Your AIAA Pacific Northwest Section

You can contribute to the future of the aerospace industry. Your Pacific Northwest AIAA section offers many opportunities to continue learning, participate in educational and political outreach and enjoy shared interests with fellow aerospace professionals.

For experienced professionals, your section offers opportunities to lead, mentor and connect with today’s and tomorrow’s aerospace leaders.

For young professionals, there are opportunities to develop relationships with aerospace professionals at all levels to build solid and informed career foundations.

For students and teachers, the section offers information, events and opportunities to explore paths to careers in aerospace and to join in events now to have fun and learn first hand about this exciting field.

go to pnwaiaa.org for current events and web links to all the resources listed.

AIAA is the world’s largest technical society dedicated to the global aerospace profession. With more than 35,000 individual members worldwide, and 90 corporate members, AIAA brings together industry, academia and government to advance engineering and science in aviation, space and defense.

For more information about AIAA at the national level, visit www.aiaa.org.

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Serving Washington, Oregon, Idaho and Alaska
Join In
Throughout the year, the section offers events and activities for practicing aerospace professionals, aspiring students and inspiring educators

For Professionals

Outreach and mentoring Opportunities to speak about aerospace careers at high school and college mentoring nights, share your experiences, answer students’ questions about engineering and encourage engineering education

Guest speaker dinners Distinguished aerospace leaders from around the country presenting their topics in an informal social event conducive to professional networking

Professional events Engineers’ fairs, Seattle Science Festival, annual Technical Symposium and awards banquet

Political outreach Advocacy of public policy issues, including Congressional visits day and the annual August is for Aerospace event

Social events Some technical, some not. Chocolate factory and winery tours, family nights at the planetarium and whatever the members would like to explore together

For Students

Networking opportunities Attend a section event to learn what others in your interest areas are doing, how they got interested and what they would advise you about your career planning

www.AskPolaris.org A website dedicated to help graduating high school students navigate college and career paths in aerospace engineering

Careers in aerospace College and career planning resources in engineering, marketing, finance and accounting, along with places to go to find out more

For Educators

Teaching resources Some of the most interesting and engaging hands-on science, technology, engineering and math (STEM) K-12 resources from a host of organizations

AIAA Educator Associate membership Gives you access to educational resources, publications, papers, conferences, workshops, classroom teaching ideas and networking

Educator Achievement Awards For teachers who go above and beyond in making STEM subjects relevant and exciting to their students using AIAA resources

AIAA Foundation classroom grants Financial support for science and math programs