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SUBJ/FY26 LOGTECH EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES// POC/MIKE MCCALL/OPNAV N4L5/CNO
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AMPN/REF A IS OPNAVINST 4951.2A, LOGISTICS AND TECHNOLOGY EDUCATION PROGRAM//

RMKS/1. This message announces education opportunities through the Center of Excellence in Logistics and Technology (LOGTECH) Institute for Defense and Business (IDB), hosted in Chapel Hill, North Carolina during fiscal year 2026 (FY26). LOGTECH enables and energizes participants to improve operations and accelerate adoption of future logistics capabilities throughout their organizations.

IDB offers courses in subparagraphs (a) and (b), available to Navy military and civilian personnel:

a. LOGTECH Executive Course. This course is designed for military Flag Officers and Senior Executive Service members to focus on strategic and organizational considerations from the senior executive perspective.

FY26 Executive Course schedule:

Class#	Start	Graduate	Quotas	Application Deadline
2026-01	15 Jun 2026	19 Jun 2026	1	01 May 2026

b. LOGTECH Advanced Course. This course is designed for O-4 to O-6, CWO-4 to CWO-5, and E-9 military members; and GS-13 to GS-15 civilian personnel. It explores leading-edge logistics technologies to prepare logisticians for the future.

FY25 Advanced Course schedule:

Class#	Start	Graduate	Quotas	Application Deadline
2026-01	07 Dec 2025	12 Dec 2025	1	24 Oct 2025
2026-02	22 Feb 2026	27 Feb 2026	1	02 Jan 2026
2026-03	17 May 2026	22 May 2026	1	27 Mar 2026
2026-04	07 Jun 2026	12 Jun 2026	1	15 Apr 2026
2026-05	26 Jul 2026	31 Jul 2026	1	12 Jun 2026
2026-06	09 Aug 2026	14 Aug 2026	TBD	01 Jul 2026
2026-07	13 Sep 2026	18 Sep 2026	TBD	01 Aug 2026
2026-08	20 Sep 2026	25 Sep 2026	TBD	08 Aug 2026

2. LOGTECH Package. To obtain LOGTECH Advanced or Executive Course quotas, applicants must submit a standard Navy biography and signed SF-182 to the Deputy Chief of Naval Operations, Installations and Logistics (DCNO N4) LOGTECH course managers. Advanced course applicants must also include a logistics problem statement for exploration during the course.

a. Problem statements must reflect the applicant's own analysis and insight. The use of artificial intelligence tools (e.g.

ChatGPT, Grammarly) is permitted to support idea generation, editing, or research, but any use must be clearly disclosed within the submission. A sample problem statement is found in reference (a).

b. FY25 DCNO N4 LOGTECH course managers are:

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(2) LCDR Mike McCall, OPNAV N4L5,
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(3) LOGTECH Group E-mail: NavyLOGTECH(AT)us.navy.mil

3. LOGTECH Selection Process. Selections are based on the following criteria: funding availability, candidate qualifications (specifically career field and paygrade), package completeness (biography, SF-182, and problem statement), and quality of problem statement. For additional information please review subparagraph (a) and (b):

a. Additional Information. Refer to the IDB LOGTECH website at <http://www.idb.org/programs/in-residence-learning/logtech-advancedadvanced-program-in-logistics-technology/>.

b. Resource. The SF-182 is available at:
https://www.opm.gov/forms/pdf_fill/sf182.pdf

4. Funding. Tuition, meals, and lodging are centrally funded in FY26. Commands are responsible for funding travel, full per diem on travel days, and incidental per diem on non-travel days.

a. Self-Funded Attendance. Services, Agencies, and Combatant Commands also have the option to self-fund seats for any of the above classes. Should a command decide to self-fund, they will work directly with IDB after coordinating with the DCNO N4 LOGTECH Course Managers. The program cost is \$9K per attendee and covers tuition, meals, and lodging.

b. Lapse in Appropriations. During a federal shutdown, centrally funded LOGTECH activities (including travel) may be rescheduled or cancelled.

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