

A word from NTSA President:

Greetings and I hope you are well.

NTSA is working hard to keep you informed and respond timely to the Coronavirus situation. I want to encourage all of you to take seriously the CDC-recommended precautions but also to remain calm. We were able to execute I/ITSEC 2020 Abstract Review in Hilton Head last week and had a great mix of physical and virtual attendance. We reviewed over 300 abstracts and 35 special events for this year's I/ITSEC. The dedication and ingenuity of our community are incredible.

As we go through this crisis, we are going to take advantage of our strengths. We know how to do distributed learning. We know how to use modeling and simulation to provide analysis and recommendations to leadership. We even have many of our members contributing directly to the efforts to develop and field drug therapies and vaccines. We are working with Congress to craft legislation that will flatten the infection curve and provide direct support to individuals and our corporate membership.

Please let me know directly what you need. We are open to your suggestions on how we can find new ways to continue the mission. The warfighters and their families remain our focus.

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