Preparations are underway for upcoming work on the C Concourse Expansion, with opportunities for construction vendors available now before major construction kicks off in 2023.
The early work is groundbreaking… literally. This early civil and structural foundation work includes drilling and installing supports to reinforce the additional four stories to be built on top of the existing building. Other improvements include synchronizing with the Baggage Optimization Project to keep bags moving to their final destination and relocating offices and back of house storage to make room to start work. Much of this work is being done ahead of time in order to minimize impact to travelers. Major construction is still on schedule to begin next year.

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Read more about C Concourse Expansion →

SEA GATEWAY PROJECT

Changes Coming to Alaska Ticketing

Work is scheduled to begin this summer on a major refresh of SEA’s gateway and Alaska’s pre-security areas such as Ticketing and Bag Claim.

This work will develop unused space and create a modernized experience for Alaska Airlines travelers from check-in to ticketing, security screening to baggage claim. Customer experience upgrades include more efficient kiosks and new technology to help passengers move faster and with less fuss. Alaska’s lighter, brighter welcome will help freshen up SEA’s front door and start the
Seattle-Tacoma International Airport (SEA) is making plans for big improvements to the S Concourse, the airport’s hub for departing international passengers. Since the building’s debut over a half century ago, dramatic increases in passenger volumes and aircraft operations, expanded security regulations, and an evolving airport experience mean that it’s time for an upgrade from the ground up.

International travel is all about broadening our horizons, and the S Concourse Evolution opens more possibilities for travelers, creates more comfort and convenience, and optimizes the behind-the-scenes systems and infrastructure for today’s standards. Get ready for more of what you need, want, and love, with design, amenities, and art focused on your wellbeing and comfort, and Pacific Northwest placemaking with more spaces for restaurants, shops, and lounges that feel like home. Plus, seismic updates and modern building systems for greater operational and environmental efficiencies.
Pop the bottle and raise a glass to the fully open and operational International Arrivals Facility (IAF). Plan your next international trip and let SEA’s brand-new facility welcome you to the Pacific Northwest.

The **phased opening** began by welcoming a limited number of flights first to the A Concourse, then to the S Concourse where arriving passengers crossed the 780-foot-long Pedestrian Walkway. The **grand opening** took place on May 10 and celebrated the full opening of the IAF for all arriving international guests to experience. This is one of SEA’s biggest capital projects to date and is the new benchmark of more good things coming to SEA Airport.
Accolades are rolling in to recognize the amazing work done on the North Satellite Modernization. The project earned LEED Silver certification. The Port’s project team and Hensel Phelps also earned three awards at the Association of General Contractors (AGC); (1) Construction Excellence for Public Buildings over $100 million, (2) The Excellence in Innovation award, and (3) The Rising Star Award, awarded to Kabri Lehrman-Schmid of Hensel Phelps, a superintendent on the project.

Get a recap of the improvements →

The Baggage Optimization Project is in phase two and hit a major milestone recently by passing the Factory Acceptance Test (FAT). This testing makes sure bags get where they’re supposed to be with a digital simulation that evaluates the system’s security, tracking accuracy, sortation, throughput rates, and its ability to move bags and avoid bag jams. The team passed this test on the first try, which is incredible for such a complex system representing miles of conveyor belts.

Read more about Baggage Optimization →

RESTROOM RENOVATION

New and Improved Restrooms

The Restroom Renovation Project is flushing away the memories of dingy airport restrooms with the first newly renovated and larger public restrooms on the D Concourse. This next phase of modernizing SEA’s public restrooms is building more new and expanded restrooms on the B, C, and D Concourses. These new restrooms open in staggered launches this summer and through the end of 2022. The project’s final

PORTGEN WORKSHOPS AND EVENTS

Industry Day Talks SCoEvo Project

A recent Industry Day, put on by the Port of Seattle’s Diversity in Contracting team, brought in a big crowd with participants eager to hear about the capital projects at SEA Airport, including S Concourse Evolution (SCoEvo). Project leaders spoke about the scope and goals, contracting opportunities, schedule, and next steps for the project. The Port will need help from many partners, especially federally-certified
phase of planned renovations begins in 2023 with a bulk of the openings happening in the fall of 2023 and the last few into 2024. Read on for more potty talk →

disadvantaged business enterprises (DBE) and women and minority-owned business enterprises (WMBE). Learn about more opportunities →

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