



# Boeing / AMRO Mentor Protégé

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**Space Launch Systems**  
MPCSC Update

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## Overview - Recap

- AMRO is a valued partner on the SLS program and a highly regarded member of Boeing's overall supply chain.
- **36 Month Agreement**
  - Start: February 10, 2014
  - End: February 9, 2017
- **Key Industrial Enhancements**
  - LEAN Training
  - Business Development
  - NADCAP Certification (Heat-Age)



“Management is about arranging and telling. Leadership is about nurturing and enhancing.”  
Tom Peters

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## **Evolution of Program**

- **Initially designed to enhance crucial areas identified for the SLS program. As the scope has changed, applicability or interest has changed.**
- **Needs analysis currently being performed.**
- **Looking to enhance critical functions for broad application for industry.**

“Unless you try to do something beyond what you have already mastered, you will never grow.”

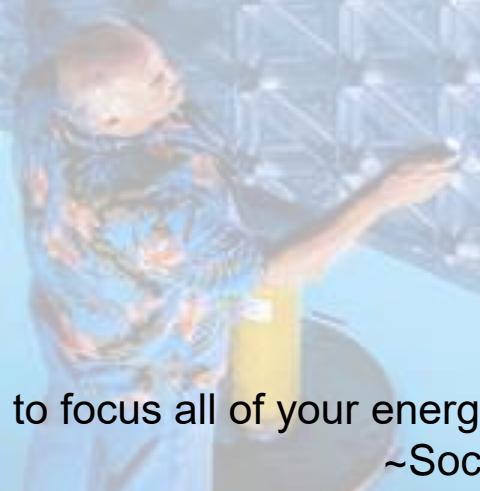
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## **Key Lessons Learned**

- **Identify SME's prior to agreeing to tasks.**
- **Protégé has limited resources.**
- **Flexibility is key in designing lessons. Tailor the program to the protégé, not a “one size fits all.”**
- **Approach change as an experiment to try, not an absolute path forward.**



“The secret of change is to focus all of your energy, not on fighting the old, but on building the new.”

~Socrates

A photograph of a space station's exterior in orbit. The station's white, metallic structure is on the right, featuring a NASA logo. The background shows the Earth's horizon with a blue atmosphere and white clouds, and a small, pale moon in the dark sky above.

**Questions?**