

SEPTEMBER 24, 2026

# 21st ANNUAL AEROSPACE SUMMIT

THE MUSEUM OF FLIGHT - SEATTLE, WA

## AGENDA

AFA will be highlighting the community impact and supplier excellence of social enterprises throughout the day

<b>9:15AM</b>	<b>Registration Opens &amp; Morning Networking</b>	<i>Thank you to our sponsor</i>	
<b>10:00AM</b>	<b>Welcome Remarks</b> <i>Nicole Zinn, Acting AFA President &amp; Jerry Chase, AFA Board Chair</i>		
<b>10:20AM</b>	<b>Airline Industry Outlook: Navigating Growth, Demand &amp; the Future of Aviation</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Join us for an inside look at what's next for commercial aviation and how airlines, airports, and manufacturers will shape the future of flight</li></ul>		
<b>11:10AM</b>	<b>Aerospace Hubs of Washington: A Mayoral Perspective</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>From Everett and the Kent Valley to Moses Lake, discover how Washington's aerospace hubs are preparing for the next generation</li></ul> <i>Panel: Mayor Ralph-Kent, Mayor Swartz-Moses Lake, Mayor Pavone-Renton, Mayor Franklin-Everett</i>		
<b>12:00PM</b>	<b>Networking Lunch</b>	<i>Thank you to our sponsor</i>	
<b>12:50PM</b>	<b>AFA Awards</b>	<i>Thank you to our sponsor</i>	
<b>1:00PM</b>	<b>Workforce Pipeline: Building Aerospace Talent for Tomorrow</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Hear from the educators and workforce leaders preparing Washington's future aerospace workforce.</li></ul> <i>Panel: Renuka Prabhakar-Everett Community College, Julie Parks-Spokane Colleges, Ferdinand Orbino-South Seattle College, Lynn Strickland-AJAC</i>		
<b>2:00PM</b>	<b>Washington State Governor's Aerospace Address</b> <i>Speaker: Governor Ferguson</i>	<i>Thank you to our sponsor</i>	
<b>2:20PM</b>	<b>Spokane Aerospace Tech Hub: Accelerating Advanced Materials Innovation</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Discover how Washington is pioneering advanced materials and manufacturing technologies that will define the future of aerospace production</li></ul>		
<b>2:45PM</b>	<b>Networking Break</b> <i>Thank you to our Networking sponsors Trelleborg!</i>		
<b>3:15PM</b>	<b>Boeing Keynote</b> <i>Speaker: Ihssane Mounir, Senior VP Global Supply Chain &amp; Fabrication - Boeing Commercial Airplanes</i>		
<b>4:00PM</b>	<b>Sustainable Aviation Fuel &amp; Washington Manufacturing</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>What does Sustainable Aviation Fuel mean for manufacturers, suppliers, and the future of aerospace in Washington? Join industry leaders as they connect sustainability goals with economic growth and aerospace innovation</li></ul> <i>Moderator: Sandra Haynes-Executive VP WSU Statewide Campuses</i> <i>Panel: Snohomish County, Port of Seattle</i>	<i>Thank you to our sponsor</i>	
<b>4:55PM</b>	<b>Closing Remarks</b>		
<b>5-7PM</b>	<b>Reception at the Historic Red Barn in the Museum of Flight</b>	<i>Thank you to our sponsor</i>	

\*\*Agenda timing & content to be updated as necessary

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