Keywords List Overview - The *Joint Special Operations University (JSOU) Special Operations Research Topics* publication prepares relevant and timely U.S. Special Operations Forces (SOF) research topics for researchers and students "to provide insight and recommendations on issues and challenges facing the SOF enterprise." JSOU utilized the U.S. Special Operations Command (USSOCOM) Commander's priorities to organize forty-nine SOF research topics within the publication's six sections: A. Priority Topics; B. Win; C. Transform; D. People; E. Networking and Relationships; and F. Technology and Resources. You can access the *JSOU Special Operations Research Topics 2018* through this link: https://jsou.libguides.com/ld.php?content_id=32840034.

At the Special Warfare Education Group (Airborne) (SWEG (A)) of the U.S. Army John F. Kennedy Special Warfare Center and School (USAJFKSWCS), we sorted the SOF research topics within the *JSOU Special Operations Research Topics 2018* publication into this list of keywords to assist our students in selecting research topics. The keywords are bolded and underlined as headings for the SOF research topics that relate to those keywords. In this keywords list, a specific SOF research topic (e.g., B4) may fall under different keywords quite frequently. Additionally, we included the *JSOU Special Operations Research Topics 2018* page numbers to assist our students in referencing the JSOU publication for the topic descriptions that provide further information.

USASOC Research Topics - USASOC recommended these research topics within the *JSOU Special Operations Research Topics 2018* Publication:
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