

Agenda for TTT-RCA High-Fidelity CFD Workshop, May 20-22, 2025
Lockheed-Martin Center for Innovation (The Lighthouse)
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RCA Technical Challenge Statement: Develop and demonstrate computationally efficient, eddy-resolving modeling tools that predict maximum lift coefficient for transport aircraft with the same accuracy as certification flight tests.

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| 20-May | | | Day 1 | | |
| | | 7.15am | Registration | | |
| | | 8.00am | Welcome: Jill Prince, Director, Research Directorate (NASA LaRC) | | |
| | | | Session 1: Chaired by Dr. David Lockard (NASA LaRC) | | |
| | 1 | 8.30am | Overview of RCA research portfolio: Progress toward the Technical Challenge | Mujeeb Malik/LaRC | 45 |
| | 2 | 9.15am | Large-eddy simulation of high-lift common research model including grid-resolution and wind-tunnel effects | Parviz Moin/Stanford U | 45 |
| | 3 | 10.00am | CRM high-lift simulations using FUN3D | Li Wang/LaRC | 30 |
| | | 10.30am | Break | | 20 |
| | 4 | 10.50am | CRM high-lift simulations using LAVA | Emre Sozer/ARC | 30 |
| | 5 | 11.20am | Wall-modelled large eddy simulations of CRM-HL configuration in NTF | Cetin Kiris/Volcano Platforms, Inc. | 30 |
| | 6 | 11.50am | CFD at the Edges of the Envelop (Invited) | Robert Gregg-III/Boeing | 30 |
| | | 12.20pm | Group Photo + Lunch | | 70 |
| | | | Session 2: Chaired by Dr. Robert Baurle (AFRL) | | |
| | 7 | 1.30pm | Chasing the CFD Vision 2030 Exascale Milestone | Eric Nielsen/NASA LaRC | 20 |
| | 8 | 1.50pm | Towards grid-adaptation in wall-modeled large-eddy simulations of realistic aerospace flows | Johan Larsson/U Maryland | 20 |
| | 9 | 2.10pm | Scale-resolving turbulence simulations through adaptive high-order discretizations and data-enabled model refinements | Chris Fidkowski/U Michigan | 20 |
| | 10 | 2.30pm | High-fidelity simulations in support of analysis and design of aircraft engines (Invited) | Stephan Priebe/GE | 25 |
| | | 2.55pm | Break | | 20 |
| | 11 | 3.15pm | Outlook for direct/wall-resolved numerical simulations of transitional transonic, supersonic and hypersonic flows (Invited) | Neil Sandham/U Southampton | 25 |
| | 12 | 3.40pm | DNS and hybrid RANS/LES of canonical configurations | Ali Uzun/LaRC (AMA) | 20 |
| | 13 | 4.00pm | WMLES of the Boeing speed bump | Prahladh Iyer/LaRC (AMA) | 20 |
| | 14 | 4.20pm | Advances in subgrid-scale and wall modeling for large-eddy simulations of complex, separating flows | Rahul Agrawal/Stanford U | 20 |
| | 15 | 4.40pm | Enabling industrially relevant high-fidelity CFD and AI surrogate models for external aerodynamics (Invited) | Neil Ashton/Nvidia | 25 |
| | | 5.05pm | End of Day 1 | | |
| | | 6.30 PM | [no host] Group Dinner | | |
| 21-May | | 7.30am | Start of Day 2 | | |
| | | | Session 3: Chaired by Professor Z J Wang (University of Kansas) | | |
| | 16 | 8.00am | For What the Bell Tolls: Computational efficiency through tuned approximation (Invited) | David Keyes/KAUST | 30 |
| | 17 | 8.30am | Glenn flux reconstruction (GFR) development | Seth Spiegel/GRC | 25 |
| | 18 | 8.55am | Stabilized finite-elements in FUN3D | Kyle Anderson/LaRC | 25 |
| | 19 | 9.20am | Entropy-stable numerical schemes | Mark Carpenter/LaRC | 25 |
| | 20 | 9.45am | Advancements in solver technology | Boris Diskin/LaRC | 25 |
| | | 10.10am | Break | | 20 |
| | 21 | 10.30am | Matrix and tensor reduced-order modeling for accelerating high-fidelity CFD simulations | Hessam Babae/U Pittsburg | 30 |
| | 22 | 11.00am | Uncertainty quantification – QUEST | Marian Nemec/ARC | 25 |
| | 23 | 11.25am | Advances in multi-fidelity uncertainty quantification to support certification by analysis in the separated-flow regime | Alex Gorodetsky/U Michigan | 25 |
| | 24 | 11.50pm | Quantum-ready and quantum-inspired CFD | Peyman Givi/U Pittsburg | 25 |
| | | 12.15pm | Lunch | | 55 |
| | | | Session 4: Chaired by Dr. Cornelia Grabe (DLR) | | |
| | 25 | 1.10pm | Integrated boundary-layer transition prediction | Meelan Choudhari/LaRC | 30 |
| | 26 | 1.40pm | Building-block flow model: An ML-based general-purpose closure model for large-eddy simulation (Invited) | Adrian Lozano-Duran/CalTech | 30 |

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| 27 | 2.10pm | Toward a generalizable RANS model for separation using field inversion and machine learning | Gary Coleman/LaRC | 20 |
| 28 | 2.30pm | An efficient data-driven approach for assessment and selection of Reynolds-stress-equation closure models | Ali Mani/Stanford U | 20 |
| | 2.50pm | Break | | 20 |
| 29 | 3.10pm | Developments in automation of overset structured mesh generation | William Chan/ARC | 20 |
| 30 | 3.30pm | Toward adaptive mixed-element unstructured grids for simulations of viscous flows | Gabe Nastac/LaRC | 20 |
| 31 | 3.50am | Development of Voronoi grid capability for WMLES | Victor Sousa/ARC | 20 |
| 32 | 4.10pm | Dynamic AMR for WMLES of complex configurations | Dimitri Mavriplis/Scientific Simulations | 20 |
| 33 | 4.30pm | Fully automated large-eddy simulation of JAXA standard model and Mitsubishi SpaceJet high-lift configurations (Invited) | Soshi Kawaii/Tohoku U | 20 |
| 34 | 4.500pm | JAXA's CFD and modeling efforts for off-design conditions (Invited) | Hiroyuki Abe/JAXA | 20 |
| | 5.10pm | End of Day 2 | | |

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| | 7.30am | Start of Day 3 | | |
| | | Session 5: Chaired by Professor Karthik Duraisamy (University of Michigan) | | |
| 35 | 8.00am | BeVERLI - The experiment, the challenge, and community engagement | Chris Roy/VA Tech | 20 |
| 36 | 8.20am | CRM-HL Ecosystem | Adam Clark/Boeing | 20 |
| 37 | 8.40am | NTF experiments on the CRM-HL configuration | Courtney Winski/LaRC | 20 |
| 38 | 9.00am | High-lift flow physics experiment | Dan Neuhart/LaRC | 20 |
| 39 | 9.20am | The THX experiments | Nick Georgiadis/GRC | 20 |
| 40 | 9.40am | Shock/boundary-layer interaction experiments | Heath Reising/GRC | 20 |
| | 10.00am | Break | | 20 |
| 41 | 10.20am | Transition experiments | Jenna Eppink/LaRC | 20 |
| 42 | 10.40am | Aeroelastic analysis with FUN3D | Kevin Jacobson/LaRC | 20 |
| 43 | 11.00am | Buffet onset prediction with FUN3D | Emmett Padaway/LaRC | 20 |
| 44 | 11.20pm | Transonic buffet prediction in LAVA | Jared Duensing/ARC | 20 |
| 45 | 11.40am | Towards GPU-enabled structural analysis tools for aeroelastic certification by analysis | Graeme Kennedy/GA Tech | 20 |
| | 12.00pm | Lunch | | 60 |
| | | | Moderated by Jeff Slotnick and Chris Rumsey | |
| | 1.00pm | Group Discussion: The discussion will be focused on three questions given below. 1. What capabilities have been developed and established for accurately predicting aircraft CLmax, and what are the remaining gaps in our capabilities and understanding? 2. What should be the target application for future CFD developments (the new NASA Revolutionary Computational Aerosciences Technical Challenge) to further advance computational capabilities and why? 3. What are the key emerging technologies that will likely influence the success of the new Technical Challenge? How should the CFD community explore, develop, and deploy these technologies? We will use the following process for the discussion: The attendees will be divided into three groups, led by Johan Larsson, Dmitri Mavriplis, and Neil Ashton, each of which will address the above three questions. After about an hour of discussion, and a short break, we will meet back as a single group, and each Leader will report out. One question will be addressed at a time, and we will try to reach broad consensus on each of the three questions. | | |
| | 5.00pm | End of Workshop | | |