

# The Aerospace & Defense Forum



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## "The Future of the Wide Body"

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Executive Editor, Commercial Aviation  
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Joint Meeting of the Santa Clarita Valley  
and San Fernando Valley Chapters

Thursday, July 15, 2021

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Some analysts say it will be a very long time (if ever) before the wide body returns to its production volume of the past. The airlines have an increased interest in using single aisle aircraft for even international flights. Yet at least one major airline has said that it still considers wide bodies a major part of its fleet.

What is the likely future of the wide body.? Come and hear from Jens Flottau, the Aviation Week expert on wide bodies.

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### **Presenter**



Based in Frankfurt, Germany, **Jens Flottau** leads Aviation Week's global commercial coverage. He covers program updates and

developments at Airbus, and as a frequent long-haul traveler, he often writes in-depth airline profiles worldwide.

He started his journalism career in 1992 as a freelance writer for Sueddeutsche Zeitung, Germany's largest daily national newspaper and soon specialised in air

to other attendees. This is a replacement for copying and distributing business cards at chapter meetings.

- For this meeting, we will not be doing individual elevator speech introductions.

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transport. Jens joined Aviation Week and Aviation Daily in 2000 as one of the European correspondents. Later his role was expanded to cover international air transport. In 2013 he was named Managing Editor Commercial.

Jens frequently appears on radio and TV to comment on industry matters. In 2003, he received the Hugo Junkers Award of the German aviation press for his coverage of Fairchild Dornier's bankruptcy. He was named the country's top travel and air transport writer by the Travel Industry Club three times. Jens graduated from the Munich School of Journalism.

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