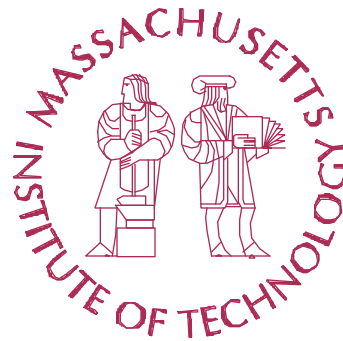


# **Lean Aerospace Initiative Plenary Workshop**

## **Workshop Wrap-up**



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## ***LAI happenings in Phase II***

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- **Midway point of Phase II**
- **Space Sector added with new memberships**
  - Name changed to Lean Aerospace Initiative
  - Integration of space sector into LAI focus teams and IPTs
- **New Test and Space Operations focus team started**
- **3 Implementation Workshops**
- **Web LEM developed and released**
  - Easier to access, use, maintain and link to other sources
- **Briefings to policy makers**
- **Articles in national media**
- **Lean Sustainment Initiative started with help of LAI**
- **PLUS new research results, site visits, workshops...!!**



## ***What's Coming for the remainder of Phase II?***

- **LEM 2.0 - Web based with enhanced features**
  - Data sheets to be added on a continual basis
- **LEM Transition module - “How to Implement Lean”**
- **3 Implementation Workshops**
  - August 98 topic identified as “Flow Manufacturing”
- **3 Plenary Workshops**
  - 14-15 October at the Cambridge Hyatt Regency Hotel
- **Possible collaboration with two European programs**
- **PLUS....**
  - New research findings and products
  - Publications and communication products
  - Site Visits
  - Recommendations and briefings to policy makers



## *What is your role in Phase II?*

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- **Participation**
  - Join a focus team or IPT and get involved in activities
  - Attend LAI workshops
- **Communication**
  - Tell the LAI story within your organization
  - Talk about benefits of lean
- **Implementation**
  - Translate findings into action
- **Reflection**
  - Give us your ideas and suggestions to improve LAI

**LAI IS YOUR INITIATIVE**