Mahesh Kukata, PE

Vice President and Chief Financial Officer
Airport Design Consultants, Inc.

Years of Experience
  Total: 26 Years; Current with ADCI: 14 Years
  With URS/Greiner (Hunt Valley, MD) – 12 Years
Education
  MSE/ 1994/ Civil Engineering/ Arizona State University
  BTech/ 1989/ Civil Engineering/ SV University, India
Licenses/Certifications
  Maryland Professional Engineer (2005) License No. 32405
  Also licensed Virginia and Michigan

Overview

Mr. Kukata is a co-founder of Airport Design Consultants, Inc. (ADCI) and has served as Project Manager on many of ADCI's airport assignments since the company's founding in 2006. Mahesh's role as ADCI Chief Financial Officer (CFO) has ensured the company's financial health and capacity to grow and respond to their clients' needs over the past 15 years. ADCI is headquartered in Ellicott City, MD and employs 60 engineering professionals.

Mahesh has been an Ellicott City, Howard County resident since 2004 and his children are students in the Howard County Public School system. Mahesh's technical and managerial skills, mastery of coordinating and resolving complex issues with key stakeholders at various airports and within the business community, and dedication to improving quality of life in Howard County will make him a valuable partner in accomplishing the Howard County Councilmanic Commission goals and objectives.

Airport Design Consultants, Inc. Experience

Vice President, 2006 - Present

As a co-founder of ADCI in 2006, Mahesh and his business partners started the company with just 5 employees. Through the hard work of Mahesh and the company's leadership, and the culture of quality and responsive service fostered at ADCI, the company has grown to nearly 60 employees and provided professional engineering services to over 45 airports throughout the Mid-Atlantic region and beyond. ADCI has maintained their headquarters in Howard County since the company's inception. Their office in Ellicott City employs over 50 professionals, many of whom are Howard County residents.

Professional Experience Summary

Mahesh has managed dozens of airfield design projects for numerous airports throughout the Mid-Atlantic Region. In this role, he oversees design development, preparation of plans, specifications, and cost estimates, stakeholder coordination, contract management, and quality assurance/quality control. He maintains working relationships with an extensive network of airport stakeholders and design team firms. Mahesh has managed large infrastructure projects at Hagerstown Regional Airport (HGR), Baltimore/Washington International Thurgood Marshall Airport (BWI), Ronald Reagan Washington National Airport (DCA), Washington Dulles International Airport (IAD), Long Island MacArthur Airport (ISP), Yeager Airport (CRW), Columbus International Airport (CMH), and several others.

Projects included major Runway rehabilitations at HGR, CRW, and ISP airports, a multi-year runway safety area improvement program at HGR including runway and taxiway bridges, New North Concourse for American Airlines at DCA, Amazon Cargo Facility at BWI, new Business/First Class Passenger Lounges for Turkish Airlines and Air France at IAD and numerous projects at many airports over the last 26 years.