

REDKE Federal Relations Action Committee (FRAC) presents

“Understanding the Army Research Office and Army Research Lab (ARL)”



With guest speaker

Dr. Michael Bakas

Regional Lead for Army Research Lab – South

ON

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 24, 2024

FROM

2:00PM – 4:00PM

AT

**UTSA Main Campus
John Peace Library
4th Floor, 4.04.12C**

Michael Bakas is the Army Research Laboratories South Regional lead and was previously program manager for the Army Research Office’s Synthesis and Processing program, which funds Army scientific research into structural materials processing. He obtained his Ph.D. in 2006 in Ceramic & Materials Science Engineering from Rutgers University by studying the influence of processing-related flaws on the ballistic performance of silicon carbide armor tiles. He continued studying armor materials and their processing at the Idaho National Laboratory, working with transparent ceramics, armor ceramics, and steels. As such, he has experience in both performing and supporting scientific research. ***This event is open to all. Limited Seating.***

Meeting Topics:

- Overview of Army Research Office and Army Research Lab South
- How & why to engage in ARO/ARL funded research
- Army research interests
- How UTSA can help the warfighter and contribute to national security

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