



MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

BETWEEN

THE CANADIAN AERONAUTICS AND SPACE INSTITUTE

350 Terry Fox Drive, Suite 104

Kanata, Ontario K2K 2W5

(hereinafter called CASI)

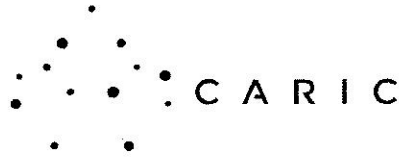
AND

THE CONSORTIUM FOR AEROSPACE RESEARCH AND INNOVATION IN CANADA

740 Notre-Dame West, office 1515

Montreal, Quebec, H3X 3X6

(hereinafter called CARIC)



1. BACKGROUND

The Canadian Aeronautics and Space Institute (CASI) is a non-profit professional scientific and technical organization devoted to the advancement of the art, science and engineering of aeronautics, astronautics, and associated technologies in Canada. It provides a focus for communications and networking among the aeronautics and space community in Canada, and assists members in developing skills, exchanging information, and sharing talents in their areas of interest.

CASI promotes Canadian competence and international competitiveness in aeronautics and space and their applications, and fosters national pride and international esteem for Canada's accomplishments in these areas. Members of the Institute are served by branches across Canada, some hosted by universities and colleges.

The Consortium for Aerospace Research and Innovation in Canada (CARIC) is a non-profit organization that was created in 2014 with the federal government's financial support. CARIC's mission is to generate and foster dialogue and collaboration between players in the aerospace industry. CARIC also provides financial support to launch R&D projects in partnership with these players.

2. PURPOSE

CASI and CARIC have agreed to establish this Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between them to increase visibility and better serve the common interests and welfare of their respective memberships.

3. SCOPE

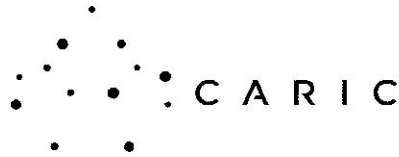
This MOU covers the activities of CASI, as a recognized professional representative of the aeronautics, space and remote sensing communities in Canada, and the activities of CARIC, as a recognized professional representative of the aerospace R&D community in Canada. Both organizations and their members will work reciprocally on activities whenever appropriate.

4. AIMS

- a) Continuously examine and collaborate on ways in which information can be exchanged between both organizations.
- b) Cross promote CASI and CARIC activities in newsletters and other communication tools such as websites, social media and/or promotional material
- c) Publish CASI and CARIC projects or outcomes in communication tools and/or promotional material
- d) Strengthen relationships between CASI branches in Canada (mainly in Quebec and Ontario) and CARIC's regional offices.
- e) Explore mutual visibility in annual conferences.
- f) Hold CARIC-CASI biannual meetings.
- g) Explore the participation of a CARIC or CASI representative in paper evaluation committees and conference organizing committees.

5. IMPLEMENTATION

This MOU will enter into force upon the approval of the appropriate governing bodies of both organizations as evidenced by the signatures of the authorized officers thereof.



All formal correspondence between organizations will be directed to the President of CASI, 350 Terry Fox Drive, Suite 104, Kanata, Ontario K2K 2W5, and to the President & CEO of CARIC, 740 Notre-Dame West, office 1515, Montreal, Quebec, H3X 3X6.

The implementation of this MOU, or any supplemental agreements or work plans, will be made in accordance with the articles of this MOU and shall be agreed upon and entered into by the appropriate governing bodies of both organizations.

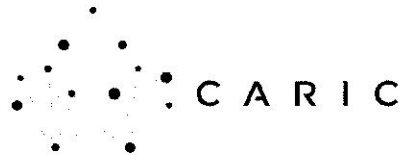
Amendments to this MOU may be made at any time, but must be confirmed in writing by both organizations.

President
CASI

President & CEO
CARIC

Date

Date



ADDENDUM

This addendum is meant to specify the aforementioned aims in this document.

1. Cross promote CASI and CARIC activities in newsletters and other communication tools such as websites, social media and/or promotional material.

As an example, CARIC has recently:

Promoted CASI's first webinar series (Feb. 21st) in social media;

Promoted the AERO 2017 conference;

Encouraged abstracts and poster submittal for AERO 2017;

Participated in the AERO 2017 organization committee meetings;

Will participate in one AERO 2017 panel.

2. Strengthen relationships between CASI branches in Canada (mainly in Quebec and Ontario) and CARIC's regional offices.

For instance, collaborate in regional outreach activities such as CARIC workshops.

3. Explore mutual visibility in annual conferences.

Hold a CASI workshop in each CARIC forum or hold a CARIC activity in CASI's annual conference (AERO and ASTRO)