agency for Modeling and Simulation
Air Force Life Cycle Management Center
Air Force Materiel Command
Air Force Research Laboratory
Air University
U.S. Space Force

Marine Corps

College of Distance Education and Training (CDET)
Training and Education Command (TECOM)
Marine Corps Combat Development Command
Marine Corps Education Command (EDCOM) – College of Distance Education and Training
Marine Corps Systems Command
Marine Corps - The Basic School (TBS)
Marine Corps University

DoD 4th Estate

Defense Acquisition University	Joint Forces Staff College
Defense Counterintelligence and Security Agency	Joint Staff J7, Joint Knowledge Online
Defense Equal Opportunity Management Institute	Missile Defense Agency
Defense Finance Accounting Service (DFAS)	National Defense University
Defense Health Agency	National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency
Defense Intelligence Agency	National Guard Bureau
Defense Information Systems Agency	National Security Agency
Defense Logistics Agency	National Reconnaissance Office
Defense Language Institute English Language Center	NORAD/NORTHCOM
Defense Language and National Security Education Office	North American Aerospace Defense Command
Defense Security Cooperation Agency	Office of People Analytics
Irregular Warfare Technical Support Directorate	Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences
J6 Command, Control, Communications, & Computers/Cyber	United States Special Operations Command

Government Agencies

Department of Education	Department of the Treasury	Pretrial Services Agency
Department of Energy	Department of Veterans Affairs	National Park Service
Department of Homeland Security	Federal Bureau of Investigation	Nuclear Regulatory Committee
Department of Housing and Urban Development	Federal Emergency Management Agency	Office of Personnel Management
Department of Justice	General Services Administration	U.S. Coast Guard
Department of Labor	Peace Corps	U.S. General Services Administration