



# AIAA

## American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics Dayton-Cincinnati Section

**Lunch 'n' Learn  
Friday 9 Dec 2011**

**“How to Write a Journal Article – Views  
from the Editor”**

**Guest Speaker:**

**Dr Tom Weeks, Editor: AIAA  
Journal of Aircraft**



Dr Tom Weeks will discuss his time as a journal editor for one of AIAA's prestigious journals. He will discuss issues concerning being a journal editor as well as tell some stories along the path of 35 years of journal editorship. Tom will provide some discussion and insight into what he and his Associate Editors look for in a journal quality paper. This unique opportunity looking behind the scenes of the publishing process should not be missed by authors of any age or research area. Tom will also be joined by Dr. Michael Bragg, current VP of Publications for AIAA. Dr Bragg will speak briefly on the AIAA publications process from his perspective. Michael will then serve as emcee for the award ceremony for Tom Weeks honoring his service to AIAA for 35 years as Editor-in-Chief of the Journal of Aircraft.

Dr Tom Weeks received his Ph.D. in Aerospace Engineering from Syracuse University in 1965. He served from 1965 until 1995 as an Aerospace Engineer in what is now the Air Force Research Laboratory's Air Vehicles Directorate. He served as both a manager and branch chief within the Aeromechanics Division and the Integration Division. He has since worked at both Ball Aerospace and United Technology Corporation as a consultant currently supporting the Alternative Fuels Certification Office. He is an AIAA Associate Fellow and is currently being honored as the Editor-in-Chief of AIAA's Journal of Aircraft.

**Time: 11:45 am**

**Location:**

**China Garden Buffet**  
112 Woodman Dr.  
Dayton, OH 45431

**Lunch:**

**You will be able to  
purchase the buffet**

