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# AEROSPACE UPDATE



July 2016

## Aviation Week Manufacturing Survey

**Aviation Week wants to hear from you - and we want to help you tell your story!**

Aviation Week, the ultimate aerospace magazine has been conducting a survey of companies in the southeast. Because they are still in need of responses to their Aerospace Manufacturing Survey, Aviation Week has extended the response date to July 20th. If you are manufacturing aerospace parts in Georgia and have not received a survey, please contact Debrion Radford at [dradford@georgia.org](mailto:dradford@georgia.org) or 478-471-2484.

## Aerospace Directory

Did you know there is a **free marketing tool for your company** on our website? Think of our directory as a way to amplify any marketing that you are already doing. It's free - and your listing is searchable by keywords and geographic location. Take a few minutes to update your listing, and boost your visibility!

[Click here for Aerospace Directory](#)



## Save the Date - SOAR Macon 2016

### Supplier Opportunities & Aerospace Resources (SOAR) Conference 2016

- **When:** September 12-13
- **Where:** Middle Georgia State University Conference Center

**SOAR 2016** is open to all aerospace and defense suppliers and is jointly hosted by COI Aerospace, the Macon Economic Development Commission, the Georgia Tech Enterprise Innovation Institute, and the University of Georgia's Small Business Development Center.

This one day conference will provide meaningful development sessions to help your business succeed - and through its "Fast Pitch" sessions, a potential meeting with

## Aerospace Events

Having an event? Send your info to [Debrion Radford](#) to be added to our **Community Calendar!**

### July 16

**CAF Dixie Wing Living History: The Making of a Pilot**  
Peachtree City, Georgia  
[More info](#)

### July 26-28

**Sky Camp at Middle Georgia State University**  
Eastman, Georgia  
[More Info](#)

### July 27-29

**The Aerospace States Association Annual Meeting**  
Milwaukee, Wisconsin  
[More Info](#)

### July 29

**NASA's Birthday**

### [Youth Aerospace Activities](#)

Check out some of these programs and activities for youth interested in aerospace!

major aerospace OEMs. Mark your calendar for the evening of Monday, September 12 (reception) and Tuesday, September 13 (conference) at Middle Georgia State University in Macon. Registration link will be available on our website by the end of July.

## The Center of Innovation for Aerospace is Hiring

Looking for a rewarding and challenging job in aerospace? We're looking for a Project Manager to join our team and work closely with aerospace companies in Georgia. The project manager assists companies by connecting them to applicable resources to meet their needs. Minimum requirements include:

- Bachelor's degree in a related field and two (2) years of experience in the aerospace industry or a closely-related industry
- Business or Technical background to support the Center's activities
- Strong research and strategic analysis skills and the ability to synthesis information from diverse sources into usable business intelligence

This position will be posted soon on the Middle Georgia State University website. [mga/jobs](#).

## Altavian's UAS Demonstration

On June 23, 2016, Phoenix Air Unmanned hosted a demonstration at its unmanned flight facility by Altavian, Inc., a leading UAS manufacturer. The demonstration team, headed by Thomas Rambo, Altavian's co-founder and Chief Operating Officer and John Perry, Altavian CEO, outlined the company's 'vertical approach' to UAS development. Altavian gave a detailed review of its history, design philosophy and samples of its data gathering capabilities before heading out to the flight facility for the demonstration. The flight demonstration went very smoothly and the capabilities of the Nova P7200 appear ideal for the aerial photogrammetry, surveying and infrastructure inspection.



### [2016 Air Shows](#)

Mark your calendar to check out some of these amazing air shows!



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### **UPDATE: Directory**

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## Phoenix Air Training Course

Phoenix Air Unmanned, in partnership with the NM Group and the UAS Safety Institute is conducting two separate two-day training sessions for UAS in the utility and infrastructure domain. The courses will be held in mid September and late November at the company's training site in Cartersville, Georgia.

[For more details click here.](#)

## Aviation Forum - Hamburg 2016

The Aviation Forum Hamburg, a supply chain conference and exhibition sponsored in part by the Georgia Department of Economic Development, will offer premium networking opportunities with a wide range of aviation OEMs and suppliers. The theme for the 2016 event is "Digital Transformation in the Aviation Industry."

Companies can receive a reduced registration fee by registering with the Georgia Department of Economic Development [application form](#) by **September 1**. The event will be held **December 6-7** in Hamburg, Germany.

[For more details click here.](#)

## CAF Dixie Wing Monthly Seminar

Military aviation history will come to life through a new monthly series presented by the Commemorative Air Force (CAF) Dixie Wing at their headquarters. The public is invited to join the Saturday discussions by a variety of aviators dedicated to preserving the memory of U.S. aviation history.

The next seminar will be held on **July 16** and will feature the "The Making of a Pilot."

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## Sponsorship Opportunity



Help celebrate the 20th anniversary of Georgia's only 4-year public collegiate aviation program by becoming a sponsor of the Second

Annual Heart of Georgia Air Show to be held on **November 5**. You will be sponsoring a family-friendly event featuring aerobatic performances, plus food, fun and interactive exhibits. In addition to showcasing Middle GA State University's aviation school, the Air Show's venue will showcase the Heart of Georgia Regional Airport and the Eastman community. To learn more about sponsorship, contact 478-471-2732 or email [development@mga.edu](mailto:development@mga.edu).

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