



# Why are Development Team Boards Important?

Members must indicate interest in attending RDEDB course(s) through their DT Board, which produces RDEDB Nomination List

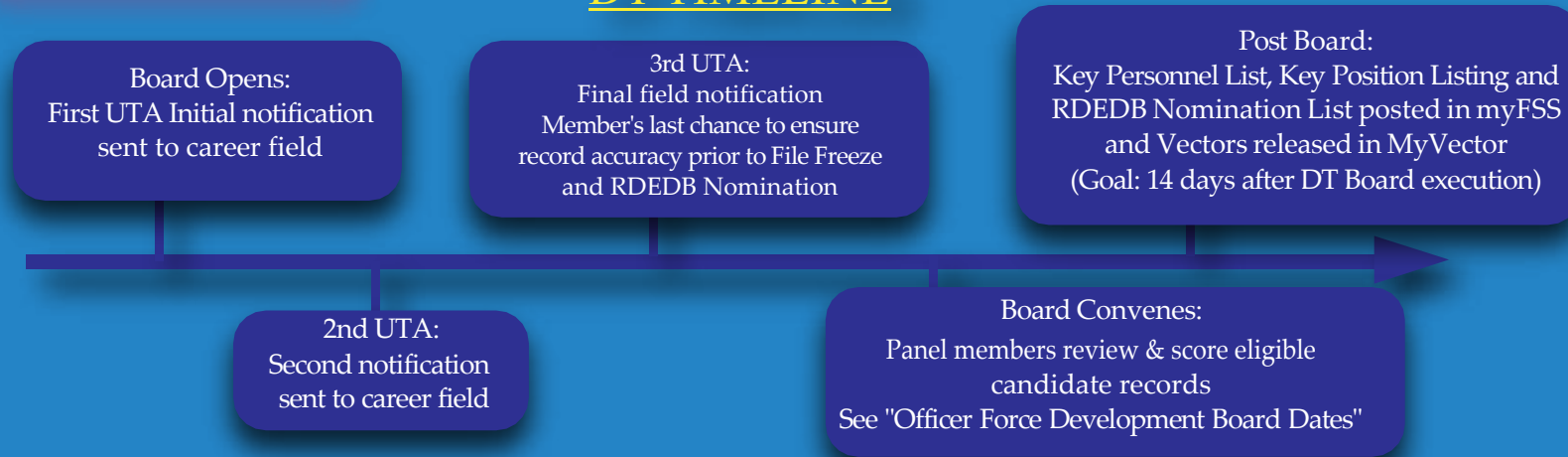
DT boards are critical for ensuring the AFR has the right leadership in place to successfully execute its mission

KPL opens career advancements and opportunities

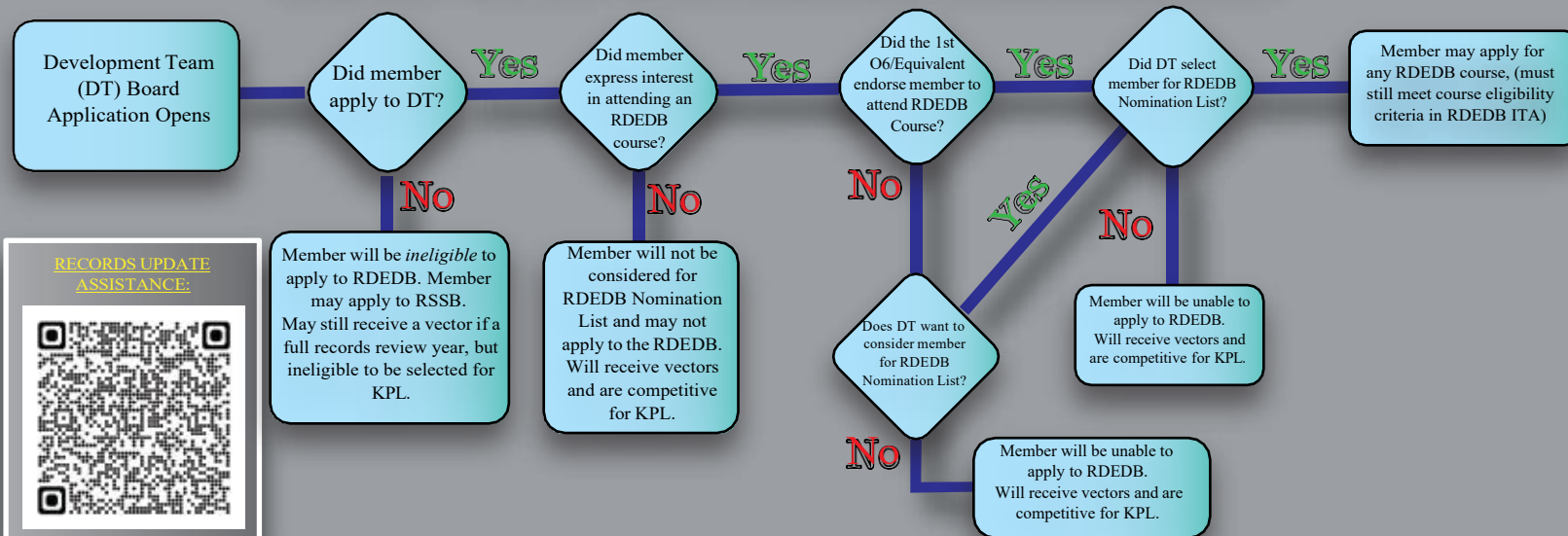
Vectors guide members with comprehensive feedback to support their professional development

Shape careers to align members' talents and aspirations with AFR requirements

## DT TIMELINE



## APPLY TO DT FOR RDEDB NOMINATION



RECORDS UPDATE  
ASSISTANCE:



## OFFICER FORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD DATES

**2025**

November

IAS/Wx/FM/AP/Hist/Ops Analysis DT  
Chaplain Corps DT

December

Nuclear & Missile Operations DT

**2026**

January

Contracting DT  
Force Modernization DT

February

OSI DT

CY26 Reserve School Selection Board  
(RSSB)

March

RDEDB Nomination begins  
(see "Board Reform Changes")  
Public Affairs DT  
MAF DT  
Intelligence DT

April

Cyber and Info Ops DT

CAF DT

A4 O-6 DT

MX/CE/LG/SF DT

May-July

No Officer Boards

August

JAG DT

Combined Medical DT  
Force Support DT

September

CY26 Reserve Command Screening  
Board (RCSB)

October

AY27-28 Reserve Developmental  
Education Designation Board (RDEDB)

November

IAS/Wx/FM/AP/Hist/Ops Analysis DT  
Chaplain DT

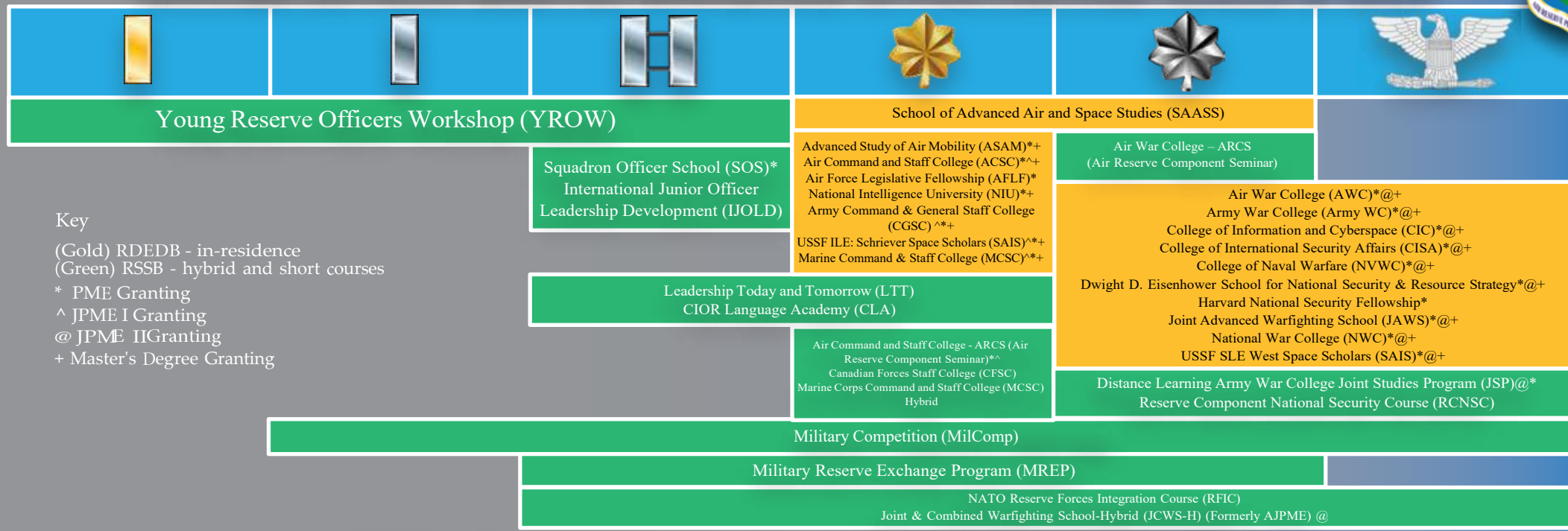
December

Nuclear & Missile Operations DT

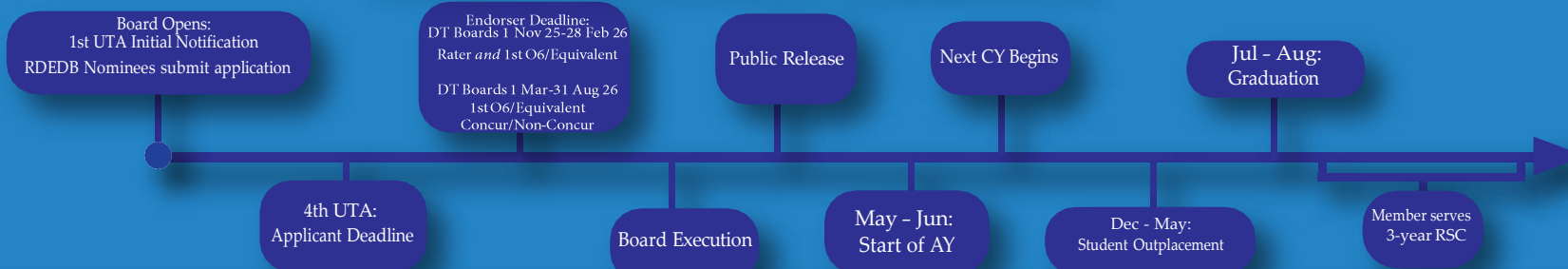
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# OFFICER DEVELOPMENTAL EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES: RDEDB & RSSB



## RDEDB STUDENT TIMELINE



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## BOARD REFORM CHANGES

### Reserve Developmental Education Designation Board (RDEDB):

- In-residence IDE/SDE/SAASS
- DT Boards executing Nov 25 to the end of Feb 26 will apply to AY27-28 RDEDB traditionally
- DT Boards executing Mar to Aug 26 will produce RDEDB Nomination Lists
- Officers must apply to their DT Board and indicate interest in attending AY27-28 RDEDB course(s)
  - Starts with Public Affairs DT (application opens 22 Oct 25, board executes 2-6 Mar 26)
  - DT Board will create RDEDB Nomination List from members' records and input from applicants' 1st O6/equivalent's endorser
  - Members on the list will then be invited to apply for the RDEDB
  - No new endorsements needed to apply for RDEDB, 1st O6/equivalent will "concur/non-concur" on RDEDB application
  - All DT Boards starting Nov 26 will create RDEDB Nomination Lists for AY28-29 RDEDB

### Reserve School Selection Board (RSSB)

- Only one RSSB annually; reduces confusion, simplifies board choice with all short/hybrid courses & SOS in-residence in one board
- Members interested in applying to the RSSB will still require the rater and 1st O6/equivalent endorsements for their RSSB application
- Appropriate grade-level PME required by application deadline for courses: CFSC, MCSC, IJOLD, JCWS-H, MREP, NATO RFIC, RCNSC, CIOR

### Other Board Reform Changes

- RSSB/RDEDB Standby Pool members will be offered available options if primary and/or alternate is unable to attend
- No deferments—must reapply for Developmental Education (deferments remove quotas from the following year)
- DTs use standard development plan questions to ensure consistency across career fields; Career fields may add specific AFSC questions in addition to core questions

