



**Benefits of Attending**

- Learn the most up to date requirements for multi-modality and mobility in biometrics tools
- Explore the latest technology for reducing error margins across multiple modes of identity recognition
- Discover techniques for securing biometrics tools from spoofing
- Hear the latest defense requirements for biometrics

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## Tapping Into The FY17 Budget

The FY 2017 Budget funds critical Border Patrol and Office of Field Operations staffing, equipment, and technology investments that enhance the capabilities of front-line officers and agents. The Budget includes funding requests for the following key investments:



**\$40.6 billion**  
In net discretionary funding



**\$5.1 billion**

For the Transportation Security Administration (TSA)

**Includes:**

- Transportation screening operations to ensure the freedom and movement of people and commerce.
- Expansion of the TSA Pre Check program.



**\$292 million**

For U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP)

**Includes:**

- Support for the National Targeting Centers (NTC) for passengers and cargo
- Effectively screen, review, identify, and prioritize travelers, cargo, and agriculture across all international modes of transportation, inbound and outbound.
- The newly established Counter Network Program will expand CBP's strategic partnerships with domestic, international, and non-governmental organizations.



**\$197.5 million**

To sustain inspection and enforcement efforts abroad

**Includes:**

- Which include the Immigration Advisory Program.
- This investment also funds Preclearance operations.



**\$3.1 million**

Increase in FY 2017 for the Data Analytics initiative

**Includes:**

- Producing accurate, timely, and high assurance biometric data an analysis for DHS and its mission partners
- Office of Biometric Identity Management transferred to the CBP which will add responsibility for providing enterprise-level biometric identify services to DHS



**\$52.8 million**

To provide CBP with resources for the second increment of the HART (Homeland Advanced Recognition Technology) known as the OBIM Replacement Biometric System

**CBP now operations 1036  
Automated Passport Control  
kiosks in 35 locations to  
streamline the traveler inspection  
process.**

## Related Speaking Sessions



**Speaking Session: January 25th**

Department of Homeland Security, Identity Services of Tomorrow

**Steve Yonkers**

Director for Screening and Vetting Strategy and Investments  
U.S. Department of Homeland Security



**Speaking Session: January 25th**

Reengineering and Planning of the Entry/Exit Program

**Kimberly Mills**

Director, Entry/Exit Transformation Office  
Department of Homeland Security



**Speaking Session: January 24th**

The Future Use of Biometric Technology: Strategy, Standards and Requirements for Implementing and Designing Biometric Technology

**Paul Hunter**

Chief of Biometric Strategy, U.S. Citizenship & Immigration Services  
Department of Homeland Security



**Speaking Session: January 25th**

Immigration Verification, The Different Procedures to Incorporate When Working with Immigration

**Lee Bowes**

Chief of Biometrics Division, Immigration Records & Identity Services (IRIS) Directorate  
U.S. Citizenship & Immigration Services  
Department of Homeland Security

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