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Above and Beyond brings flight to life at Ingenium Exciting Interactive Exhibit at the Canada Aviation and Space Museum

OTTAWA, ON, September 28th, 2019 – Prepare for lift off with a hands-on journey for people of all ages. Design and test-fly your own supersonic jet. Pilot a drone into the eye of a storm. Soar into orbit for a spectacular 360-degree view of Earth.

It's all happening at the international aviation and aerospace exhibition, *Above and Beyond*. Catch it September 28th, 2019 through January 5th, 2020 at the Canada Aviation and Space Museum, one of three Museums under Ingenium – Canada's Museums of Science and Innovation.

From flying cars and supersonic planes to space elevators and mega-rockets, *Above and Beyond* takes visitors faster, further and higher on a once-in-a-lifetime experience. This ultimate interactive, multisensory flight exhibition uses immersive simulations and augmented reality.

Developed by aviation and aerospace experts, historians, archivists, engineers and designers from places including NASA and the Smithsonian, Above and Beyond is presented by Boeing and made its debut at the Smithsonian in 2015.

Quotes

"Ingenium strives to act as a positive force in inspiring the next generation of leaders, and contribute towards excellence in the STEAM fields in Canada. The aerospace industry plays a key role in connecting the lives of all Canadians, and we're thrilled that the Canada Aviation and Space Museum is hosting an exhibition that will encourage a new generation to make their mark on this fascinating industry."

-Christopher Kitzan, Director General, Canada Aviation and Space Museum

"Sparking an interest in the wonder of aerospace at an early age is a priority for Boeing, and the Above and Beyond exhibition provides future engineers, pilots or astronauts with an interactive glimpse into how they can achieve their dreams and inspire them to pursue careers in science and technology."

-Greg Hyslop, Chief Technology Officer, Boeing

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About the Canada Aviation and Space Museum

One of three museums under <u>Ingenium – Canada's Museums of Science and Innovation</u>, the Canada Aviation and Space Museum is aptly located at Ottawa's historic Rockcliffe Airport, which previously functioned as a former military air base. The museum takes visitors on a journey through Canada's aviation and space history — from the early days of flight to the future of space exploration. Spanning 1909 to the present day, the museum focuses on aviation in Canada within an international context. As Canada's contribution to aviation expanded to include aerospace technology, the museum's collection and mandate grew to include space flight. The collection itself consists of more than 130 aircraft and artifacts (propellers, engines) from both civil and military service. The most extensive aviation collection in Canada, it is also considered one of the finest aviation museums in the world.

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