



2023 SGAUS ANNUAL CONFERENCE

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NOVEMBER 1-4, 2023

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT



LTC (OH) Roger L. Patrick, Jr.
SGAUS President

Welcome to Ohio and the 2023 SGAUS Annual Conference

On behalf of the State Guard Association of the United States and the men and women of Ohio's State Defense Forces, I want to welcome you to the Dayton, Ohio area to attend the 2023 SGAUS Annual Conference.

The conference is our time to get together to train together, foster relationships with our brothers and sisters in uniform from state defense forces from all over the United States. Just by attending this conference, you are going to make long lasting relationships that will be of benefit long after the conference.

The conference schedule is packed with opportunities for learning whether it be to increase your knowledge in emergency management, or enhance your skills as a Chaplain, Judge Advocate, Engineer, etc. Additionally, SGAUS is hosting national Cyber and Communications exercises during the conference. The 2nd Annual Cyber Competition will see teams from both state defense forces around the nation as well as some of our federal counterparts displaying their skills to see if their team has what it takes to come out on top.

Make sure to attend the general membership meeting on Saturday morning to hear what SGAUS has been doing this year to make things better. I think you will find the information very interesting. You will also find ways that you can help make SGAUS better.

While the conference has plenty to offer, I also want to invite you to take time from your schedule to visit one of Ohio's gems – the National Museum of the United States Air Force. The Air Force Museum is open daily until 5 pm and admission is FREE. The Air Force Museum is also the site where this conference will come to an end. The SGAUS Annual Conference Formal Banquet being held on Saturday evening is a ticketed event and is closed to the public. The dinner will have keynote speaker(s), presentation of awards, and we will also see the installation of our next SGAUS President, COL (CA) Timothy Ingram.

I hope this week is everything you expect and more ! If there is anything that you need during your stay, come see me or get with one of the men and women of the Ohio Military Reserve, Ohio Navy or the Ohio Cyber Reserve that are here at this conference to get whatever information you need.

Friday November 3, 2023

MORNING SESSIONS

0800 – 1200	Judge Advocate General Training LTC (TX) Michael Parker Chair, SGAUS JAG Committee	Wright Ballroom
	Chaplain Training CPT (OH) J. Todd Smith SGAUS Chief of Chaplains COL Daniel Burris Chief of Chaplains Ohio Army National Guard	Patterson Ballroom
	Emergency Management G-191: Incident Command System/ Emergency Operations Center Interface LTC (OH) Gary Lehman Chief of Staff, Ohio SDF	Earhardt Ballroom
	State Commanders Meeting LTC (OH) Roger L. Patrick, Jr. SGAUS President COL (CA) Tim Ingram SGAUS President Elect	Lindbergh Ballroom
	MEMS Academy Meeting CSM (CA) Fred Tredy SGAUS MEMS Commandant	Amphitheater
1200-1300	LUNCH	
1300 – 1700	Judge Advocate General Training LTC (TX) Michael Parker Chair, SGAUS JAG Committee	Wright Ballroom

Emergency Management

Earhardt Ballroom

**G-191: Incident Command System/
Emergency Operations Center Interface**

LTC (OH) Gary Lehman
Chief of Staff, Ohio SDF

1300-1500

Cyber Brief

Amphitheater

LTC (NY) Barry Greene
SGAUS Vice President
Chair, SGAUS Cyber Committee

1500-1700

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END OF TRAINING DAY

Saturday November 4, 2023

0800 – 1500

Nationwide Commo Exercise

Earhardt Ballroom

National Cyber Exercise Competition

Wright/ Patterson

LTC (NY) Barry Greene
SGAUS Vice President
Chair, SGAUS Cyber Committee

0900-1200

General Membership Meeting

Amphitheater

LTC (OH) Roger L. Patrick, Jr
SGAUS President

1200 – 1300

LUNCH

Economy

1300-1500

Leadership Forum

Amphitheater

BG (OH) Larry Pinkerton
Commander
Ohio State Defense Forces

Enlisted Leadership Forum

Lindbergh Ballroom

CSM (OH) John Ball
SGAUS Command Sergeant Major

1500

END OF TRAINING DAY – Preparation for Military Ball

SGAUS Military Formal is being held in the Presidential Hangar of the United States Air Force Museum. Dress for the event is the Class A uniform authorized by your respective state authority or appropriate civilian business attire.

**Attendees may enter USAF Museum starting at 1800 hrs.
Plans for a Cash Bar social are being finalized.**

Dinner program starts at 1900 hrs. Event will conclude NLT 2200 hrs.