

BU Offsite Recaps FY10, Sets Focus for FY11

Science Applications International Corporation's (SAIC) Command, Control, Communications, Computers, and Information Technology (C4IT) Business Unit (BU) senior leaders, Leadership Program participants, and managers met in Charleston, S.C., January 21-22 for a BU offsite, where they discussed the current state of the BU and focused on the goals and plans for fiscal year (FY) 2011.

BU General Manager Debbie James stressed four themes for FY11 — people, customers, business performance, and growth.

In the People Category

Chief Engineering and Technology Officer Dwight Morgan discussed the BU's science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) initiatives — establishing a STEM Advisory Group, engaging with local STEM initiatives, and working with existing employee groups.

Information Systems Technology Division Manager (DM) Glenn Chave helped bring STEM to life for attendees when he introduced special guest 11-year-old Carter Falk, a student at the University School of the Lowcountry in Mount Pleasant, S.C. Chave met Falk at a school open house and was impressed with the exit poll project he conducted during the Town of Mount Pleasant's recent election. The details of Falk's project also impressed offsite participants.



Caption: Glenn Chave, right, introduced sixth grader Carter Falk as a real life example of how the STEM program can help young students.

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