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**Navy League Announces Largest Sea-Air-Space Exposition to Date**

*From drones to cybersecurity, live demos to extensive show floor,  
event highlights dominance of our sea services*

ARLINGTON, Va. — The Navy League of the United is gearing up for its 2018 Sea-Air-Space Exposition, which will feature top speakers from the Navy, Marines, Coast Guard and U.S.-flag Merchant Marine; educational sessions on the most pressing issues for the sea services; and its largest ever industry presence.

Taking place April 9-11 at the Gaylord National Resort and Convention Center in National Harbor, Maryland, the exposition will feature nearly 300 military, defense and technology exhibitors. Additionally, Sea-Air-Space will have its largest ever outdoor footprint of helicopters and other maritime vessels.

“We have an exceptional lineup planned for our Sea-Air-Space exposition. Every year, Navy League’s goal is to bring military leaders, companies and experts in the maritime field together to foster our community,” said Alan Kaplan, national president, Navy League. “This year’s event showcases the vital mission of our organization and the continuing progress our sea services have made in cutting-edge areas to remain a dominant force in the world.”

Keynote speakers will include Commandant of the U.S. Coast Guard Adm. Paul F. Zukunft, Vice Chief of Naval Operations Adm. William F. Moran and Undersecretary of the Navy Mr. Thomas Modly.

In addition, the show will feature panels on a wide variety of topics, including:

- Artificial intelligence.
- Cyber warfare.
- Innovations in gaming.
- Unmanned and autonomous systems.
- Shipbuilding and many more.

The Navy League is also debuting two exclusive nighttime events. On Tuesday, April 10, the organization will host its first-ever Maritime Gala, featuring entertainment from Irish Tenor John McDermott, who will sing the National Anthem; country music star Lee Greenwood; and the full U.S. Coast Guard Band. In addition, the Navy League is also holding a first-ever sea services spouse recognition reception to honor the spouses of our sea service members prior to the gala.

For more information on the event or to register as media, visit [www.seaairspace.org](http://www.seaairspace.org).

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