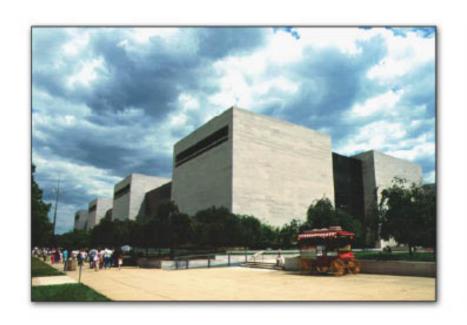
# THE AVIGATION

# From Chronometers to GPS



A major new exhibition at the Smithsonian's National Air and Space Museum

# **National Air and Space Museum**





World's showcase of aerospace technology

7 million visitors per year

Rare opportunity to replace a 5,000 square-foot gallery

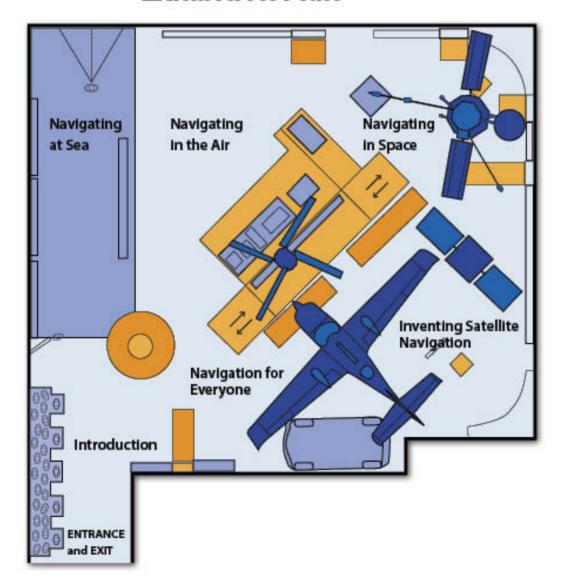
4.6 million website visitors per year

Unique collaboration between two Smithsonian museums:

National Museum of American History and National Air and Space Museum

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### **Exhibition Plan**



#### Introduction

If you want to know where you are, you need an accurate clock.

#### Navigating at Sea

Learn how mariners were lost at sea without clocks.

#### Navigating in the Air

See how aviators adapted maritime techniques and took to the skies.

#### Navigating in Space

Meet the navigators who guide spacecraft across the solar system.

#### Inventing Satellite Navigation

Encounter the inventors who put clocks in satellites to locate points on Earth.

#### **Navigation for Everyone**

Discover the role of time and navigation in your life.



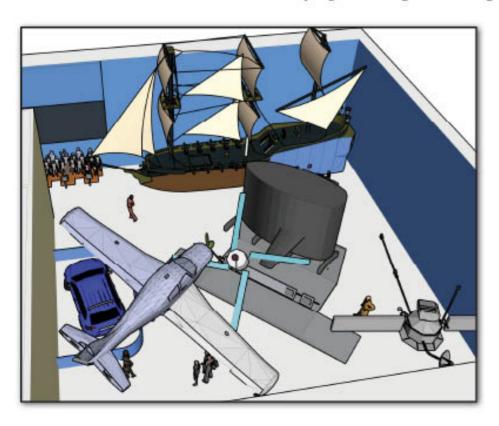
## **Exhibition Highlights**

Unique artifacts and activities will demonstrate three major themes:

If you want to know where you are, you need an accurate clock.

For centuries, nations have invested enormous resources to determine time and place.

Precise timekeeping and navigation change our view of the world.



#### Bird's-Eye View

Highlights include:

A walk-through 19th-century sailing vessel

A submarine navigation center

Navigation satellites

A modern aircraft

A robotic vehicle



### **Schedule and Budget**

#### Schedule

August 2009 Funding commitments in place

2009-2012 Payments made

(Payment schedules will be customized)

Exhibition development and installation; web presence

November 2012 Exhibition opens with private gala and

public celebration

### Budget

\$3.65 million Total budget requirement

\$2.65 million Now committed, from aerospace and

government sources

### Join in this major exhibition



# **Currently Committed Donors**

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**ITT** Corporation

DOT/PNT/NOAA

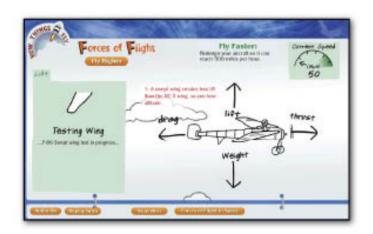
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### **Educational Outreach**

Takes content beyond the gallery walls to enrich classroom and on-line visitor experiences Examples from current exhibitions are shown below.



Online exhibition activities will be featured on the websites of both museums.



Family Day events are free and open to the public.



Educational publications meet national standards.

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# **Educational Programs**



See yourself in a storyline.



Engage with real artifacts...



...and real stories about real people.



Learn more at Discovery Stations.