

Hiroshima Aircraft Industry Promotion Association

The aircraft manufacturing industry utilizes a wide range of supporting industries, and its technological developments and innovation spill over into many other high-value manufacturing industries. The worldwide market demand for new commercial aircraft is also projected to double over the next 20 years, making this industry one of the most promising and important sectors for development and growth.

In June of 2015, through Industrial-Academic-Government collaborations and inter-company cooperation, Hiroshima Prefecture established the **Hiroshima Aircraft Industry Promotion Association** to promote the creation of reliable supply chains, advanced technologies, innovation and overall development of Hiroshima's aircraft manufacturing industry. Currently, there are over 100 members in this private-public sector consortium, including numerous companies, universities and government support organizations.



Our Activities

1. Exhibiting in International Airshows

To showcase our members advanced technologies and integrated production capabilities, our association participates in various International airshows. Most recent, we exhibited at the Farnborough International Airshow 2016 and Singapore Airshow 2018.

2. Technology Advancement Workshops.

For the acquisition and development of next generation technologies, we hold workshops on leading emerging technologies.

3. B2B Meetings

For our members, we facilitate B2B meetings with leading international and domestic aircraft industry OEMs and their Tier 1 & 2 suppliers.

4. Human Resource Development Seminars

To improve supply chain performance, we hold a variety of human resource development seminars that focus on specific aircraft manufacturing topics and themes.

Overview of Hiroshima Aircraft Industry Promotion Association

Established in May 2014

Members: 123 companies and 26 organizations (October 2018)

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Collaborative Manufacturing

To meet the ever increasing high demands and needs of the global commercial aircraft manufacturing industry (shortened lead times, gains in production efficiencies, ease of supply chain procurement, etc.), our association established a Collaborative Manufacturing Network.

Below are photos of a sample part that was collaboratively manufactured from difficult-to-cut alloys by five of our leading SMEs. Numerous other SMEs in the Hiroshima region also possess this hi-tech collaborative manufacturing capability.

Therefore if any of our SME's technologies are of interest to you, please don't hesitate to enquire further with us.

