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**Deadline to apply:
31 March 2012**

13th CVA Summer School from 1 to 27 July 2012 In French Air Force Academy in Salon de Provence (south of France)

Dear CVA Members,

We are pleased to announce that the 13th CVA Summer School will be hosted from the 1st to 27 July 2012 by The French Air Force Academy in Salon de Provence. This programme will be performed with the cooperation of the City of Salon de Provence and will include tours of firms in the Provence-Alpes-Côte d'Azur and Toulouse regions (such as Eurocopter, ONERA, Dassault, CEV, CNES, Telespazio, Cité de l'Espace, Astrium, SME)

Item

The topic selected for this year is “**Space Transportation, Human Space Flight**” including a team project on “Human Space Flight: current, close and far future missions”.

Requirements

For agreed reasons, the maximum size of the class is open up to **40** participants (engineering students or young professionals of aerospace industry) complying with the following criteria:

- having completed at least the third year in engineering studies in June 2012
- able to follow lectures and carry out team work in English
- recommended by their university professor or their employer

The following quotas are set in principle (although each member may propose additional candidates on a waiting list):

• Belgium (Liège)	up to	2
• France (Bordeaux, Evry, Mulhouse, SdProvence, Toulouse, Mulhouse, La Cape)		10
• Germany (Augsburg, Bremen, Heilbronn)		6
• Italy (Colleferro, Roma)		4
• Spain (Barcelona/Terrassa, Madrid)		6
• Employees of CVA industrial members:	up to	10
• <u>Non CVA members (e.g. Euroavia):</u>	up to	2

Total: limited to 40

How to apply

Applications should be collected by professor or employer and sent (preferably in a “priority order” to help in selection procedure) to Ms. Magali Foulet via e-mail cva@ariane-cities.com and should include, (*all in English language*):

- a letter of motivation
- a CV
- an official letter of recommendation from a professor (for student candidates) or employer (for young professionals).

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Acceptance notification

CVA Committee will reply and tell if the candidate has been accepted (or not) by mid May 2012 to all applicants having submitted their application on due time.

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Participation fees:

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| • Students currently enrolled in a university of a CVA member city: | 200 € |
| • CVA industry employees: | 500 € |
| • Euroavia members | 500 € |
| • Non CVA members: | 1 000 € |

Lodging

Fees includes lodging in situ (in French Air Force Academy' premises), 2 persons per room.

Meals

Participants will be allowed to get access to The French Air Force Academy' cafeteria (meals at low rate)

Nota

Fees include lectures, activities and visits link to the programme but do not include trip from your place of departure to the City of Salon de Provence (one way and back).

Alumni Gathering

For your information, the 6th CVA alumni gathering will be held on 23 and 24 July 2012 and will provide an interesting opportunity for this year's students to network with participants of former CVA programmes. The alumni' gathering programme includes the visit of Dassault and CEV Istres

We would be grateful to you if you could help us by conveying the announcement to your respective network (city/industry/university). On this purpose, attached you will find:

- **the poster "call for applications"**
- **the lectures' schedule**

More information and updates (accommodation, map, access, etc) concerning 2012 CVA Summer School will also be available on our website: www.villes-ariane.org very soon.

I remain at your entire disposal, should you need any additional information.
Kind regards.

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