MARESTELLA

DEFENSE TECHNOLOGY SOLUTIONS FROM THE SEA TO THE STARS

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NAICS
PRIMARY:
541715 — Research and Development in the Physical, Engineering, and Life Sciences

ADDITIONAL:
541512, 541511, 541519

CERTIFICATIONS/ COMPLIANCE
- CMMC LEVEL 2 + Self-Assessment
- NIST SP 800-171 Compliance
- RMF/ATO Cybersecurity Engineering Support Across DoD Environments

SECURITY CLEARANCES
Top Secret / SCI

SBA DESIGNATIONS
WOSB, VOSB, SDVOSB

SBA
U.S. Small Business Administration

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WHO WE ARE

Marestella Inc. delivers cybersecurity-driven engineering, DevSecOps, and cloud modernization to the Department of Defense and its prime contractors. We design secure architectures, build DevSecOps pipelines, modernize legacy systems into cloud-native platforms, and develop software and decision aids that support undersea and space operations. Cybersecurity is embedded across every solution we deliver, ensuring systems are secure, compliant, and operational from initial design through deployment.

70M+ DoD Infrastructure & Services Led

25+ Years NAVSEA Software Leadership

10+ Years Cybersecurity & DevSecOps Leadership

1ST Cloud-native Delivery to Submarine SONAR

CORE CAPABILITIES

CYBERSECURITY, DevSecOps & SECURE SYSTEMS ENGINEERING
Secure architecture design for classified DoD enclaves; DevSecOps pipeline implementation; automation in support of continuous ATO (cATO); RMF and ATO facilitation; continuous monitoring; and DoD-wide cyber response leadership.

CLOUD-NATIVE MODERNIZATION
Kubernetes platform engineering, including on airgapped systems; software factory design; Infrastructure as Code; AWS GovCloud migration; IL4/IL5/IL6 readiness.

UNDERSEA WARFARE SYSTEMS
Oceanographic and acoustic modeling; tactical decision aids; METOC data fusion; science and technology transition.

SPACE DATA TRANSPORT
Hybrid network architecture; SATCOM integration; SD-WAN/BWAN design; secure cross-domain data flow engineering.

> **Marestella bridges the gap between experimentation and operational deployment across cloud, cyber, and mission systems.**

PAST PERFORMANCE

OAML Program

N0002425CS239 | Subcontractor | NAVSEA | $225k | 2025

Provides cybersecurity advisory and implementation services for the Oceanographic and Atmospheric Master Library (OAML), including secure coding guidance, DevSecOps integration and modernization and standardization of challenging heterogenious legacy software build infrastructures.

AFRL RAPID Lab Support

FA945319D0002/FA945325FX006 | Subcontractor | U.S. Space Force | $1.3M | 2026

Delivers secure cloud architecture, DevSecOps pipelines, infrastructure-as-code, RMF artifacts and IL5 experimentation environments supporting Space Force's vision for a hybrid space network.

LEADERSHIP

Chelsea Gibson | Co-Founder & CEO

Chelsea leads large-scale federal IT programs, having supported over $70M in project portfolios and directly managing cloud modernization efforts exceeding $10M. She specializes in scalable architectures, Infrastructure-as-Code (IaC) deployments at AWS IL5, and automated security pipelines - notably transforming a complex U.S. Navy legacy environment into a fully automated AWS cloud infrastructure. A recognized expert in compliance and risk mitigation, Chelsea directs strategies across RMF and NIST 800-53, and has successfully led incident response during active DoD cyber events. She holds an active TS/SCI clearance and is the co-inventor of a patented software metadata management system. **Certifications:** CISSP, Security+, AWS Cloud Practitioner.

Dave Sracic | Co-Founder & CTO

Dave brings 25 years of defense software experience, notably serving as a Navy Senior Science and Technology Manager. In this role, he provided the technical leadership and strategic vision for more than $70M in software development, spanning Science and Technology (S&T) through Programs of Record in undersea warfare. A pioneer in modern defense tech, Dave led development of the Navy's first containerized, cloud-native software delivery to the AN/BQQ-10 submarine SONAR system. He holds an active TS/SCI clearance, is the co-inventor of a patented software metadata management system, and his work has earned citations from various NAVSEA program offices, the Office of Naval Intelligence, and a National Intelligence Meritorious Unit Citation. **Certifications:** Licensed Professional Engineer, AWS Cloud Practitioner.

Location

Headquartered in Albuquerque, NM, Marestella supports mission partners nationwide with a regional presence in the Washington DC area, Wisconson and California. This strategic footprint enables seemless collaboration with government agencies, prime contractors and industry partners.

KEY DIFFERENTIATORS

CYBERSECURITY-FIRST DELIVERY
Embedded across engineering, modernization, system deployment, and technology transition efforts

HANDS-ON DOD EXPERIENCE
Undersea warfare, cybersecurity, and space systems across mission environments

SECURE CLOUD EXECUTION
Proven delivery of cloud-native architectures in classified environments

CLEARED LEADERSHIP
Leadership with TS/SCI clearance experience and a history of providing trusted technical guidance to government programs