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Welcome to Carpe Datum's **Federal Data Prospector** (Vol. 2, Issue 52) newsletter. While the Federal Government does not exactly have its own version of a "holiday shopping spree", they are being quite active in posting new and interesting contracting requirements for those of us who love an exciting Data & Analytics business opportunity!

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- **Sources Sought Notice -- The Defense Contract Management Agency (DCMA), Fort Lee, VA -- Financial Capability Assessment Online Subscription** – DCMA performs financial capability assessments by analyzing companies' financial performance using company-provided financial statements, publicly available financial information, industry comparison studies, credit history information, and market analysis information.

In other data news, on December 3rd, **Traders Magazine** published an interesting article entitled **SEC Announces Office Focused on Innovation and Financial Technology**. The story highlights how the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) announced its new *Strategic Hub for Innovation and Financial Technology*, commonly referred to as FinHub, which will become a stand-alone office. Valerie A. Szczepanik will continue to lead FinHub as its first director and will report directly to the SEC Chairman.

- "The SEC is committed to innovation in our markets, consistent with our time-tested regulatory framework," said SEC Chairman Jay Clayton. "Our action to establish FinHub as standalone office furthers our commitment to facilitate the introduction of new technologies for the benefit of investors and the efficiency and resiliency of our markets. The agency is fortunate to benefit from Val's expertise and deep knowledge in the areas of innovation, financial technology and investor protection, and I'm pleased she will continue to lead FinHub as its first director."

And finally, we'd like to take a play out of the Four Seasons Philadelphia's playbook this week, and note that while **ZoomInfo Filed Suit Against CarpeDatum For Unauthorized Database Access**, this lawsuit features CarpeDatum of Aurora, Colorado – no relation to the DC-based Carpe Datum, LLC!

The Carpe Datum Team

Opportunities & Solicitations



Commercial Smallsat Data Acquisition Program (CSDAP) NASA

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The National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA)/Headquarters (HQ) is hereby soliciting information from potential sources for Commercial Smallsat Data Acquisition (CSDA) Program...

Geospatial Parcel Data *Dept. of Agriculture*

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The United States Department of Agriculture (USDA), Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS), Wildlife Services (WS) is issuing this sources sought notice as a means of conducting market research to identify parties having an interest in and the resources to support this requirement for national level geospatial parcel data...

Other Transactions @ NGA (OT@NGA): Chain of Custody - Data Integrity *Dept. of Defense*

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Demonstrate Chain of Custody solutions in a government furnished simulated environment that resembles a functioning data supply lifecycle...

Kill Chain Integration Broad Agency Announcement - 2021 *Dept. of Defense*

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This Broad Agency Announcement (BAA) invites vendors to submit innovative technical approach concept papers, for the potential of a contract award, addressing kill chain integration to ensure full spectrum awareness of emergent threats...

- Common Enterprise Loan Origination and Servicing (CELOS) Platform -*Dept. of Agriculture*
- FUSRAP Environmental Data Management System -*Dept. of Defense*
- Global Banking Resource and Banker's Almanac Subscription -*Dept. of Treasury*
- Congressional Subscription Service -*Dept. of Commerce*
- Media Monitoring, Analytics and Distribution Services -*NASA*
- Request for Information (RFI) - Data Centricity Tagging & Marking (TED) Tool -*Dept. of Defense*

Sole Source Opportunities

Notice of Intent to Sole Source for Pitchbook Data Inc. Subscription Services *Dept. of the Treasury*

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The Office of Business Solutions Acquisition (OBSA); Treasury Operations Branch, intends to negotiate a sole-source acquisition

with Pitchbook Data Inc. for subscription services for the Committee on Foreign Investment in the United States (CFIUS) to facilitate the research of various equity investments, essential to the non-notified work performed...

Intent to Sole Source Subscription Requirement *Dept. of Defense*

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In accordance with FAR 6.302-1, DLA Energy intends to award a Sole Source Firm Fixed Price Contract to GlobalView Software, Inc for a subscription that allows users to monitor and analyze real-time data for refined petroleum products and natural gas...

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- [Politico Pro Premium Subscription - *Dept. of Health and Human Services*](#)
 - [Institute of International Finance Data - *Dept. of the Treasury*](#)

Opportunity Updates

Intelligence and Analytics Tools *Securities and Exchange Commission*

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IT Security and Privacy Clauses, FEDRAMP Clarification Question - December 3, 2020

All Source – Intelligence Application Request for Information (RFI) *Dept. of Defense*

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Intel Apps RFI QA December 3, 2020

Other Transaction Agreement (OT@NGA) - Low Latency Foundation Data *Dept. of Defense*

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Amend 1, LLFD RFWP Vendor Questions Responses - December 1, 2020

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- [2020 Construction Project Data - *Dept. of Labor*](#)
 - [Air Force Science and Technology Quantum Strategy - *Dept. of Defense*](#)
 - [OFFICIAL RFP - Information Technology and Database Applications Support Services \(ITDASS\) - *Dept. of Commerce*](#)

Agency News

Emily Murphy, Administrator Of The GSA Shares Her Thoughts On AI

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There is nothing ordinary about the year 2020, and in this highly charged political year, everything gets more attention than might have been deserved in previous years...

How The Department Of Defense Approaches Ethical AI

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Military and defense organizations using transformative technologies such as artificial intelligence and machine learning can realize tremendous gains and help to maintain advantages over increasingly capable adversaries and competitors...

FTC Sues to Block CoStar Group, Inc.'s Proposed Acquisition of Chief Competitor RentPath Holdings, Inc.

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The Federal Trade Commission has filed an administrative complaint, and authorized a suit in federal court, to block internet listing services provider CoStar Group Inc.'s proposed \$587.5 million acquisition of competitor RentPath Holdings, Inc...

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 - [US needs big data registry to monitor COVID-19 vaccine outcomes, former FDA commissioners say](#)
 - [An analytics tool helps the Department of Homeland Security recruit talent](#)

General Government News

Applying commercial intelligence to counter weapons of mass destruction

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Exploiting underutilized commercial data sources can enhance actionable intelligence in an evolving threat environment...

Prosecuting within complex criminal networks is hard. Data analysis could save the courts precious time and money

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It's no secret the trail of data we leave online can reveal intimate details about our lives. And there are myriad people whose job it is to collect and sift through this, often with a goal to engage in targeted advertising...

How to Fight the Coronavirus Pandemic with AI and the IoT

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The medical industry has increased its investment in artificial intelligence and Internet of Things technologies for the purposes of drug discovery, medical imaging and predictive diagnosis...

Industry Highlights

S&P Puts \$44 Billion on Wise 'Big Is Better' Wager

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If the world is going to end up with just a handful of gigantic global businesses serving its financial markets, the U.S. is clearly leading the race...

Tamr joins Microsoft, other leading technology companies as a Azure Synapse Analytics launch partner

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Tamr, Inc., the provider of cloud-native data mastering solutions, today announced its selection by Microsoft as a launch partner for Azure Synapse Analytics...

News analysis - LinkedIn opens the door to its data with LinkedInSales Insights

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Reliable data sources are harder than ever to find - especially data about relevant prospects. Here's how LinkedIn's latest product, Sales Insights, aims to address that. But will it make a difference for sales teams?...

NuWave Solutions Acquires BigBear, a Leading Provider of Big DataAnalytics Solutions to the National Security Community

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NuWave Solutions ("NuWave"), a leading provider of data management, advanced analytics, artificial intelligence, cloud solutions and technologies to the federal government, announced today that it has acquired BigBear Inc. ("BigBear" or "the Company"), a leading provider of cloud-based big data analytics solutions to the national security community within the U.S. Government...

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- [EU to Clear LSE's \\$27 Billion Refinitiv Acquisition Deal](#)
- [FiscalNote raises \\$160M to fund expansion, refinance debt](#)
- [Informatica Announces New Governed Data Lake Management Solution for AWS Customers](#)
- [DueDil solves ongoing regulatory compliance and risk selection by adding Continuous Updates to KYB solution](#)
- [SAS launches cloud platform on Azure in Sydney](#)
- [Informatica Announces New Governed Data Lake Management Solution for AWS Customers](#)
- [Dun & Bradstreet Launches Buyer Intent, To Help Increase ROI For UK B2B Marketing Teams](#)
- [Equifax Announces New President of Canadian Business](#)
- [Orbital Insight Appoints Kevin O'Brien as Chief Executive Officer](#)
- [ZoomInfo Launches Privacy Clusters to Future-Proof Intent Data](#)
- [Mindtree and Databricks partner to offer advanced data intelligence](#)
- [DHS Vet Uyen Dinh Joins BlackSky as Gov't Relations, Strategy VP](#)
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