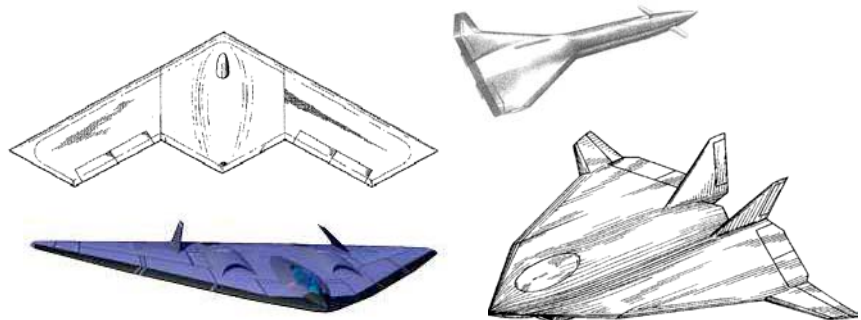


American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics  
 San Fernando Pacific Section  
*Awards Dinner Meeting*  
**Thursday, June 12, 2008**

***“Shadow Craft – A World of Secret Flight”***

***Guest Speaker: Dr. L. Scott Miller, Professor & Chair of Aerospace Engineering and a National Institute for Aviation Research Fellow at Wichita State University (WSU)***

**Dr. L. Scott Miller** will discuss many of the rumors and review publicly available evidence that suggests the existence of secret aircraft projects. For example, what goes on in "Area 51" and what specifically has happened or might now be happening in the secret or "black" world? What new technologies and missions are associated with the rumored planes, where are they built and based, and how many are operational? Is it actually possible to build a visually stealth airplane? Are some of the aircraft unmanned? Does the hypersonic vehicle popularly called "Aurora" really exist? There are obviously many questions, with elusive and interesting answers. The viability of the rumors and evidence will be discussed and some additional ideas will be offered.



Scott received his Ph.D., in Aerospace Engineering, from Texas A&M University in 1988 and began working at WSU the same year. He has been involved in various research projects and, in addition, worked summers at Boeing and NASA Langley Research Center. Active in AIAA, Scott currently serves as the WSU Student Section faculty advisor and the Student Activities Committee Chairman. He has been honored as a Bombardier-Learjet Fellow (1995-98), a Dow Outstanding Young Faculty Award recipient (1994), the AIAA National Faculty Advisor Award recipient (2002), and an AIAA Outstanding Section Chairman (1999). Professional interests include education, experimental aerodynamics, airfoil & aircraft design, rotor aerodynamics, wind energy, and laser velocimetry. In addition, he is a "certified airplane nut."

<b>Location</b>	The Sportsmen’s Lodge Restaurant 4234 Coldwater Canyon Ave. Studio City, California	<b>Directions (from 101 Freeway)</b> Exit at Coldwater Canyon Ave. in Studio City. Go south on Coldwater Canyon to Ventura Blvd. Turn left on Ventura Blvd, then left into the parking lot.
<b>Agenda</b>	Registration-Reception: 5:30 p.m. Dinner: 6:30 p.m. Presentation: 7:30 p.m.	<b>Menu (specify choice of entrée with your reservation)</b> Entrée #1: Lemon Herb Chicken –OR– Entrée #2: Salmon with Dill Sauce Sportsmen’s Salad with Ranch Dressing Vegetable Medley & Roasted Potatoes Cheesecake with Strawberry Sauce
<b>Pricing</b>	\$20 College Students \$25 AIAA Members \$30 Non-Members	
<b>Reservations:</b> e-mail: <a href="mailto:westcoast@aiaa.org">westcoast@aiaa.org</a> Phone: 800-683-2422 <b>RSVP by Monday, June 9, 2008 at 3:00 p.m.</b>		