



Global Aviation Gender Summit

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How our industry is unique for gender

Leadership positions

Middle management

Early working life

University

Primary/Secondary education



How our industry is unique for gender



Proportion of men and women in hourly rate of pay in quartile banding (%):



THE CHALLENGE

- Many more men than women in senior roles and by contrast many more women than men in junior roles
- Gender pay gap for hourly rate of pay: 34% (mean)

How to resolve the challenge. Enablers

STRATEGIC APPROACH

 Women in Aviation and Aerospace Charter (aspiration to see gender balance at all levels across aviation). How?: one Director responsible, internal targets, publishing progress, Directors' performance pay linked to delivery of targets. 48 companies have signed (airlines, airports, Universities, ...)

Diversity and Inclusion Strategy

 D&I essential to the future success of the UK CAA and to being a modern employer that attracts, develops and retains great people who can give their best

• Listened to colleagues. Annual plan, measure outcomes and review plan annually. **Enduring journey**, **not a one off exercise**

CAA Directors personally and collectively commit to drive D&I ambition

• Six key themes: Environment & working practices, performance & development, search and selection, culture & behaviour, leadership commitments, external voice & partnerships

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Expected outcomes

 More diverse workforce, better gender balance (year on year progress through natural alignment, not quotas)

 D&I is included in ALL employment decision making, policies, procedures and practices (part of the way we work, recruit, develop and promote)

• D&I forms part of our training in all inductions, leadership and management related programmes

 As we develop our D&I maturity we will influence others (suppliers, industry partners)



Benefits

- Widen the internal and external talent pool
- Encourage different opinions, creative ideas, decrease risks
- Lead the industry by example
- Honour our social and moral obligations for equality





A day when we don't have to think of it is a man or a woman, but just an aviation professional, encouraging the next generation of aviation professionals





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