**Biography**

***NAME:* Christopher Reis, PE**

***TITLE:*Department Manager, Aviation Engineering**

***ORGANIZATION:*Mead & Hunt, Inc.**

Chris is the Wisconsin Aviation Engineering Department Manager for Mead & Hunt, Inc. His FAA and military aviation experience spans 19 years across the United States. He guides many of his department’s aviation projects as the Principal-in-Charge and sees to their quality assurance. He also serves as the client liaison with many airport clients.

Program manager, project manager, and resident project representative are roles he has performed on civilian and military airfield projects. His pavement experience includes the maintenance, repair, rehabilitation, reconstruction and new construction of asphalt and concrete pavements. Designing and constructing runway, taxiway, apron, and NAVAID projects has allowed him to see engineering from both perspectives, which allows him to be a better mentor and technical resource. Supporting terminal building, snow removal equipment building, glycol management system, and electrical vault projects allows him to support the architecture team with his knowledge of the client and the FAA policies and procedures. He is a resource for FAA Advisory Circular and Unified Facilities Criteria design and construction standards and leads companywide engineering roundtable meetings.

Chris has moderated and presented at aviation related webinars and conferences for national and state industry organizations. Running, bicycling, hiking, motorcycling, and volunteering balance out his life.

Chris has a Bachelor of Science in Civil and Environmental Engineering from the University of Wisconsin-Platteville.