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Research & Education in Aircraft Design

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Since 1994 (Warsaw, Poland), every second year, the seminar has been organized as a general forum for exchange of information about progress in aerospace engineering research. The unique character of the seminar is given by its focus also on aircraft engineering education and inclusion of juried student session. Over the years, the seminar has travelled from Warsaw (Poland), through Vilnius (Lithuania), Riga (Latvia) to Tallinn (Estonia), Brno (Czech Republic), Rzeszów, and Warsaw again.

This time "READ" traveled further to the south of Europe and landed in Sicily, hosted by Kore University of Enna from 20 to 22 May, 2026.

The seminar will take place at the M.A.R.T.A. Research Center (Mediterranean Aeronautics Research & Training Academy).

The MARTA Center is located in the new teaching and scientific center of the Faculty of Engineering and Architecture located in the scientific and technological center of Santa Panasia, Enna. The Center hosts the teaching and research activities of the Degree Course in Aerospace Engineering and is the first laboratory in Europe equipped with flight simulators for research activities on the Aeronautical Human Factor.

Inside the MARTA center there is a Full Motion level "D" flight simulator that replicates the CESSNA Citation C560 XLS aircraft and a static FNPT- MCC II simulator of the EC-135 twin-engine rotary wing aircraft. The Center's facilities also include classrooms and teacher offices for the Aerospace Engineering degree course and the four reference laboratories for the course: LIMA laboratory – Aerospace Mechanical Engineering Laboratory, HFA laboratory – Aeronautical Human Factor, MAN laboratory – Modeling and Numerical Analysis, materials laboratory.

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The conference topics includes, but are not limited to:

- AIRCRAFT STRUCTURES AND PROPULSION
- AIRCRAFT DESIGN
- MATERIALS IN AEROSPACE ENGINEERING
- AERODYNAMICS AND FLIGHT DYNAMICS
- AIRCRAFT SYSTEMS, SUBSYSTEMS AND EQUIPMENT
- AIRCRAFT MAINTENANCE
- AIRCRAFT PROPULSION AND ENERGY
- AIRCRAFT OPERATIONS AND TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT
- AEROSPACE EDUCATION
- AVIATION DEVELOPMENT
- SAFETY AND SECURITY IN AVIATION
- GREEN AVIATION
- UNMANNED AERIAL SYSTEMS
- HUMAN CENTERED DESIGN

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TIMELINE FOR AUTHORS

- Upload your abstracts on <https://www.read2026.com> until 20 February 2026
- Authors receive an answer by 15 March 2026
- Upload your full paper prior to 15 April 2026
- Register to the Congress prior to 5 May 2026

The extended abstracts, 4 to 5 pages in length, will be indexed In Scopus.

Important notices:

Details on preparation of the Extended Abstracts and Registration:

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