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## **Karen A. Scott, P.E. Earns Airport Accreditation**

**Louisville, KY (March 10, 2009)**—. Karen A. Scott, P.E., deputy executive director, Louisville International Airport recently earned the distinction of Accredited Airport Executive (A.A.E.) by the American Association of Airport Executives (AAAE).

To qualify, Scott had to successfully complete all three phases of the accreditation process: (1) pass a 180-item multiple-choice examination, (2) fulfill a writing requirement, and (3) demonstrate, in the final interview by a panel of A.A.E.s, her knowledge of airport management, business administration, and general transportation economics.



Scott joins a select group of individuals who have earned the title. At present, fewer than 10 percent of AAAE's members have earned the distinction of Accredited Airport Executive.

In addition, Scott holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Engineering Science and a Master of Engineering degree in Civil Engineering from the University of Louisville Speed Scientific School. Ms. Scott also is licensed as a professional engineer in the states of Kentucky and Florida.

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**ABOUT AAAE:** Founded in 1928, AAAE ([www.aaae.org](http://www.aaae.org)) is the world's largest professional organization representing the men and women who work at public-use commercial and general aviation airports. AAAE's 5,000-plus members represent some 850 airports and hundreds of companies and organizations that support the airport industry.