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CIPC Organizational Activities

- Ray returned from five days of annual leave on 16 September.

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- [Redacted] will be reporting for duty on 20 October following a week of annual leave. As an enticement to stay [Redacted] a branch chief job; she declined.

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Intelligence Support to SDI - [Redacted]

- Rich has provided Carlos a strawman version of the SDI study. Carlos subsequently advised Rich that he expects to complete his administrative duties this week, become a charter member of OSWR's newly-formed Strategic Defense Center, and be able to spend full time on the CIPC study. They agreed that, in light of the ongoing Community coordination of the PPS study and [Redacted] inability to get to the drafting of key sections of the strawman, the earliest the working group could get together to hammer out a working draft would be 30 September. Rich has sent out a memorandum to the working group to that effect. Rich and Carlos plan to finish the drafting and coordination of the working group report by the end of October for consideration at a November CIPC meeting.

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Miscellaneous - [Redacted]

- On 8 September, Rich attended another session of the IR&DC working group on advanced technologies with potential intelligence applications in low intensity conflicts ("High Tech for LIC"). The group was provided an AF/IN presentation, "Intelligence Support to LIC." The Air Force briefing

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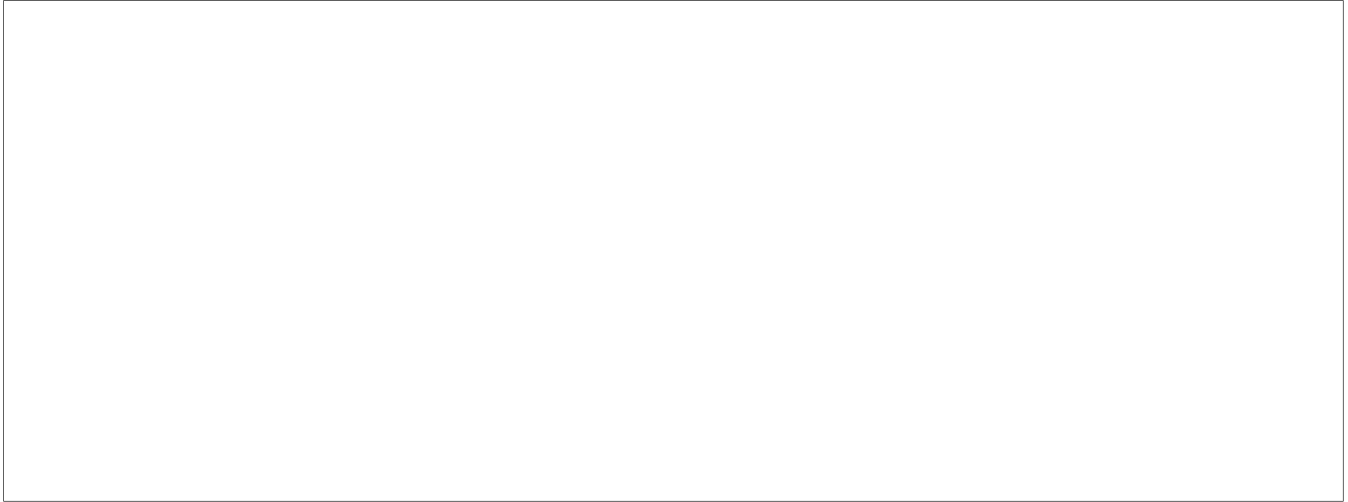
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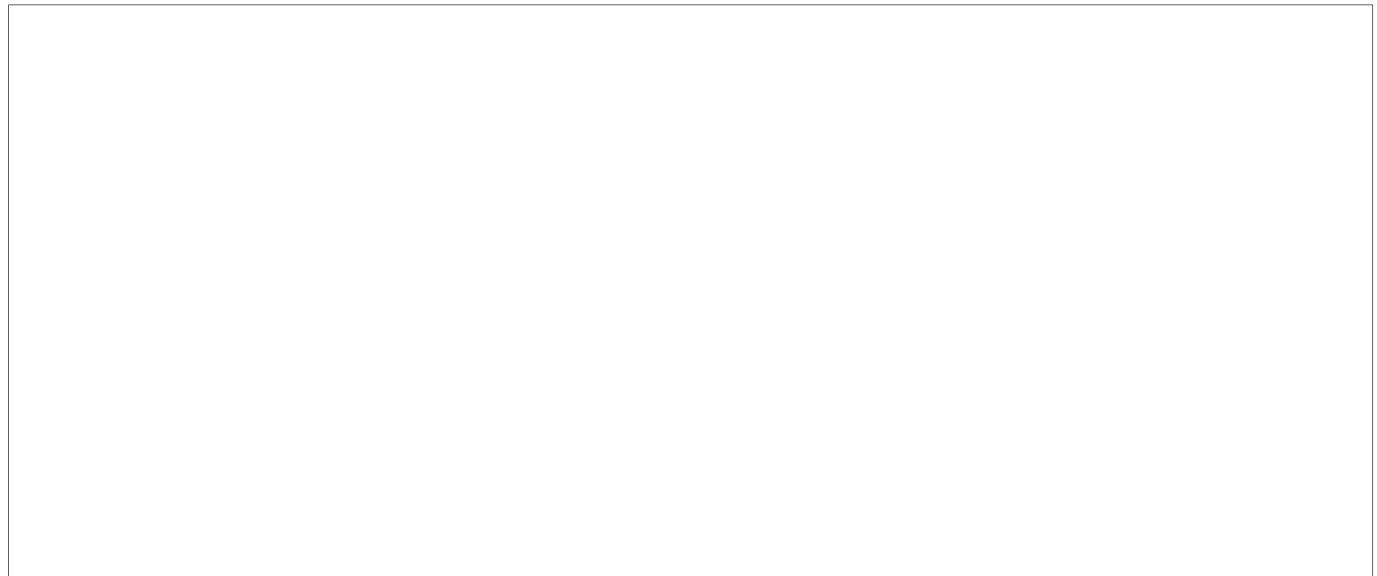


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Intelligence as a Force Multiplier - 

- A short paper identifying the key intelligence gaps in supporting U.S. forces in the central NATO front was completed for the chairman of the Force Multiplier working group.
- Current effort focuses on gaining a solid understanding of how the RAND war-game (IDAHEX) works, i.e., what variables it accommodates and how it does so. As has been noted, RAND is very interested in the question of the effect of intelligence as battle performance, and it is hoped this war-game might, with modification, provide a vehicle for analyzing this question.

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NFIP Support for Contingency Operations -

- The working group met on 12 September to review the draft study. Generally, it was agreed that it was workable and that progress was being made. A major stumbling block is DIA's insistence that the term "contingency operations" be changed. To accommodate DIA and a few others, some recasting will be needed and specific word changes have been requested by 19 September. Paul and Tony plan on turning the comments around quickly, and another meeting should be held prior to the end of the month.

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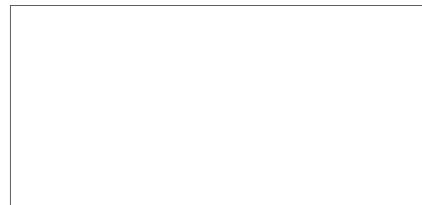
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