

**Course Title: Small Business Advice on “Doing Business with MSC”**

**Abstract:** How to identify and locate specific business opportunities with Military Sealift Command, and the Dept. of Navy, with candid advice and guidance on how to respond to Sources Sought Notices, Market Surveys and RFIs.

**Organization:** Military Sealift Command

**Website:** <http://www.msc.navy.mil/>

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**Bio:** Ms. Baker has over 10 years of specialized experience in Navy acquisitions. Her career includes experience as a Contract Specialists and Small Business Professional at two of the Dept. of Navy's ten major buying commands. She is considered a subject matter expert in the laws, regulations and policies regarding federal acquisition and small business participation in federal contracts.

**Credentials:** DAWIA Level III Contracting Certified; Member - Defense Acquisition Corps; Appointed - Associate Director of Office of Small Business Programs for Military Sealift Command; Member- Dept. of Navy Small Business Council.

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