



## **INTERNATIONAL CIVIL AVIATION ORGANIZATION**

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Nancy joined the International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO) in 2007 as the Director of the Air Navigation Bureau. ICAO is the United Nations specialized agency mandated to establish and maintain the international standards for safe, efficient and economical international air transport.

Nancy has led the Air Navigation Bureau through a major transformation, broadening its scope to include the full spectrum of Safety and Efficiency programs.

Nancy is strong believer in partnership with aviation's international organizations and works to foster joint activities to improve aviation safety and efficiency. Her personal motto is "more logos, less meetings", in other words, results-oriented partnerships with all parts of the aviation system.

Prior to joining ICAO, Nancy was an executive with the United States Federal Aviation Administration's (FAA) for a number of years, serving in a variety of capacities around the world including Asia Pacific, Europe, the Middle East and Africa. Ever the non-traditionalist, Nancy's early career included a very successful period as one of the U.S.' first female Torpedo Mechanics, and later Foreign Weapons Sales to U.S. NATO allies. She comes by the aviation bug genetically, having spent her preteen years building kit aircraft with her father (a pilot and jumpmaster) and younger brother (an aerobatic champion).

Nancy holds a Bachelor's degree and Master's degree in Technology Management, graduating both with honors.