

IJIS INSTITUTE  
**National Symposium**



**October 31-November 2, 2023**

Tysons Corner, Virginia

*Bridging the Gap between  
Technology & Policy through  
Public & Private-sector Collaboration*





# Welcome to the IJIS Institute National Symposium!

The **2023 National Symposium**, the IJIS Institute's premier conference and educational event, bridges the gap between technology and policy through public- and private-sector collaboration. Through the education and networking opportunities at the National Symposium, public-sector mission challenges will intersect with industry innovation and policy and process best practices to help drive public-sector technology, empower information sharing, and result in safer and healthier communities.

This event focuses on innovative technology, information sharing and safeguarding, and national priority initiatives in which the IJIS Institute is involved. The National Symposium brings together industry, government and associated nonprofit organizations and academia face challenges in a collaborative setting. It offers the unique opportunity to hear first-hand from industry experts, state and local government officials, and Federal government leaders.



## About the IJIS Institute

The IJIS Institute is a nonprofit alliance working to promote and enable technology in the public sector and expand the use of information to maximize safety, efficiency, and productivity. The IJIS Institute has members and associates working within and across several major public-sector domains as our areas of focus including:



- Criminal Justice (Law Enforcement, Corrections, Courts)
- Public Safety (Fire, EMS, Emergency Management)
- Homeland Security
- Health and Human Services
- Transportation

The IJIS Institute brings together the public and private sectors in a collaborative process, within and across our areas of focus. The IJIS Institute provides a trusted forum where resources are developed, collaboration is encouraged, and public-sector stakeholders can realize the benefits of technology and the power of information to keep our communities safe, healthy, and thriving.

Founded in 2001 as a 501(c)(3) nonprofit corporation, the Institute is headquartered in Ashburn, Virginia. For more information, visit <http://www.ijis.org>.

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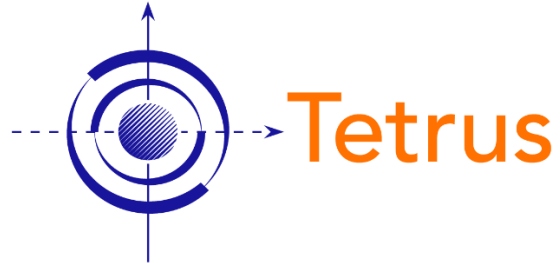
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# IJIS NATIONAL SYMPOSIUM AGENDA

## TUESDAY, OCTOBER 31

12:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	<b>Registration and Help Desk</b>	Pre-Function
12:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	<b>IJIS Institute Advisory Committee Meetings (Observers Welcome)</b>	
12:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	~ Corrections Advisory Committee (4 <sup>th</sup> Floor)	Chain Bridge
	~ Technology and Architecture Committee	Regency A
	~ Justice and Public Safety Advanced Analytics Committee	Regency B
	~ Law Enforcement Advisory Committee	Regency C
2:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.	<b>Networking Break</b>	
3:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	~ Emergency Communications and Response Advisory Committee	Regency A
	~ CJIS Advisory Committee	Regency B
	~ Courts Advisory Committee	Regency C

## WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 1

7:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.	<b>Registration and Help Desk</b>	Pre-Function
8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.	<b>Speaker Ready Room</b>	Vienna
7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.	<b>Networking Breakfast</b>	Regency BC
8:30 a.m. – 8:45 a.m.	<b>Welcome and Opening Session</b>	Regency BC
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <b>Maria Cardiellos</b>, Executive Director, IJIS Institute</li> <li>○ <b>Presentation of Colors</b></li> <li>○ <b>Pledge of Allegiance</b></li> <li>○ <b>Opening Comments—Rick Zak</b>, Chair, Board of Directors, IJIS Institute and Director of Data Governance &amp; Policy, Microsoft</li> </ul>	
8:45 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.	<b>Host City Welcome - Agency Priorities and Programs</b>	Regency BC
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <b>Kevin Davis</b>, Chief of Police, Fairfax County</li> </ul>	

In this opening session, attendees will have the opportunity to understand the priorities, challenges, and potential solutions to issues that face the Fairfax County Police Department. In the midst of the National Capitol Region, the Fairfax County Police Department has had a long history of leading the region and even the nation in innovative solutions to challenging obstacles. Participants will not only learn valuable lessons and insights but have the opportunity to ask questions of the agency's leadership.

9:15 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	<b>Opening Keynote</b>	Regency BC
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <b>Rear Admiral (ret.) David Simpson</b>, Chief, Federal Communications Commission's Public Safety and Homeland Security Bureau</li> </ul>	

The IJIS Community is comprised of practitioners, policy-makers, and technologists from the federal, state, and local levels across multiple domains. The complexity of the challenges within each domain is only superseded by the policy, operational, and technical data-sharing challenges across our silos in response to coordinated responses. As such, attendees will have the opportunity to learn from Retired Admiral Simpson who will speak to more significant world challenges that cross safety, justice, health domains, and more amid a changing culture, world challenges, and a paradigm shift our communities are currently experiencing.

10:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	<b>Networking Break</b>	Pre-Function
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10:15 a.m. – 11:10 a.m. **Plenary Session #1 – Operational Data Sharing Challenges – Setting the Table** Regency BC

- **Dr. Jason Piccolo**, Fmr. Special Agent and Supervisor, Department of Homeland Security

As the overall IJIS Community does its best to address the policy, operational, and technical challenges of the public sector, it does so to serve the broader community collectively or as part of a greater whole. Setting the Table will remind attendees of representative operational challenges that are the essence of why we serve this valuable profession. At the root of data sharing, tools, and interoperability are the operational needs of our practitioners and/or responders before, during and after significant events. Real experiences will be shared with attendees, focusing on pre-planning, event crisis response, and lessons learned.

11:10 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. **Plenary Session #2 – Perspectives from the State CIOs: Priorities, Initiatives and Trends** Regency BC

- **Doug Robinson**, Executive Director, NASCIO

This engaging presentation will feature invaluable insights into the strategic priorities of state and local agencies within the justice and public safety sectors. Mr. Robinson will delve into the pivotal role of information sharing and access to quality data in addressing the unique challenges faced by these communities. Attendees will gain a deeper understanding of how CIOs are shaping the future of public safety through technology, data, and collaboration, paving the way for safer and more efficient communities. Moreover, the challenges CIOs face in designing, developing and supporting an enterprise solution beyond individual agencies will be shared and discussed with participants.

12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. **Networking Lunch** Regency BC

1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. **Plenary Session #3 - Ensuring an Efficient Solution, a Standardized Approach – The Value of NIEM and Other Standards** Regency BC

- **Katherine Escobar**, Managing Director, NIEM
- **Jim Cabral**, Vice President of Court Relations, InfoTrack
- **Jim Pingel**, Vice President and Director, Data and Software Integration Solutions, Mission Critical Partners
- **Tammi Blackstone**, CJIS Program Coordinator, Iowa
- **Troy Thurman**, Information Sharing Coordinator, Missouri Department of Public Safety,

The National Information Exchange Model (NIEM) was conceptualized in 2004 as a technical model to standardize information exchanges and represented a community of practitioners collaborating to build and maintain a model based on real-world needs to share information. In this session, attendees will gain insights into NIEM's journey since its inception, discover how NIEM fosters a unique culture of information-sharing within and beyond the justice domain, explore its impact and opportunities through two successful use cases, and learn about the future of the program as it moves to become an Open Standard.

2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. **Plenary Session #4 - Adult Offender Supervision Practices – The ICAOS and SEARCH Experience** Regency BC

- **Ashley Lippert**, Executive Director, ICAOS
- **Dr. Allen Eskridge**, Director of Operations and Policy, ICAOS
- **Suzanne Brooks**, Deputy Compact Administrator, Ohio Department of Rehabilitation and Correction
- **Joe Mandala**, Chief Information Officer, Kansas Bureau of Investigation
- **David Roberts**, Executive Director, SEARCH



In 2020, the Interstate Commission for Adult Offender Supervision (ICAOS) partnered with SEARCH on a Justice Reinvestment Grant from the Bureau of Justice Assistance. The project's goals extend the ICAOS Interstate Compact Offenders under Transfer System (ICOTS) with new innovative capabilities. Panelists in this session will discuss why supervision officials require access to timely information on offenders under their supervision even when they have transferred supervision to another jurisdiction, and the challenges agencies currently face; how the automated enrollment and subscription notification services will promote expanded data sharing and improve public and officer safety; will provide an overview of the architectural design that facilitates information sharing, enrollment, and subscription notification functions that are fully CJIS-compliant; and finally, will address how the public/private partnership between ICAOS, SEARCH, and the pilot states of Kansas, Arizona, and Ohio produces greater efficiency and effectiveness, and enhances public and officer safety.

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3:00 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.	<b>Networking Break</b> *Stop by the exhibit tables and say hello to our sponsors*	Pre-Function
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3:15 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	<b>Breakout #1 – Secure Data Sharing in an Environment of Trust – The Value of the Fundamentals</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <b>Catherine Watson</b>, Senior Lead Product Manager, AT&amp;T FirstNet</li> <li>○ <b>Constantine “Kostaki” Alex</b>, Unit Chief, FBI CJIS</li> <li>○ <b>David Nolan</b>, Emerging Advanced Technology Lead, Emergency Communications Division, DHS-CISA</li> <li>○ <b>Matthew Moyer</b>, Senior Research Scientist, Georgia Tech Research Institute (GTRI)</li> <li>○ <b>Bill Phillips</b>, Chief Information Security Officer, Nlets</li> </ul>	Regency BC
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As new technologies increase the public safety community’s reliance on data and its need to share data with partner agencies, first responders face increasing cyber threats that require innovative techniques to manage risk and secure information exchange between operational partners. Federated Identity, Credential, and Access Management (Federated ICAM) is an important enabling technology that allows public safety agencies to strategically share sensitive data with select individuals from partner agencies in a manner that complies with applicable laws, policies, and access control rules. During this session, attendees will receive insights into the maturation of tools available to address ICAM and the critical partnerships that must be engaged to successfully share data securely.

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3:15 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	<b>Breakout #2 – The Initial Call for Service – Alignment of Practices at the Federal and Local Levels</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ <b>Jeff Wobbleton</b>, Arlington (VA), Emergency Communications</li> <li>○ <b>Victor Shaffer</b>, Supervisory Management and Program Analyst</li> <li>○ <b>Jeff Bruns</b>, Co-Founder, Convey911</li> <li>○ <b>Greg Crider</b>, Chief Architect, Emerging Digital Concepts</li> <li>○ <b>Chris Wiseman</b>, President, Emerging Digital Concepts</li> </ul>	Regency A
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This session aims to shine a spotlight on the critical programs and innovative solutions driving positive change within emergency communications centers nationwide. Join us as experts from the field unveil cutting-edge strategies designed to address the overwhelming influx of calls, all while navigating the challenges of limited resources. This session offers a unique opportunity to explore the transformative potential of technology and collaboration in enhancing the efficiency and effectiveness of emergency response, making it a pivotal conversation for those dedicated to improving our emergency communication infrastructure.

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4:00 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.	<b>Networking Break</b> *Stop by the exhibit tables and say hello to our sponsors*	Pre-Function
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4:15 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	<b>Breakout #3 – Transitioning from a Legacy System</b>	Regency BC
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o <b>Lisa Burlingame</b>, CIO, Oklahoma DOC</li> <li>o <b>John Daugherty</b>, Central Services Division Chief, Montana DOC</li> <li>o <b>Fred Roesel</b>, Business Architect, Marquis Software</li> </ul>	

This breakout offers real-life use case studies on the transformation of public sector agencies as they break free from legacy systems and move toward a more versatile environment. Understand how public sector agencies are often burdened with antiquated policies, procedures and practices that were developed for an older environment with dated requirements. Understand and learn from the accomplishments of making the thoughtful transition to support a more timely and efficient process for meeting program and agency needs. Learn from the stories of successful transitions and discover the strategies employed to leave behind outdated technology. Gain invaluable insights into the realm of technology procurement, exploring the evolving landscape of public sector innovation.

4:15 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	<b>Breakout #4 - More Details to Address – Cyber Security</b>	Regency A
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o <b>Jay Kaine</b>, Director of Threat Intelligence, Cybersecurity Services, Motorola Solutions</li> <li>o <b>Tyler Brodbeck</b>, Manager, Threat Intelligence, Cybersecurity Services, Motorola Solutions</li> </ul>	

Public safety agencies are adopting a growing array of advanced technologies, integrating voice, video and data feeds to improve the timely delivery of emergency services. This integration allows dispatchers and first responders to make decisions with greater focus, certainty and speed. At the same time, cyber threats to public safety are increasing in scope, scale and complexity, while agencies are challenged by a lack of cybersecurity resources required to mitigate the risk and ensure continuity of no-fail public safety operations. Hear from Motorola Solutions’ Public Safety Threat Alliance (PSTA), a CISA-recognized Information Sharing and Analysis Organization (ISAO), on the current threat landscape, including threat actors’ motives and methods for targeting public safety networks and data.

5:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	<b>Networking Reception</b>	Regency Foyer
Celebrate the IJIS Institute award winners at this special reception. Join the IJIS Institute National Symposium attendees, IJIS Institute leadership, IJIS staff, partner organizations, and our event sponsors for an evening of appetizers, cocktails, award-winner celebrations, and networking.		

## THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 2

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	o <b>Maria Cardiellos</b> , Executive Director, IJIS Institute	
8:45 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.	<b>Keynote Speaker</b>	Regency BC
	o <b>Senator Adam Ebbin</b> , Virginia State Senate	
9:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.	<b>Plenary Session #5 – Policy at All Levels Matters</b>	Regency BC
	o <b>Ben Bawden</b> , Partner, Brooks Bawden Moore LLC	

Step into the world of policy and funding that shapes the landscape of those dedicated to advancing public sector mission priority areas. This exclusive session offers a deep dive into the intricacies of government policy and its impact on agencies and service providers nationwide. Unveil the latest insights into how policy decisions are influencing public sector initiatives and explore a myriad of funding opportunities impacting these programs.

10:30 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.	<b>Networking Break</b>	Pre-Function
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10:45 a.m. – 11:45 a.m. **Plenary Session #6 – Administrative Concerns – Budget, Staff and Procurement Issues** Regency BC

- **John Daugherty**, Central Services Division Chief, Montana Department of Corrections
- **Joe Wheeler**, Vice President of Justice and Courts, Mission Critical Partners

Join us for a comprehensive session that delves into the core administrative concerns of public sector entities across the nation while coping with understaffed resources. From budgetary challenges to staffing constraints and procurement intricacies, this discussion will provide a holistic view of the administrative hurdles faced by government agencies. Gain practical insights, innovative solutions, and a deeper understanding of the strategies that can help agencies navigate these complex landscapes while delivering essential services efficiently.

11:45 a.m. – 12:45 p.m. **Plenary Session #7 – The World Around Us – Culture Change** Regency BC

- **Brian Riggs**, Chief Executive Officer, Riggs Enterprise Corp.
- **John Chiaramonte**, President of Consulting Services, Mission Critical Partners

This conference’s closing panel discussion will venture into the pivotal realm of culture change within organizations, spanning both the public and private sectors, in the ever-evolving professional landscape. Our expert panelists will share their profound insights on how to navigate and drive cultural transformation, especially in times of rapid change.

12:45 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. **Closing Comments, Surveys and Prize Winner** Regency BC

- **Maria Cardiellos**, Executive Director, IJIS Institute

1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. **Lunch On Your Own**

2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. **FBI CJIS Security Policy Updates Workshop** Colvin Run (4<sup>th</sup> Floor)

This exclusive workshop will highlight the most recent changes and updates to the FBI CJIS Security Policy and provide practical guidance on implementing and maintaining CJIS compliance at justice agencies nationally or as part of technical solutions that support the agencies.



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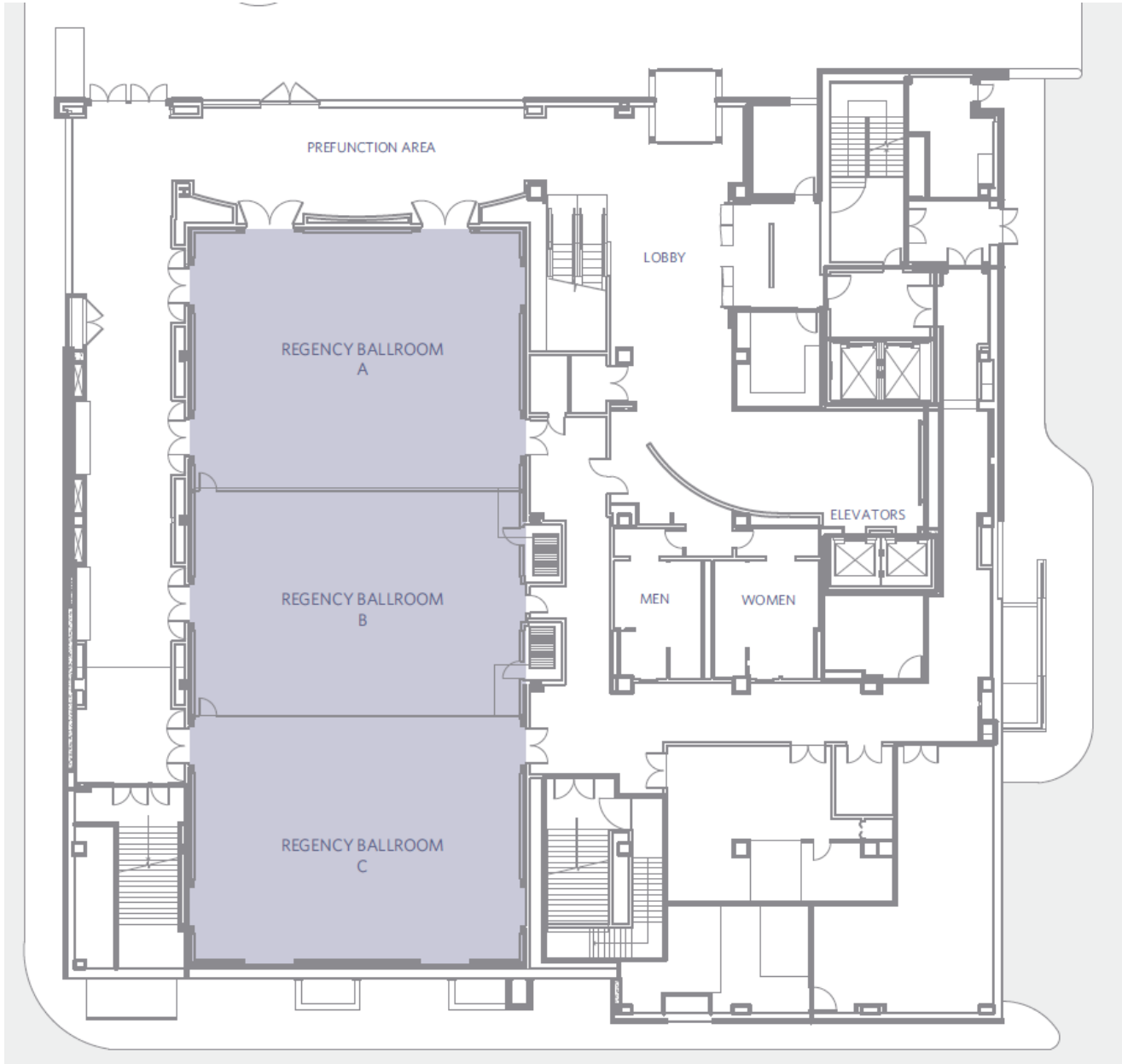
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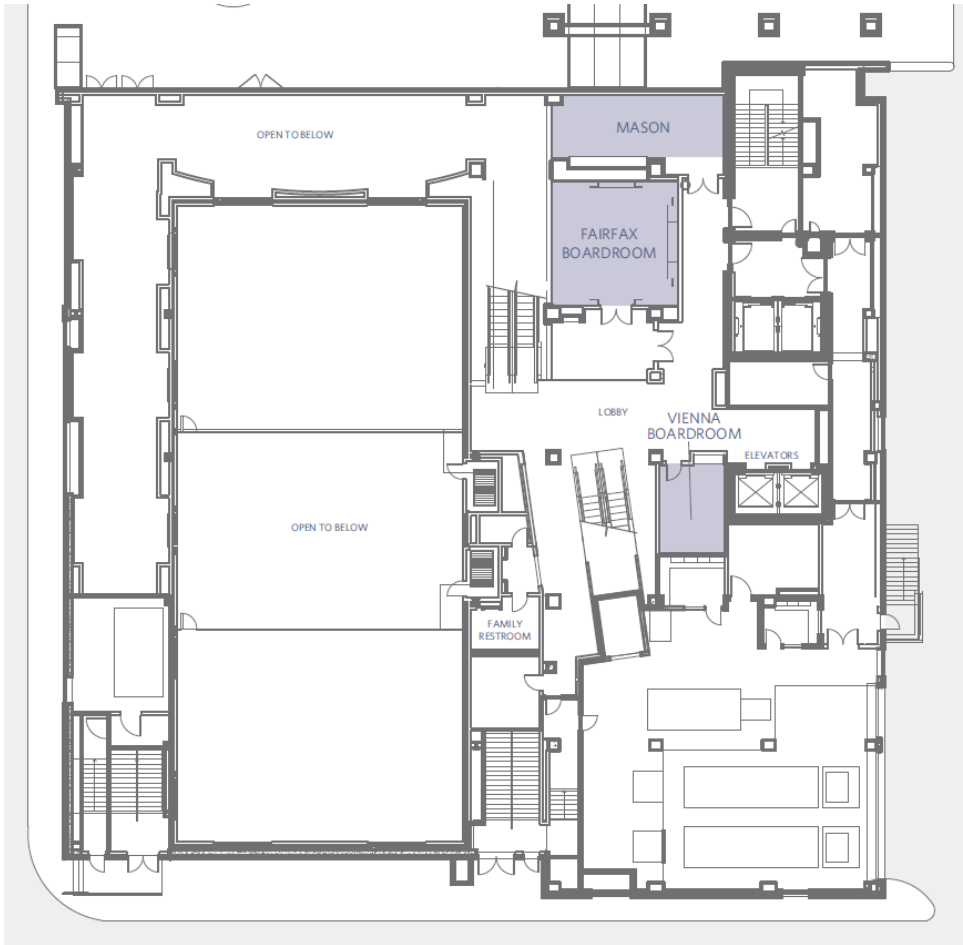
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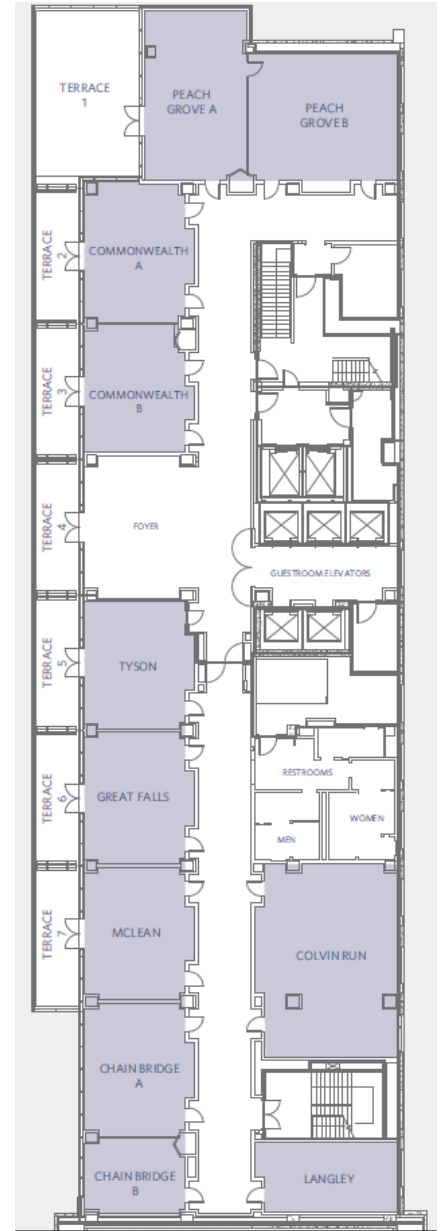




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