

LAMBERT AIRPORT HISTORY PROJECT

June, 2014 Status Update

1. Memoranda of Understanding regarding participation entered into with Lambert International Airport, Missouri History Museum and the Greater St. Louis Air & Space Museum.
2. Agreement with the Greater St. Louis Air & Space Museum for use of *CITY OF FLIGHT: The History of Aviation in St. Louis*.
3. Publication Agreement entered into with the Missouri History Museum for delivery of a manuscript of 70,000 to 75,000 words by October 1, 2015.
4. Draft Missouri History Museum manuscript materials completed:
 - Albert Bond Lambert and the Dream of Flight: 1900-1920
 - The Genesis of Lambert Airport: 1920-1927
 - A Municipal Airport for the City of St. Louis: 1928-1938
 - Lambert during the Second World War: 1939-1945
5. Other activities completed:
 - Prepared history materials for Lambert Airport web site
 - Prepared interpretative materials for the Missouri History Museum Lindbergh Monocoupe display at Lambert Terminal 1
 - Prepared materials used for history panels at Lambert Terminal 2
 - Provided information in response to requests from Lambert Airport on 1979 visit of Space Shuttle *Enterprise* and other subjects
6. Current and ongoing activities:
 - Conducting historical research and collection of imagery and archival materials
 - Drafting History Museum manuscript materials

Working with Lambert Airport Authority personnel (e.g., Jeff Lea, Bill Korte and Chuck Reitter)

Working with local and national airline, military and general aviation history experts (e.g, Fred Roos, Jon Proctor, David Ostrowski, Nicholas A. Veronico, et al.)

Pursuing contacts with current and former personnel of Lambert Airport, Curtiss-Wright, McDonnell, McDonnell Douglas, Boeing, Remmert-Werner, Sabreliner, Midcoast, etc. (e.g., Leonard Griggs, Richard Hrabko, John Tucker, et al.)

Pursuing contacts with HEC-TV and KETC-TV regarding interviews, possible video productions, etc.

7. Other activities:

Research concerning specific subjects (e.g., manufacturing, military, airline and general aviation activity at Lambert and elsewhere)

Research concerning other St. Louis area airports