



# **Future of Research**

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Resilient, diverse, and secure supply chains are going to help revitalize our domestic manufacturing capacity and create good-paying jobs...

It's about resilience, identifying possible points of vulnerabilities in our supply chains, and making sure we have the backup alternatives or workarounds in place.

-- Remarks by President Biden at 24 FEB 2021 Signing of an Executive Order on Supply Chains



## But we've been saying it for years...

- DoD Digital Engineering Strategy says digital transformation will address challenges associated with complexity, uncertainty, and rapid change in deploying and using systems
- McKinsey recommends using a holistic and systematic analysis in making decisions on how and where to best deploy and maintain technologies and capabilities
- MITRE says DoD needs better use of its existing resources to identify, protect, detect, respond to, and recover from network and supply chain threats

   we must protect systems as much as we try to deploy them.



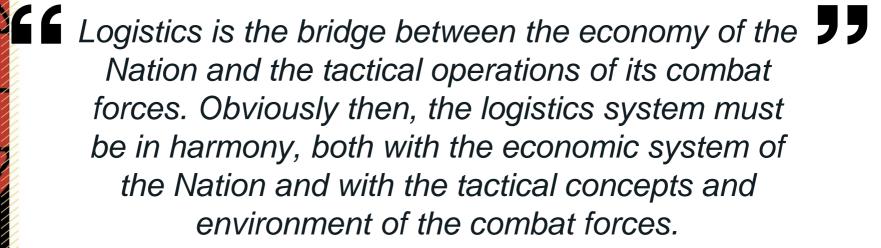






#### It's all about Integrated Logistics!

"You will not find it difficult to prove that battles, campaigns, and even wars have been won or lost primarily because of logistics." -- General Dwight D. Eisenhower

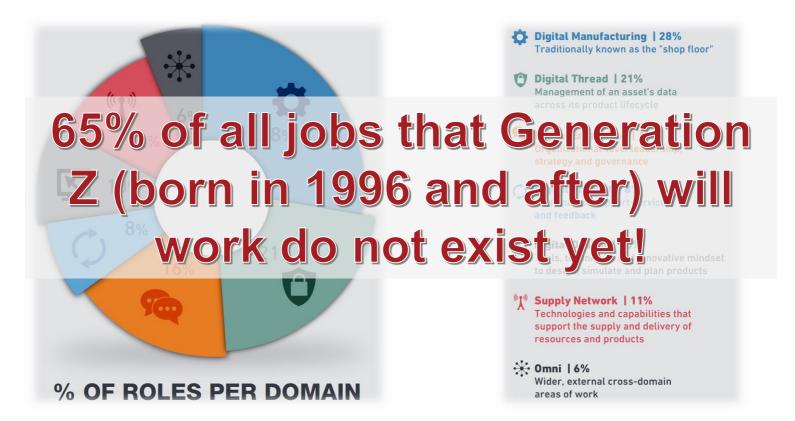


-- Rear Admiral Henry E. Eccles

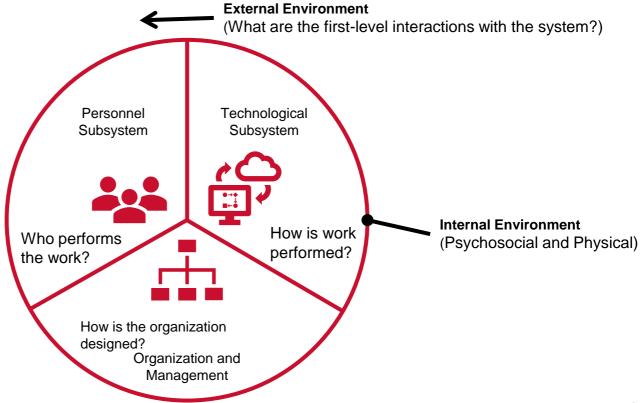
Supply Chains require uncompromisable systems, services, workforces, and workforce environments!



### Need to Educate / Train People Differently!



# STS Analysis and Design

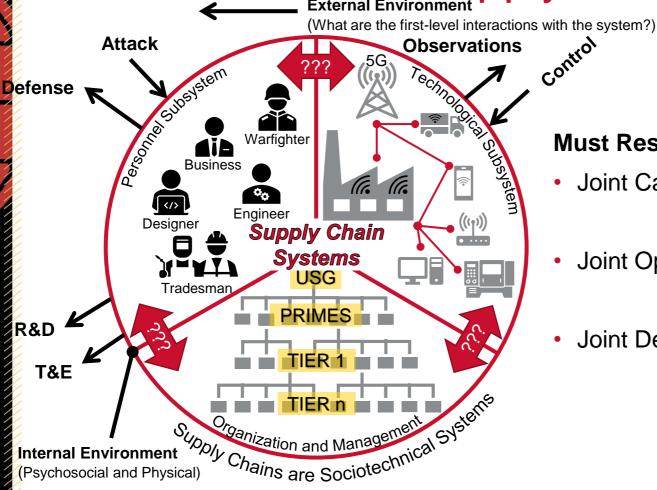




# Interdependence Abound!

- Theory of Joint Causation
  - Subsystems are affected by causal events in the external environment and change in one subsystem causes changes in the others
- Theory of Joint Optimization
  - Maximization of overall work effectiveness requires joint design of subsystems toward the development of the best possible fit
- Theory of Joint Design
  - Be proactive, instead of reactive. Must consider subsystems jointly during design while considering objectives and requirements of subsystems





#### **Must Respect the Theories:**

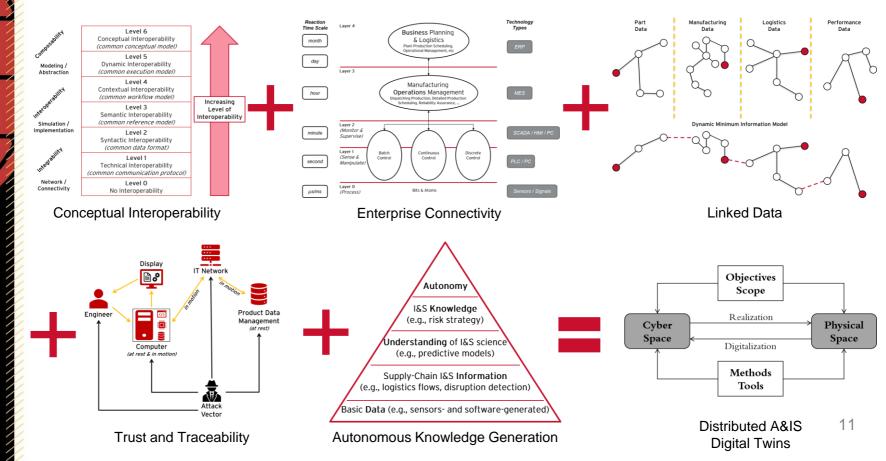
**Joint Causation** 

**Joint Optimization** 

Joint Design

(Psychosocial and Physical)

# Model-Based Intelligence and Security



## Last words...To maintain dominance,

the US needs open architectures and policies to support the "brownfield" realities of manufacturing and allow interconnectivity across decentralized supply chains.

This is about making sure the United States can meet every challenge we face in this new era — pandemics, but also in defense, cybersecurity, climate change, and so much more. And the best way to do that is by protecting and sharpening America's competitive edge by investing here at home.

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# Thank you! Questions?



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