

## NCMA's 36th Annual Government Contract Management Symposium

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The Government Contract Management Symposium (GCMS) is held annually by the National Contract Management Association (NCMA) in the Washington, DC metro area. Formerly intended for those in federal sector, it has grown to provide training for professionals in both government and industry contracting.

This year's symposium consists of keynote addresses from cybersecurity and technology leaders, nontraditional panel discussions, 30 breakout sessions, and many networking opportunities with 1,000+ contract management professionals. New this year, we're offering a Defense-Focused Forum, a special Monday afternoon event for the defense acquisition community with an emphasis on defense-specific acquisition changes and challenges.

Sheppard Mullin Partner **John Chierichella** will be a panelist for the program, *The Defense Technology Challenge*, discussing the acquisition of new technology in today's rapidly changing and highly competitive technology environment.

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