

AFCEA is committed to hosting a productive and highly-focused conference, and therefore will approve exhibitor applications only from those companies developing or offering technologies aligned with the focus of the conference that meet the following criteria:

Nearer-Term Technology Focus Areas

- Supply chain
- Data integrity
- Cybersecurity of IoT
- Quantum computing

Horizon Technology Focus Areas

- Biotechnology and the bioeconomy
- The future of telecom
- Artificial intelligence
- Semiconductors and microelectronics

Your **TechNet Emergence Exhibitor Application** and your company website will be reviewed by our team to evaluate your company's fit for the conference. Please indicate on the application whether your organization is a startup or established company.

AFCEA defines a startup as an early-stage company (bootstrapped or investor backed) that is developing and launching its first offering (product or service).

Please keep in mind these guidelines:

The company's area of expertise must be appropriate to the Emerging technology space.

Technology that is still in development is acceptable, and prototypes (if displayed) should be a product or service developed by the exhibitor; please no OEM, rebadged, or similar products.

Crowdfunding campaigns, pre-orders and alpha/beta stage offerings are allowed.

Exhibiting company asserts it has no known intellectual property conflicts.

Exhibited products or services should be innovative, and have the potential to make a significant impact on a potential customer's mission challenge.

AFCEA reserves the right to cancel exhibitors who do not adhere to listed criteria and/or the terms and conditions on the exhibitor contract.