

**DEFENSE ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON MILITARY  
PERSONNEL TESTING  
AGENDA**

**September 20-21, 2018  
Hyatt Place / Downtown  
Minneapolis, Minnesota**

**Meetings are in Meeting Place 2 – 4<sup>th</sup> floor unless otherwise noted**

**September 20, 2018**

0800-0830	Complimentary Buffet Breakfast in Dining Room (Prior to Meeting)	
0830-0900	Executive Session	Dr. Michael Rodriguez, Chair
0900-0915	Welcome and Opening Remarks	Chris Arendt OASD(M&RA)AP*
0915-0945	Accession Policy Update	Chris Arendt Deputy Director, AP
0945-1015	ASVAB Milestones and Project Matrix	Dr. Mary Pommerich, DPAC/OPA*
1015-1030	<i>Break</i>	
1030-1100	Next Generation ASVAB and ETP Update	Dr. Mary Pommerich DPAC/OPA*
1100-1130	Validity Framework Update	Dr. Art Thacker, HumRRO
1130-1215	Mental Counters	Dr. Ping Yin HumRRO
1215 -1315	Lunch	
1315-1345	CAT-ASVAB Form 10 Equating Study	Dr. Matt Trippe HumRRO
1345-1415	Development of New Cyber Test Items and Pools	Dr. Matt Trippe HumRRO
1415-1500	Sparse Data Dimensionality Assessment with application to the Cyber Test	Dr. Furong Gao HumRRO
1500-1515	<i>Break</i>	

**September 20, 2018 (cont'd)**

1515-1545	TAPAS Expert Panel Update	Dr. Tim McGonigle HumRRO
1545-1630	Adverse Impact	Dr. Greg Manley DPAC/OPA*
1630-1730	Executive Session	Dr. Michael Rodriguez Chair

**September 21, 2018**

0800-0830	Complimentary Buffet Breakfast in Dining Room (Prior to Meeting)	
0830-0900	Executive Session	Dr. Michael Rodriguez Chair
0900-0945	Device Evaluation	Dr. Tia Fechter, DPAC/OPA*
0945-1030	WK Automated Item Generation	Dr. Isaac Bejar ETS*
1030-1045	<i>Break</i>	
1045-1130	CEP* Update	Dr. Shannon Salyer DPAC/OPA*
1130-1145	Future Topics	Dr. Dan Segall DPAC/OPA*
1145-1200	Closing Comments	Dr. Michael Rodriguez, Chair
1200-1500	Committee Working Lunch	

**\* KEY:**

ASVAB = Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery

CEP = Career Exploration Program, provided free to high schools nation-wide to help students develop career exploration skills and used by recruiters identify potential applicants for enlistment

DPAC/OPA = Defense Personnel Assessment Center/Office of People Analytics

ETS = Educational Testing Service

HumRRO = Human Resources Research Organization

OASD(M&RA)/AP = Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense (Manpower & Reserve Affairs)/Accession Policy