

GACO APEX Accelerator Webinar: Navigating Facility Clearance and Foreign Ownership, Control or Influence Procedures

August 27, 2026
10:00 – 11:30 a.m.

Facility Clearance and Foreign Ownership, Control, or Influence (FOCI) processes for cleared U.S. entities are intended to mitigate risks by ensuring that foreign firms cannot undermine U.S. security by accessing classified information through business affiliations.

In this webinar, Dr. Ruby Crenshaw-Lawrence, Chief, Office of Small Business Programs and Industry Engagements (OSBPIE) will guide you through the complexities and regulations critical for businesses seeking to obtain or maintain Facility Clearance and FOCI requirements with the federal government.

Attendees of this webinar will receive in-depth training on Facility Clearance and FOCI while examining the potential risks and challenges foreign interests can impose on businesses and the U.S. security process.

Register by August 26, 2026, at <https://cupgaco.ecenterdirect.com/events/1004>.

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