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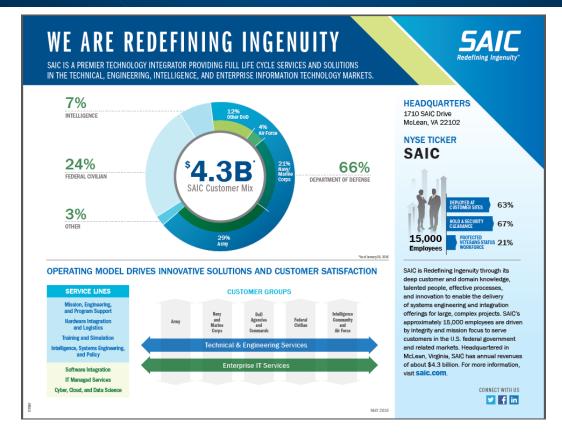
#### **How To Write and Present An Effective Capability Statement**

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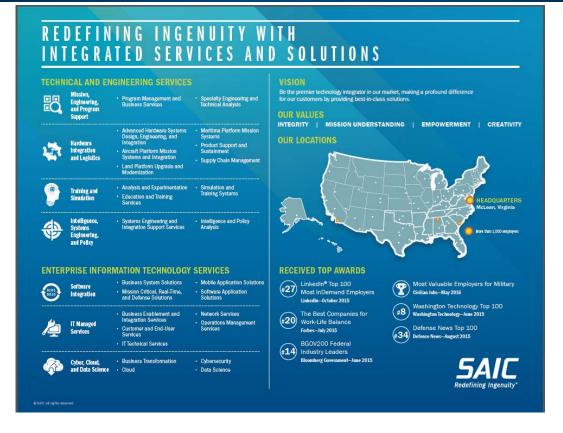
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### How To Write and Present An Effective Capability Redefining Statement Ingenuity

- I have just presented SAIC's Capability Statement
- Concise and directed
- Visually appealing
  - Uniform presentation style, no loud colors
- Easy to read
  - Short sentences/statements
  - Bullet points
- Use of graphics that convey what you are presenting



## How To Write and Present An Effective Capability Redefining Statement - Introduction Ingenuity™

- Why you need and should have a Capability Statement
- Capability Statement Content
- Capability Statement Format
- Capability Statement Present



#### How To Write and Present An Effective Capability Redefining Statement Ingenuity

- Whether you have 1 minute or 15 minutes your capability statement must:
  - Grab your audience's ATTENTION!
  - Easy to read and understand
- Tailored to your audience
- Visually appealing
  - Uniform presentation style, fonts, graphics, colors
- Cover 4 information points
  - Company/University Introduction
  - Provide Point of Contact Information
  - Discuss your differentiators
  - Discuss your past Performance



## How To Write and Present An Effective Capability Redefining Statement - Content Ingenuity™

- Company/University Introduction
  - One very brief company description detailing pertinent data
  - List other pertinent information
    - DUNS
    - Small Business socio-economics
    - NAICS and Cage Code
    - GSA Schedules and numbers
    - Other federal contract, BPA, IDIQ vehicles and numbers
    - State contract numbers
- Contact Information Logo and contact information, with a specific person's name, phone and email
- Website



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- Core Competencies <u>Short</u> introduction statement describing and relating the company's core competencies to the agency, large prime or opportunity specific needs followed by key-word heavy bullet points
  - Separate document for each agency, prime or teaming opportunity
  - Mission or opportunity specific
  - No long paragraphs
  - Graphics are not necessary but they should be informational and relative
- Past Performance
  - List past customers for whom you have done similar work
  - Prioritize by related agency, federal government or commercial opportunity.
  - If the past projects do not relate to the targeted agency's needs, do not list it.



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- Differentiators Why your company/university?
  - What makes your university/company stand out from your competitors?
  - How does this benefit the targeted agency, prime or opportunity?
  - Do they relate to their specific needs?



## How To Write and Present An Effective Capability Redefining Statement - Format Ingenuity™

- Most prefer 1 Page 1 Side
  - I prefer 1 Page 2 sides Why not use the back side?
  - Company Information, Capabilities, Discriminators on front side
  - Past Performance on back side
  - More room allows for easier reading and more relative information
- Hard Copy
  - Good quality paper
  - Pleasing layout and style
  - Consistent font style
- Soft or Electronic Copy
  - PDF



## How To Write and Present An Effective Capability Redefining Statement - Presentation Ingenuity™

- DO YOUR HOMEWORK!!!
  - Ask who will be at the meeting and what is their role
    - Google if you do not know them
  - Practice delivering the capability statement
  - Know the information, do not read the statement line by line but reference sections or topics
  - Have a conversation with the audience
  - Have backup information or facts available
- Presenter should be able to communicate and articulate clearly
  - Chose the appropriate presenter for the meeting
- Arrive early
- Relax and enjoy the meeting!



## How To Write and Present An Effective Capability Redefining Statement – Thank You! Ingenuity™

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