

AAIS Updates: 10 September 2020



Enhanced Skills Training Programme for Aerospace

SkillsFuture Singapore (SSG) and the Economic Development Board (EDB) have jointly announced an enhanced training and support package to help aerospace companies defray business costs and upskill workers. This initiative is part of the Stabilisation and Support Package announced by DPM Heng during Budget 2020. It will enable aerospace companies to benefit from additional funding for training.

From 1 Sep to 31 Dec 2020, SSG will provide enhanced training support to help companies in the aerospace sector upskill their workers. Employers in these sectors who send their workers for selected sector-specific training programmes will receive: (i) Enhanced Absentee Payroll (AP) at 90% of hourly basic salary capped at \$10 per hour and (ii) Enhanced course fee support at up to 90% of course fees, up from a baseline rate of 50%.



**Minister Chan Chun Sing's visit to
Singapore Aero Engine Services
Private Limited (SAESL)**

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**Over 13,000 training places with
higher subsidies for workers in
hard-hit aerospace sector**

The Straits Times

[More on ETSP \(SSG\)](#)

Launch of Singapore Aviation Accelerator

Global aerospace and defense accelerator, Starburst, has announced the launch of the Singapore Aviation Accelerator (SAA) on 2 September 2020. The SAA will champion technology and innovation in Singapore and strengthen opportunities for future innovation, disruption, and partnerships relating to new aviation technologies. The programme is supported by Enterprise Singapore, Singapore Airlines, SATS and Panasonic Avionics Corporation, with mentorship support from community partners including AAIS, Microsoft, Cocoon Capital and HFW.

Ten selected startups will be offered an opportunity to participate in an intensive 13-week programme to address five unique problem statements provided by the corporate partners, such as improving traveler confidence post-COVID, enhancing passenger experience, sustainability technology for the industry and more. Participation requires no equity commitment and will offer startups access to potential venture funding, top-tier mentorship from experts in the aerospace sector, support from Singapore Government regulators, and access to the Asian Venture Capital ecosystem.

[More on SAA \(Starburst\)](#)

SGUnited Skills Advanced Manufacturing Programme

The SGUnited Skills Programme has been introduced by SkillsFuture Singapore to help job seekers impacted by COVID-19 acquire industry-relevant skills. As part of the programme, job seekers can participate in certifiable courses delivered by Continuing Education and Training (CET) Centres, including Institutes of Higher Learning. To facilitate transition to employment as and when job opportunities are present, the SGUnited Skills programme will be conducted in a modular format.

AAIS is an official Industry Partner of SIM-SGUnited Skills Advanced Manufacturing Programme. This train & place programme is open to all mid-career job seekers, and has the following benefits:

- Monthly training allowance of \$1,200
- 120-hour attachment project with leading industry players
- Professional career coaching by SIM
- Job placement facilitation at the end of the programme

Sign up for SIM's **Preview Talk** to learn more.

[More on SGUS \(SSG\)](#)

Impact of COVID-19 on Aviation, Aerospace & Recovery

In this webinar organised by AAIS on 27 August 2020, veteran aviation expert, Mr David Stewart, Partner at Oliver Wyman, shared the latest analysis on the performance of the aviation industry, with reference to the latest statistics on fleet and MRO spend, aircraft retirements and new production rates. Mr Stewart also discussed the impact of the slowdown and its implications on the aerospace aftermarket and its supply chain. He also presented analysis and projections on the trajectory for recovery.


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UPCOMING INDUSTRY ACTIVITIES



AAIS Virtual Networking Session (For Members & UAS Community)

Join Us for our first Virtual Networking!

 Sep 17, 2020
(4 PM - 5:30 PM)

AAIS warmly invites members and the SG UAS Community to our First Virtual Networking Session! Grab a drink and reconnect with the aerospace community from the comfort and safety of your home or office. Listen in to a special presentation on "The Agile Approach in COVID-19 times" by Regina Chua, Managing Partner at DD Consulting.

Join us for an exciting, new experience!


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MRO Asia-Pacific Virtual

Overcoming Unprecedented Change and the Challenge of What Lies Ahead

 Sep 22 - 24, 2020

Aviation Week's annual MRO Asia-Pacific exhibition and conference is going virtual this year! To be held from 22 to 24 September, the theme for this year's event is "Overcoming Unprecedented Change and the Challenge of What Lies Ahead". Visit the virtual exhibition booths and participate in the conference to discover new products and innovations, connect with and source new and existing business partners, and share knowledge and best practices.

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[Register](#)



AAIS 18th Annual General Meeting

In view of the ongoing pandemic, the 18th Annual General Meeting for the Association of Aerospace Industries (Singapore) will be held by electronic means on 29 October 2020 at 10.30am. We will adopt the measures set forth in the COVID 19 (Temporary Measures) (Alternative Arrangements for Meetings for Registered Societies) Order 2020. Official notice and relevant papers will be disseminated to Main and Alternate Reps of member companies by end September. Please save the date.

AS 9100:2016 Internal Auditor Course

Date: 22 & 23 October 2020

Type: Classroom Training

The industry has moved towards requiring subcontractors and suppliers to be AS 9100 compliant and/or certified. By being certified and conforming to the standard, suppliers can gain a competitive advantage and benefit from the improved processes and continuous improvement that is the foundation of ISO 9001 certified Quality Management Systems. Gain a comprehensive understanding on the audit process and the skills to undertake effective audits within your organisation.

[Find Out More](#)

Singapore Airworthiness Requirements (SAR) Part 21

Date: 26 & 27 October 2020

Type: Classroom Training

This course will discuss, in general terms, the legal and regulatory system as defined in Civil Aviation Authority of Singapore (CAAS) Singapore Airworthiness Requirements (SAR) Part 21. It will address the CAAS Design and Production approval process and under which conditions a Supplemental Type Certificate and an Singapore Technical Standard Order is to be issued by CAAS. The classification of changes and repairs, and respective approving organisations will be explained.

[Find Out More](#)

Fundamentals of AQMS (Aero Quality Management System)

Date: 26 to 28 October 2020

Type: Classroom Training

This course provides an introduction to the AQMS with reference to aviation regulations and aerospace customer requirements and expectations. Best practices in the aerospace industries will be discussed and extracted, and practical implementation for a quality management system explored. Find out about improving and creating an effective Quality Management System addressing Quality Escapes, Human Factors, Risks and Quality Costs.

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Certified Quality Engineer for Aerospace (CQEA)

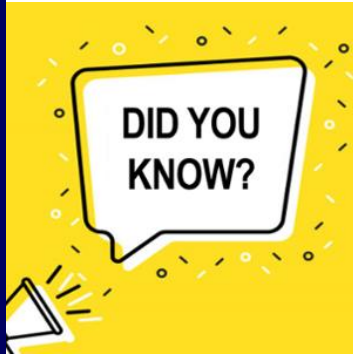
Date: From 3 November 2020

Type: Classroom Training

This course aims to equip participants with a complete set of tools and techniques for control and improvement of product quality, reliability and safety. It covers aspects pertaining to the implementation of an effective quality control system as well as experimental design for investigation and quality improvement. The course also covers management planning, inspection and testing to achieve reliable and safe products to customer specifications.

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