

The International Forum of Aeroelasticity and Structural Dynamics (IFASD) will take place this year From June 21 to June 25 at Seattle in the Fairmont Olympic Hotel. All the details may be found in the IFASD2009 official web page: www.ifasd2009.com

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In 1993 started a venue-rotation pattern among CEAS countries and USA:

- 1993. France, organized by AAAF (Strasbourg).
- 1995. UK, organized by RAE (Manchester).
- 1997. Italy, organized by AIDAA (Roma).
- 1999. USA, organized by AIAA & NASA (Williamsburg).
- 2001. Spain, organized by AIAE (Madrid).
- 2003. The Netherlands, organized by NVvL & NLR (Amsterdam).
- 2005. Germany, organized by DGLR (Munich).
- 2007. Sweden, organized by FTF & KTH (Stockholm).
- 2009. USA, to be organized by AIAA & USAF (Seattle).
- 2011. France, to be organized by AAAF, (likely in Paris).