



Aerospace in Washington: It's more than Boeing

- Washington's aerospace industry includes approximately 650 companies located in 28 counties. They manufacture aerospace parts, tools, composites, and do design, subassembly and repairs.
- 209,000 direct and indirect jobs are supported by aerospace companies.
- Approximately \$5.4 billion is paid in annual wages to aerospace workers – five percent of all wages paid in the state.
- Aerospace workers earn an average of more than \$50,000 a year – 60 percent higher than the average for all private sector industries.
- Most aerospace companies are relatively small businesses -- many with five to 50 employees.
- The Seattle metropolitan statistical area (which includes Everett, Bellevue and Renton) has the highest concentration of aerospace jobs in the world.

Spotlight on Washington aerospace companies: It's more than Boeing

D3 Technologies is a national engineering firm with 165 highly skilled employees in **Mukilteo** provides services to more than 60 aerospace companies around the world.

From its offices on **Seattle's** Capitol Hill, mechanical engineering firm Barani Design creates everything from race cars to Dreamliner cockpits.

Founded in 1987, Precision Aerospace & Composites is a composite panel and plaster duct manufacturer located in 100,000 square feet of manufacturing space in **Sumner**. The company is celebrating 40 years of providing tooling and composite services to the aerospace industry.

Tukwila's TTF Aerospace designs, fabricates and certifies aircraft interior products – like crew rest quarters – for all types of aircraft with a highly experienced group of 40 design engineers and mechanics.

Paine Electronics is a nearly 60-year-old company based in East Wenatchee that manufactures custom pressure transducers, transmitters, temperature probes and associated electronics for the aerospace industry.

In the Klickitat County community of Bingen, **Innovative Composite Engineering** produces ballistic shields, compression struts, high altitude telescope primary structures, UAV primary flight structures, camera mounts, cooling tubes, space shuttle actuator mounts and other aerospace components.

Primus International, headquartered in Bellevue and with facilities in Auburn, Bothell and Woodinville, produces structural components, kits and assemblies in aerospace companies throughout the world.