

**MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD**

**Defense Innovation Board (DIB) Information Session  
February 7, 2024 11:30am-12:30pm EDT  
Virtual Session**

**DIB Participants:** Adm. Mike Mullen

**DIB Staff:** Dr. Marina Theodotou (DFO), Zackariah Crahen, Dr. Juan Merizalde

**External Participants:** Members from SOCOM

**Purpose:** Information gathering session for the Incentives report

**Session Summary:**

On 7 February 2024, DIB members and staff had a virtual session with DIB Board member Adm. Mike Mullen, and SOCOM personnel and discussed platform centricity in the DoD, the ability of SOCOM to innovate at speed to fulfill their mission and the challenges scaling to the conventional force.

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