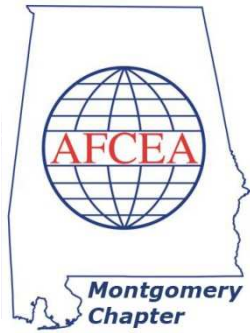




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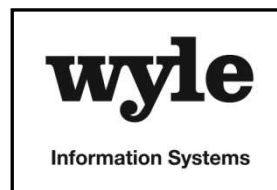
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# Partnerships

- **Partnered with:**
  - **Montgomery, Autauga, Elmore and Macon County Public and Private Schools**
  - **Local Government Organizations at Maxwell AFB and Gunter Annex**
  - **Local IT companies**
  - **Montgomery Area Chamber of Commerce**
- **Successfully hosted High Education Day for over 15 years**

***NORTHROP GRUMMAN***



**GENERAL DYNAMICS**  
Information Technology



# Planning Committee

- **Six man team comprised of AFCEA Members that are government and industry professionals in the local community—planning starts a year out!**
- **Distribute a flyer to all high schools in the area advertising the event and recommending their rising juniors and seniors that have focuses in science, information technology, engineering, and math, attend**
- **Solicit sponsorships from vendors to fund the tshirts, gift bags, goodies (vendor give-a- ways) and lunch (pizza, soda)**
- **Work closely with the AFITC planning committee to cover logistics (busses, students, escorts)**
- **Over 100 volunteers register to help lead the students during the day of the event**



# Vendor Exhibition Floor

- **Over 100 volunteers from the local AFCEA Chapter and Maxwell-Gunter Annex military organizations lead the students thru the vendor exhibition floor with over 200 IT companies present**
- **Over 800 local high school students attend from Montgomery, Autauga, Elmore and Macon Counties**





# Guest Speakers

- **Guest Speakers from the local community include:**
  - **Local colleges and universities on IT degrees and careers in IT**
  - **Military IT professionals**
  - **Air Force Career**
  - **Local Industry executives on the importance of science technology, engineering and math**
  - **Interactive gameshow for students with prizes given**





# Conclusion

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*QUESTIONS*