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***Distinguished Lecture Series, AIAA and SHPE Present...***



**Chester Kennedy**

**Vice President and Chief Engineer, Training and Logistics Solutions  
Mission Systems and Training  
Lockheed Martin Corporation**

**Tuesday, September 17th, 6:30pm**

**Location: Harris Engineering Center, Room 101**

***Lockheed Martin's First Century of Innovation and  
Preparing for the Next 100 Years***

Chester N. Kennedy is Vice President and Chief Engineer of Training and Logistics Solutions at Lockheed Martin Mission Systems and Training. He is responsible for program technical excellence through the maintenance and development of engineering practices and procedures, the staffing of all program efforts, and independent audit and risk analysis.

The 1,400 engineers that Mr. Kennedy leads are responsible for developing and fielding a wide variety of products, including support equipment, flight and ground simulators, training curriculums, automated test equipment and some of the most sophisticated integrated logistics solutions in the world.

Mr. Kennedy has more than 30 years of experience in the aerospace and commercial electronics industries. He holds a Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering from the University of Tennessee and a Master's Degree in Business Administration from Florida Institute of Technology.

He is an Associate Fellow of the American Institute of Aeronautics Astronautics and is the Martin Federal Credit Union's Board of Directors Vice Chairman. He serves on Industry Advisory Boards for the University of Central Florida and the University of Florida.

In 2003, Mr. Kennedy was elected to the board of trustees for the National Science & Technology Education Partnership. He served by appointment of the Secretary of the Navy on the Naval Research Advisory Council, which focused on the Navy's aging aircraft panel. He also serves on the Florida Region's For Inspiration and Recognition of Science and Technology executive board.

**Key Messages Include:**

- 100 Years of Accelerating Tomorrow
- Helping customers rise to the challenge of tomorrow
- Ensuring breakthrough performance, game-changing innovations and an unwavering sense of purpose
- Taking on the challenges of the next 100 years

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