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ICAO Cyber Security Summit formalizes new Dubai Declaration to ensure global aviation remains united on Cybersecurity preparedness.



Underscoring the inherent value in establishing a global cybersecurity framework for aviation, the President of the ICAO Council, Dr. Olumuyiwa Benard Aliu, welcomed a special commemorative Dubai Declaration which signifies the commitment and unity of the air transport sector towards achieving effective cyber resilience.

The new Dubai Declaration was presented to President Aliu during a special ceremony at the UN agency's inaugural Cyber Summit and Exhibition in Dubai, which was conducted from 4-6 April in close partnership with the General Civil Aviation Authority of the United Arab Emirates.

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Regional AVSEC Ministerial Conference Sharm el Sheikh , EGYPT 22 - 24 August 2017

We have the honor to invite you to participate in the Regional Ministerial Conference on Aviation Security in Africa and the Middle East in Sharm El Sheikh, Egypt, from 22 to 24 August 2017; Under the theme of GAsEP: *the Roadmap to Foster Aviation Security in Africa and the Middle East*.

The objective of the Ministerial Conference is to address the GAsEP, and to adopt a Declaration and Roadmap on fostering Civil Aviation Security in Africa and the Middle East. The Conference is intended for Minister(s) who are directly responsible for the implementation of international Standards pertaining to the security of air transport in your State.

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ICAO Council President and ICAO MID Regional Director at STRATA visit Al Ain, UAE



ICAO Council President Dr. Olumuyiwa Benard Aliu visited Strata upon an invitation from the Director General of Civil Aviation of UAE. A chopper flew the President, the Nigerian Minister of State for Aviation, Sen. Hadi Sirika and ICAO MID Regional Director Mr. Mohamed Rahma to Al Ain where Strata headquarter is.

Strata Manufacturing PJSC (STRATA) is wholly owned by Mubadala Development Company PJSC (Mubadala), the Abu Dhabi-based investment and development company and is part of the Aerospace & Engineering Services platform that aims to advance the development of a leading aerospace hub in Abu Dhabi.

The company was established in 2009, with production beginning in 2010. Strata has partnerships with the world's leading aircraft manufacturers such as Airbus, Boeing and Leonardo Finmeccanica Aero-structures Division as well as a Tier one supplier to FACC AG, SAAB and S.A.B.C.A.





Forum on Regional Safety Oversight Organizations (RSOOs) for Global Aviation Safety, Mbabane , SWAZILAND 22 - 24 March 2017



The International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO) and the European Aviation Safety Agency (EASA) achieved landmark progress as hundreds of officials gathered from around the world for a special jointly organized Global Forum on Regional Safety Oversight Organizations (RSOOs) for Global Aviation Safety.

More than 200 participants from 48 States and 32 International Organizations attended the event in Swaziland, with 13 Ministers attending the Ministerial event. This important event endorsed a proposal for a new global framework for regional aviation safety oversight and made tremendous progress on key initiatives to improve the recognition, efficiency and cooperation of Regional Safety Oversight Organizations worldwide. The meeting participants also agreed to set up an RSOO coordination platform to facilitate cooperation between RSOOs.



The 12th ACI Asia-Pacific Regional Assembly, Conference and Exhibition Doha, Qatar from 10-12 April 2017



The 12th ACI Asia-Pacific Regional Assembly, Conference and Exhibition that held in Doha, Qatar from 10-12 April 2017. Over the years, the ACI Asia-Pacific Regional Assembly, Conference and Exhibition has made its name as one of the most important aviation events in the region, addressing major issues affecting the aviation industry and attracting high level representation from airports and industry partners, including airlines, regulators and suppliers from all over the world.

During the two-day conference, a strong panel of speakers comprising top airport and industry experts as they share their expertise and knowledge through ACI interactive and thought-provoking discussions.



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ICAO NGAP Programme



Dreams Soar – Stop #9 Egypt 30 June - 4 July 2017



As part of the [ICAO NGAP Programme](#) ICAO has been supporting various outreach initiatives and events around the world to promote awareness and to engage the next generation of aviation professionals. In order to promote science, technology, engineering and math (STEM), as well as aviation, to youth, ICAO supports the [Dreams Soar Initiative](#).

The Dreams Soar Initiative mission is to inspire the next generation of STEM and aviation professionals. The Dreams Soar Initiative was founded by Captain Shaesta Waiz to attract young girls and boys around the globe to aviation and STEM.

We were honored in Cairo and MID Office by Shaesta's visit in her 9th stop in Cairo while making her historic solo flight around the world in her Bonanza aircraft to recognize the growing role for women in aviation and how they contribute to the aviation's continued development, economic growth and sustainability.

Shaesta's incredible journey, which encourages young generation worldwide to believe in themselves and allow their 'dreams to soar; started on 13th May 2017 from Daytona Beach, Florida, flying the Dreams Soar route through 34 stops on five continents totaling more than 25 nm .

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iSTARS Workshop

Cairo, Egypt, 12 – 14 March 2017



integrated Safety Trend Analysis and Reporting System (iSTARS) Cairo, Egypt, 12 - 14 March 2017



The iSTARS Workshop covered the use of ICAO's iSTARS collection of safety and efficiency datasets and web applications. The Workshop provided participants with practical experience with a variety of analysis tools to help them mitigate risk, create safety, efficiency and risk analyses.

There are 30 participants who attended this workshop from 3 different states and organizations.

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Second meeting of the Accident and Incident Analysis Working Group (AIA WG/2) Cairo, Egypt, 14 – 16 March 2017



The AIA WG was established with a main objective to review, analyze and categorize on annual basis the accidents and Incidents at the regional level and provide an agreed and harmonized regional dataset of accidents and incidents, as well as to identify the main root causes and contributing factors of the reviewed accidents and incidents. The AIA WG/2 was attended by 28 participants from 8 States and Organization.

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Egypt and Sudan Special Coordination Meeting Cairo, Egypt 29-30 March 2017



The ICAO MID Office hosted the Special Coordination Meeting between Egypt and Sudan on 29 and 30 March 2017, to agree on ATM improvements at the interface between Cairo and Khartoum Flight Information Regions (FIRs). The meeting agreed on an action plan for the implementation of a set of proposed improvements taking into consideration the ongoing Redesign Project of the Sudan Airspace.



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ICAO REGIONAL SEMINARS: STATES' ACTION PLANS AND CORSIA

27 MARCH - 20 APRIL
RIO DE JANEIRO | BONN
JAKARTA | NAIROBI | CAIRO

ICAO Seminar on States' Action Plans and CORSIA Cairo, Egypt, 18-20 April 2017



The ICAO Seminar on States' Action Plans and Carbon Offsetting and Reduction Scheme for International Aviation (CORSIA) was successfully held in Cairo, Egypt from 18 to 20 April 2017.

The Seminar was attended by 70 participants from 13 States (8 MID States) and 3 International Organizations.

The Seminar was opened by Mr. Mohamed Rahma, ICAO MID Regional Director and chaired by Mrs. Angie Ahmed Abdalla Mostafa, Head of

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ANS Mission to Sudan

Khartoum, Sudan, 25-27 April 2017



A mission to Sudan was successfully conducted from 25 to 27 April 2017 to address subjects of mutual interest related to Air Navigation Services (ANS) with Sudan Civil Aviation Authority.

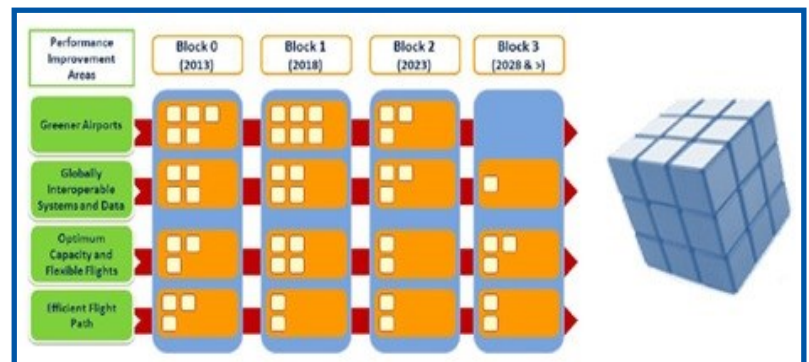
The mission discussed and follow-up also with the Air Navigation Service Provider on matters related mainly to ATM, AIM, CNS, MET and SAR.

ASBU Panel Project Team, Montreal Montreal, Canada, 2-5 May 2017



CAO MID Regional Officer for ATM/SAR participated in the ASBU Panel Project Team meeting held in ICAO Headquarters, Montreal Canada, from 2 to 5 May 2017.

The meeting is composed of team of experts who are working on the Six Edition of the Global Air Navigation Plan (GANP), including a comprehensive review to the Aviation System Block Upgrades (ASBU) Document. The revised version of the GANP is planned to be presented to the 13th Air Navigation Conference (September 2018) and for endorsement by the 40th ICAO General Assembly end of 2019.



Third Meeting of the MIDANPIRG AIM Sub-Group (AIM SG/3) and Fourth Meeting of the MID AIM DB Task Force (MIDAD TF/4) Cairo, Egypt, 15-18 May 2017



The meeting was attended by 29 participants from twelve different states and organization and focused on promoting AIM implementation in the MID Region in a harmonized manner and review and update the MID Region AIM Implementation Roadmap and the new Regional Document "Guidance for AIM planning and implementation in the MID Region" endorsed by MIDANPIRG/16.

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Dubai Airport Show, Dubai, UAE ,15-17 May 2017



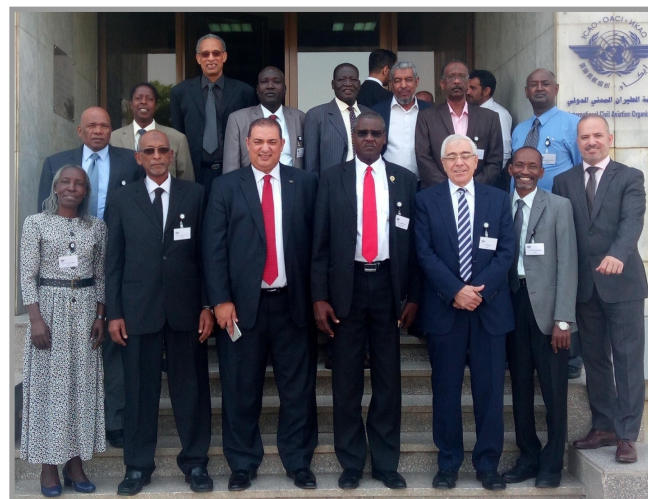
The 17th edition of the Airport Show was held at the Dubai International Convention and Exhibition Centre (DICEC). More than 300 leading companies from around the world participated in the 2017 event, introducing their latest products and services to an estimated 7,500 attendees. ICAO participated as a supporter of the event in an exhibit booth to promote ICAO and its products, services and training in the region and provide information to the delegates and exhibitors at the event.

Fourth meeting of the Task Force on Air Navigation Services and Delineation of Khartoum FIR (TANS/4) Cairo, Egypt 16-18 May 2017



The fourth meeting of the Task Force on Air Navigation Services and Delineation of Khartoum FIR (TANS/4) was held at the ICAO MID Regional Office, Cairo, Egypt.

The meeting was attended by 13 participants from 5 States (Ethiopia, Kenya, South Sudan, Sudan and Uganda) and 1 Organization (IATA). The meeting agreed on an Action Plan for the implementation of the CNS/ATM improvements to ensure adequate air navigation services within South Sudan and Sudan Airspaces.



Asia Pacific- Middle East ATM Special Coordination Meeting, Cairo, Egypt 21-22 May 2017



The ICAO MID Office hosted the Asia Pacific- Middle East ATM Special Coordination Meeting (AMA SCM) on 21 and 22 May 2017.

The meeting was attended by 7 participants from India, Oman and Yemen and 1 Organization (MIDRMA). The meeting discussed and agreed on ATM improvements at the interface between ICAO APAC and MID Regions to be implemented by end of 2017.



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Third meeting of the MIDANPIRG ATM Sub-Group Cairo, Egypt 22-25 May 2017



The Third meeting of the MIDANPIRG ATM Sub-Group (ATM SG/3) was successfully held at the ICAO Middle East Regional Office in Cairo, Egypt from 22 to 25 May 2017.

The meeting was attended by 40 participants from 14 States (Bahrain, Cyprus, Egypt, India, Iraq, Jordan, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, Somalia, Sudan, UAE, United States of America and Yemen) and 5 Organizations/Industries (AACO, Boeing, CANSO, IATA and MIDRMA). The meeting agreed to 9 Conclusions and Decisions, which would further enhance safety and improve the air traffic services in the MID Region.

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Cairo, Egypt 29-30 January 2017

Project Management Foundation using Prince2 Training: Bangkok, Cairo, Dakar & Paris Regional Offices



ICAO MID ICT/ Marketing Regional Coordinator designed and delivered a two-days Project Management foundation training using Prince2 Methodology for ICAO Regional Offices.

The training objective is to understand the philosophy of structured project management methods and recognize the factors that enable successful projects to be delivered on time, within budget and according to expectations. The two days training was successfully delivered in Paris, Dakar and Bangkok. Lima, Mexico and Nairobi are scheduled for the third quarter of 2017.



Dakar, Senegal 6-7 March 2017



Bangkok, Thailand 13-14 March 2017



Paris, France 26-27 March 2017



Cairo, Egypt 21-22 June 2017

Upcoming MID Meetings

NCLB Cairo

Government Safety Inspector Course for ATM

ICAO SAFETY

20-24 August

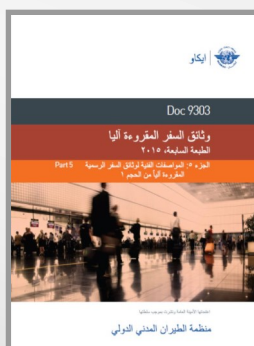
NCLB Cairo

AIM Workshop

ICAO CAPACITY AND EFFICIENCY

28-30 August

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Training Developers Course

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