



OHIO CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Midwest Aerospace and Defense Summit

Butler Tech Aviation Center

1902 Germantown Rd., Middletown, OH 45042

August 6

8:30 – 9:30AM - Check-in

9:30 - 9:40AM – Welcome & Opening Remarks

9:40 – 10:00AM - Opening Keynote

10:00 – 10:30AM – Federal Legislative Update

10:30 – 11:30AM – Defense Primes: Ohio’s role in America’s Arsenal – Aircraft Hangar

11:30AM – 11:45AM – Tomorrow’s Workforce - Butler Tech students

11:45AM - 12:15PM – Networking Lunch (boxed lunches)

12:15 – 1:00PM Breakout Session 1

- **Defense (Aircraft Hangar):** *Beyond Convention: Asymmetric Warfare*
- **General Aviation (Aviation Center):** *Fleet Ops, Safety, and Airport Modernization*

1:00 - 1:45PM - Breakout Session 2

- **Defense (Aircraft Hangar):** Expanding the U.S. Defense Industrial Base: Ohio’s Role
- **General Aviation (Aviation Center):** Advanced Air Mobility

1:45 – 2:30PM - Breakout Session 3

- **Defense (Aircraft Hangar):** Scalable Air Defense for Critical Infrastructure and Assets
- **General Aviation (Aviation Center):** The Future of GA Airports: MRO Expansion, Hangars & Economic Growth

2:30 - 3:15PM - Breakout Session 4

- **Defense (Aircraft Hangar):** *Workforce, Clearance Pipelines & Vet Talent*
- **General Aviation (Aviation Center):** Recruiting and Training Aviation’s Workforce

3:15 – 4:00PM – Ohio Aerospace Legislative Update

4:00 – 4:20 PM – JobsOhio Update

4:20 - 4:40PM - Closing Keynote Speaker