







**NEW MEMBERS 2024**

	Name of Nominee	Photo	Abbreviated Biographical Information
1	Leo Gannon Federal Lobbyist – Dept of Defense Former Rhode Island State Senator Hernando, Fl		Federal Lobbyist; testifies before Senate and House Armed Services Committees re annual Defense Bill; former DC-based Legislative Director – International Building Trades organization with offices in Canada and Europe; Four term Rhode Island State Senator; University of Rhode Island B.A.; MPA Harvard University.
2	Colin Hanson Chartered Accountant (ret); Director, Cayman National Bank Tampa, Fl		Partner (ret) Deloitte and PWC in Cayman Islands and Canada; extensive international clientele; Director, Cayman National Bank; B.A. Mount Allison University, New Brunswick.

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3	<p>Marisa McClure  Consultant –  Prevention of  Violence in the  Military; Commander  (ret) United States  Navy  Lutz, Fl</p>		<p>Consultant, American Institutes for Research related to prevention of violence in the military; Retired Navy Commander with 24 year career - traveled extensively and participated in numerous international Naval exercises; Program Manager and Director, US Naval Academy; Liaison Officer to US CENTCOM, conducted multi-national exercises with Middle Eastern and Central Asian countries; B.A. University of Florida; Masters USMC Command and Staff College.</p>
4	<p>Frank McKenzie  Gen USMC (ret)  Commander US  CENTCOM  Executive Director  USF Global and  National Security  Institute (GNSI)  Tampa, Fl</p>		<p>Commander (ret) United States Central Command; Executive Director USF Global and National Security Institute (GNSI) ; one of the nation’s foremost authorities on the Middle East; Executive Director – Florida Center for Cybersecurity (Cyber Florida). B.A. The Citadel; M.A. Marine Corps Command and Staff College.</p>

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5	<p>Connie Meadows  Research Fellow,  International Justice  Mission  Tampa, Fl</p>		<p>Research Fellow, International Justice Mission, Washington, DC - related to law enforcement and judicial process in South Asia; International Account Manager, AT&amp;T (Tampa) - partnered with British Telecom generating international revenue; Junior League of Tampa; Chinese Outreach Ministry – assisting Chinese students and visiting scholars; Daughters of American Revolution, Committee Chair ; B.A. Tulane University; Institute for European Studies, Vienna, Austria.</p>
6	<p>Yasuharu (Haru) Okuda  CEO and Executive Director, USF Center for Advanced Medical Learning and Simulation (CAMLS)  Land O’ Lakes, Fl</p>		<p>CEO and Executive Director, USF Center for Advanced Medical Learning and Simulation (CAMLS); Professor, Department of Emergency Medicine – Morsani College of Medicine; presentations in India, Malaysia, Saudi Arabia, New Zealand, Mexico, Singapore, Italy, Canada; Presidential Citation and inaugural Fellow of the Global Society for Simulation in Healthcare; former national Medical Director, SimLEARN, for 150 US Dept of Veterans Affairs facilities; Board Member, Society for Simulation in Healthcare; Co-author numerous</p>

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			textbooks and publications; Distinguished Educator Award - Society for Academic Emergency Medicine's Simulation Academy; B.S. Brown University; M.D. New York Medical College; Residency and Fellowship at Mt. Sinai.
7	Kurt Sanger Attorney Former Deputy General Counsel, US Cyber Command Brandon, FL		Attorney, Buchanan; USMC Judge Advocate; Deputy General Counsel, US Cyber Command, coordinated with White House and Federal Agencies; deployed to Afghanistan and Bosnia; Nonresident Fellow, Center for Strategic and International Studies and Army Cyber Institute at West Point; B.A. Holy Cross; J.D. Cardozo; Master of International Law, Georgetown University.
8	Allison Quatrini Assoc Professor of Political Science and International Relations Eckerd College St. Petersburg, FL		Eckerd College, Associate Professor of Political Science and International Relations; Vice President, International Studies Association- South; Panel Chair, Association for the Study of Nationalities; Rice University Baker Institute for Public Policy, panelist "Religion, Reverence, and Tolerance"; University of Chicago

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			Department of East Asian Studies, panelist “The Human Rights Crisis in Xinjiang”; Languages: Mandarin, Uyghur, Spanish, Uzbek, Indonesian; B.S. Seton Hall; M.I.P.A. University of Wisconsin; Ph.D. George Washington University.