

ICAO SECURITY WEEK

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9-12 Dec 2024 | Muscat, Oman

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Security Week Agenda



Monday, 9 December 2024 – Symposium		
Muscat Hall		
Time (GST)	Session Description	
07:30 – 08:30	Early Networking Coffee Break (Bait Al-Falaj Hall)	
08:30 - 09:15	Opening Session	
	His Excellency Eng. Naif Ali Hamad Al Abri, President of the Civil Aviation Authority, Oman	
	Mr. Salvatore Sciacchitano, President of the Council, International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO)	
	Master of Ceremonies	
	Ms. Hawraa Al Balushi	
09:15 - 09:45	COFFEE BREAK (Bait Al-Falaj Hall)	
09:45 – 11:15	Flying Tomorrow: Enhancing Aviation Security for a Sustainable Future	
	This session delves on the contribution of security to the sustainability of the aviation industry, exploring innovative approaches that can drive progress towards a more conscious aviation sector to ensure the resilience of civil aviation's critical infrastructure against existing and emerging threats.	
	Fireside Discussion	
	Mr. Mohamed Khalifa Rahma, Director, Air Transport Bureau, International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO)	
	Ms. Lisa J. Setlakwe, Assistant Deputy Minister, Safety & Security, Transport Canada	
	Moderator	
	Ms. Patricia Reverdy, Executive Secretary, European Civil Aviation Conference (ECAC)	
	Panellists	
	Mrs. Musayeroh Barrie, Director General, Sierra Leone Civil Aviation Authority	
	Ms. Mona Björklund, Director, Policy Coordination, Directorate-General for Mobility and Transport, European Commission	
	Mr. Bernard Lim, Senior Director International Relations and Security, Ministry of Transport, Singapore	



Ms. Sarah Nacey, Transport Security Director, Department for Transport, United Kingdom

Mr. David Pekoske, Administrator, Transportation Security Administration, United States

11:15 - 12:30

Security is Everyone's Responsibility

This session's aim is both to inspire collaborative and actionable strategies, and to achieve shared security and sustainability objectives across the aviation industry, in response to sectorial wide chain reactions creating further vulnerabilities.

Keynote Remarks

Mr. Hamish Hansford, Deputy Secretary – Cyber and Infrastructure Security, Department of Home Affairs, Australia

Moderator

Mr. Christian Schleifer, Representative of Austria on the Council of ICAO

Panellists

Dr. Pascal Andrei, Senior-Vice-President Chief Security Officer, AIRBUS

Mr. Abdennebi Manar, Director General, Arab Civil Aviation Organization (ACAO)

Mr. Matthew Vaughan, Director, Aviation Security, Operations, Safety & Security, International Air Transport Association (IATA)

Mr. Qiang DU, Deputy General Manager, Capital Airports Holdings Co., Ltd., China

Ms. Berrak Damla Yıldırım, Aviation Security Manager, Turkish Airlines

12:45 - 13:45

LUNCH BREAK (Bait Al-Falaj Hall)



14:15 – 15:15	Aviation Security: From Legacy to Innovation, how 80 years of ICAO and 50 years of Annex 17 help us look into the future		
	2024 marks the 80th Anniversary of ICAO and 50th anniversary of Annex 17 – <i>Aviation Security.</i> This dedicated session will mark these important anniversaries and underline the milestones achieved for strengthening aviation through security.		
	Moderator		
	Mr. Luvuyo Gqeke, Representative of South Africa on the Council of ICAO		
	Panellists		
	Mr. Hamad Al Muhairi, Assistant Director General of the Aviation Security Affairs Sector, United Arab Emirates		
	Mr. Mateusz Baczkowski, Deputy Director, Polish Civil Aviation Authority, Poland		
	Mr. Dionisio de la Rosa Hernández , Subdirector General, CESAC, Dominican Republic		
	Ms. Sonia Hifdi, Chief, Aviation Security Policy Section, International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO)		
	Ms. Maria Cristina Liliana Ioniță, Representative of Romania on the Council of ICAO		
	Mr. Jose Villaverde, Representative of Venezuela on the Council of ICAO		
15:15 – 15:30	SKYTALK Innovative Technology - Bringing AVSEC the future of quality and efficiency		
15:30 – 15:45	Closing Remarks		
	Mr. Juan Carlos Salazar, Secretary General, International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO)		
18:30	GALA DINNER (Rozna restaurant)		



Tues	day, ′	10 December 202	4 - Symposium		
Time (GST) Session Description and Location					
		Muscat Hall	Salalah hall (auditorium)	Nizwa hall (Room 10)	Mutrah hall (Room 11)
NOI	08:45-09:00 Opening remarks				
MORNING SESSION	09:00-10:15 Global Aviation Security Plan (GASeP)		09:00-10:15 Civil military coordination: Collaboration and Innovation for Secure Operations	09:00-10:15 UN Counter- Terrorism Landscape: Enhancing the Inter- agency Coordination and Coherence to Safeguard the Skies	09:00-10:15 Beyond the Breach: Building Robust Security and Emergency Response Frameworks for Airports
I 0:15 - 1	10:45	COFFEE BREAK (Bait Al-Falaj Hall)		
MORNING SESSION	10:45-12:00 Addressing new threats to Aviation: Is there a path for a		10:45-12:00 Cybersecurity and Digital Transformation of	10:45-11:15 UN Counter-Terrorism Landscape (continued)	10:45-12:00 Technical Innovations and Human factors
MORNING	safer future?		ATM Systems	11:15-12:15 AVSEC Panel ad-hoc meeting (by invitation only)	, and a second
12:00 –	13:00	LUNCH BREAK (Ba	ait Al-Falaj Hall)	(by invitation only)	
13:00 - 13:15 <i>SKYTALK</i>		SKYTALK	– "Drone Legislation" (UA	.S)	هيئة الطيران المدني CIVIL AVIATION UNITROPHY
AFTERNOON SESSION	Rea	13:15-14:15 Leveraging perience: States diness in Security udit Preparation	13:00-14:15 From Reactiveness to Proactiveness: the Evolution of Aviation Regulatory Landscape for Security	13:00-14:15 Technical discussions on the Declaration	13:00-14:15 Navigating Cyber Chaos: Securing the Flight (by invitation only)
14:15 - 14:30 SKYTALK Modernising Screene			ener Certification		Rapiscan
14:30 -15:00 COFFEE BREAK (Bait Al-Falaj Hall)					
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MORNING SESSIONS

Tuesday, 10 December 2024 Muscat hall		
Time (GST)	Session Description	
08:45- 09:00	Opening Remarks Ms. Michele Merkle, Director, Air Navigation Bureau, International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO)	
09:00- 10:15	Global Aviation Security Plan (GASeP) The Second Edition of the GASeP emphasizes the necessity of achieving full and effective implementation of Annex 17 - Aviation Security Standards. We invite a distinguished group of experts to engage in a discussion to address challenges and identify opportunities for advancing the GASeP. During this informative session, we will delve into the unique perspectives associated with progressing each global priority area. Different speakers will illuminate the necessary actions to ensure and drive progress towards achieving the global aspirational goal of full and effective implementation of aviation security Standards, and associated milestones.	
	Mr. Ricardo Fernandes, Aviation Security Senior Officer and National Civil Aviation Security Inspector, Facilitation and Security Directorate, Portuguese Civil Aviation Authority (ANAC) Panellists Ms. Andrea Brunner, AVSEC Expert, Federal Ministry for Climate Action, Environment, Energy	
	Mobility, Innovation and Technology, Austria Ms. Laura Cooke, Deputy Director, Aviation Security International Operations, Department for Transport, United Kingdom	
	Mr. Jamel Dridi, Aviation Security and Facilitation Expert, African Civil Aviation Commission (AFCAC) Mr. Francesco Faiulo, Policy Officer, Directorate-General for Mobility and Transport, European Commission	
	Mr. Andrew Karasick, Director, Multilateral Policy & Engagement Branch, Transportation Security Administration (TSA), United States Mr. David Willing, Manager Security Regulation, Civil Aviation Authority of New Zealand	



10:45-12:00

Addressing new threats to Aviation: Is there a path for a safer future?

The aviation industry is at a crossroads as it confronts a new wave of threats that challenge its resilience and security standards. From the rapidly evolving attack scenarios exploiting the aviation critical infrastructure vulnerabilities to challenges posed by the increase of cyber-attacks and misuse of unmanned aircraft systems, new risks demand a proactive and coordinated response.

Step into a dynamic discussion session where the leading aviation security and cybersecurity experts meet in an engaging and interactive format to answer the audience's direct questions to uncover if—and how—the aviation community can chart a path to a safer tomorrow.

Moderator

Mr. Sylvain Lefoyer, Deputy Director, Aviation Security and Facilitation, International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO)

Panellists

Mr. Chris Dalton, Chief, Airspace Management and Optimization Section, International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO)

Ms. Magdalena Jaworska-Maćkowiak, Chief Executive Officer, Polish Air Navigation Services Agency, Poland

Mr. Patrick Mana, Cyber-security Program Manager and EATM-CERT Manager, EUROCONTROL

Mr. Billy Shallow, Director, Innovation and Technology, Airports Council International (ACI) World

Mr. John Velho, Executive Director, International Aviation, Transport Canada

Tuesday, 10 December 2024

Salalah hall

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Time (GST)	Session Description		
09:00- 10:15	Civil military coordination: collaboration and innovation for secure operations As conflicts become increasingly widespread across the globe, this session will delve into the critical importance of fostering collaboration and coordination among civil aviation stakeholders. The discussion will focus on how cooperative efforts between civilian and military authorities are essential to maintaining safe and secure aviation operations in the face of escalating challenges.		
	The panel will also address the heightened risks to civil aviation posed by flights operating over or near conflict zones, particularly during times of uncertainty and instability. Emphasis will be placed		



on identifying gaps and exploring practical strategies to mitigate these risks. Through expert insights, this session aims to advance a shared understanding of best practices to enhance operational safety and resilience in the aviation sector.

Moderator

Mr. John Velho, Executive Director, International Aviation, Transport Canada

Panellists

Eng. Nasser Al-jassasi, Director of AVSEC & FAL Department, Civil Aviation Authority, Oman

Mr. Chris Dalton, Chief, Airspace Management and Optimization Section, International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO)

Mr. Firat Koyuncu, Security Risk Assessment Supervisor, Turkish Airlines

Ms. Safae Raddaf, Head of Security and Facilitation Department, Directorate of Civil Aeronautics, General Directorate of Civil Aviation, Morocco

Mr. Russell Reil, Conflict Zone Program Manager, Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), United States

10:45-12:00

Cybersecurity and Digital Transformation of ATM Systems

The ATM system is more vulnerable to cyber-attacks than before, due to increases in the attack surface resulting from the system's inherent complexity and heterogeneity, combined with the integration of new systems, networks, and services. The panel will discuss emergent threats such as GPS spoofing and how a response system could be established for non-traditional attacks based on technological advancements.

Moderator

Mr. Bogdan Donciu, Director, Regional Directorate Bucharest, Romanian Air Traffic Services Administration, Romania

Panellists

Mr. Hamed Said Al Balushi, Manager – IT Network and Security, Oman Air

Mr. Kee Vin HO, Director for the Cybersecurity and Data Governance Division, Civil Aviation Authority, Singapore

Ms. Luci Holemans, Air Traffic Organization Cybersecurity Manager, Federal Aviation Administration, United States

Mr. Mateusz Zelek, Deputy CTO for Development, Polish Air Navigation Services Agency (PANSA), Poland



Tuesday, 10 December 2024

Nizwa hall

Time	
(GST)	

Session Description

09:00-10:15

UN Counter-Terrorism Landscape: Enhancing the Inter-agency Coordination and Coherence to Safeguard the Skies

This session aims to raise awareness and deepen the aviation security community's commitment to implementing UN counter-terrorism efforts. It will highlight ongoing global initiatives coordinated by international organizations, with special attention to the 5th anniversary of the Counter-Terrorism Travel Programme (CTTP). Additionally, the session will explore future opportunities for collaboration to strengthen collective efforts and ensure safer skies.

Part I - (09:00-10:15)

Moderator

Mr. Sylvain Lefoyer, Deputy Director, Aviation Security and Facilitation, International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO)

Opening Remarks

Ms. Natalia Gherman, Assistant Secretary-General, Executive Director, United Nations Counter-Terrorism Committee (UNCTED)

"All-of-UN" global initiatives towards the implementation of UNSCRs

Panellists

Ms. Rachel Manis, Programme Management Officer, Head Threat Assessment Models Programme, UN Countering Terrorist Travel Programme (CT Travel), United Nations Office of Counter-Terrorism (UNOCT)

Mr. Ander Oquillas Muñoz, International AVSEC Coordinator, Spanish Aviation Safety and Security Agency, Spain

Mr. Toby Hung Tu TO, Director, Department of Aviation Security (AVSEC & FAL), Civil Aviation Authority of Viet Nam

Mr. Arturo Ojeda Demaria, ICT Specialist, Technology Development Unit, United Nations Global Service Center, United Nations Department of Operational Support, UN ICT Valencia



Celebrating the 5th anniversary of the Counter-Terrorism Travel Programme (CTTP)

Ms. Rachel Manis, Programme Management Officer, Head Threat Assessment Models Programme, UN Countering Terrorist Travel Programme (CT Travel), United Nations Office of Counter-Terrorism (UNOCT)

Other panellists to be confirmed

Part 2 - (10:45-11:15)

International cooperation to secure skies from drug and precursor trafficking

Ms. Sonia Hifdi, Chief, Aviation Security Policy Section, International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO)

Ms. Mira Abou Chakra, Programme Associate, United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC), MENA Region

Closing remarks

Mr. Vladimir Voronkov, Under-Secretary-General, United Nations Office of Counter-Terrorism (UNOCT)

11:15-12:15

ICAO AVSEC Panel ad-hoc meeting

(Participation by invitation only)



Tuesday, 10 December 2024

Mutrah hall

Time
(GST)

Session Description

09:00-10:15

Beyond the Breach: Building Robust Security and Emergency Response Frameworks for Airports

This 1.5 hour situational and scenario-based workshop aims to educate aviation security professionals with insights and guidance on how to manage security challenges when emergencies and crises hit through a specific airport-based scenario. Participants will focus on:

- crisis management techniques looking at threat assessment and real-time decision-making along with command-and-control structures during security incidents.
- business continuity challenges of maintaining essential airport operations during security events.
- emergency responses to security events to focus on the practical aspects of rapid deployment procedures and use of limited resources during security incidents.

It's important to address cybersecurity incidents and their evolving threats facing airport operators and their physical infrastructure. Participants will develop also develop strategies for preventing, detecting, responding to, and recovery efforts after a possible cyber security attack.

Facilitators

Mr. Billy Shallow, Director, Innovation and Technology, Airports Council International (ACI) World

Mr. Nicholas Ratledge, Senior Manager Security, Safety and Operations, Airports Council International (ACI) World



10:45-12:00

Technical Innovations and Human Factors

Technological advances are having, and will continue to have, a major impact on the delivery of aviation security across the industry. The panellists will share their experiences and ideas on the potential benefits and challenges this will bring, including for human factors. They will discuss how automation may affect the role of security personnel in the future, and its limitations; the potential impacts of technology, positive and negative, on human performance; and how screening processes, training, and working environments can be adapted, or may need to be adapted, accordingly.

Moderator

Mr. Phil Dykins, Head of Aviation Security Regulation, Civil Aviation Authority, United Kingdom

Panellists

Ms. Haneen Abu Saif, Head of Aviation Security Training and Sustainability / Aviation Security Consultant

Ms. Małgorzata Alberti, Acting Head of Unit, Civil Aviation Security Inspectorate, Polish Civil Aviation Authority, Poland

Ms. Samiha Al Busaidi, Regional Officer, Aviation Security and Facilitation, ICAO MID office

Brigadier Expert Hamed Mohammed AlSayd Al-Hashmi, Assistant General Manager for Administration, Dubai Police

Mr. Scott Dullard, General Manager, Operations, Melbourne Airport, Australia



AFTERNOON SESSIONS

Tuesday, 10 December 2024			
Muscat	Muscat hall		
Time (GST)	Session Description		
13:00-	Leveraging Experience: States Readiness in Security Audit Preparation		
14:15	This session aims to explore the experience of different States in preparing for aviation security audits as well as the perspectives of those conducting the audits. The session will capture various best practices in audit preparation that can lead to facilitating the process and maximising the audit's benefits.		
	Moderator		
	Mr. Juan Lamosa , Chief, Aviation Security Audit Section, International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO)		
	Panellists		
	Mr. Mubarak Saleh Al Ghelani, Superintendent Air Traffic Services, Civil Aviation Authority, Oman		
	Ms. Houda Atik , Head of Civil Aviation Security and Facilitation Section, Directorate General of Civil Aviation, Morocco		
	Mr. Vladimir Chertok , Advisor to the Head of the Federal Transport Oversight Service, Russian Federation		
	Mr. Daniel Milan, Director Aviation Security and Facilitation, Civil Aviation Authority, Cote D'Ivoire		
	Dr. Vinolia Salesi, Director of Civil Aviation , Ministry of Infrastructure, Tonga		



15:00-16:00

Empowering Youth: Balancing Gender in Security in Aviation

The future of aviation security requires innovative ideas and perspectives, and today's youth are particularly well-suited to contribute to this endeavor. Empowering youth will play a crucial role in balancing gender representation within the industry, closing the gender gap in aviation security.

This session will explore practical ways to address gender discrimination by emphasizing the role of young people in civil aviation security. Attendees will discuss the importance of gender balance, and hear about both the challenges and opportunities that youth face, enriched by their success stories and expert perspectives. Additionally, this session will inspire attendees to actively participate in creating an inclusive and balanced future in aviation security.

Moderator

Ms. Annick Goulet, Representative of Canada on the Council of ICAO

Panellists

Mr. Salvatore Sciacchitano, President of the Council, International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO)

Mr. Juan Carlos Salazar, Secretary General, International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO)

His Excellency Eng. Naif Ali Hamad Al Abri, President of the Civil Aviation Authority, Oman

His Excellency Abdulaziz Abdullah Alduailej, President, General Authority of Civil Aviation, Saudi Arabia

Mr. Abdennebi Manar, Director General, Arab Civil Aviation Organization (ACAO)

Eng. Ahlam bint Abdullah Al-Jahdhami, CEO, Sharqiyah Aviation

Ms. Anita Adjei-Nmashie, Representative of Ghana on the Council of ICAO

Tuesday, 10 December 2024

Salalah hall

Time (GST)

Session Description

13:00-14:15

From Reactiveness to Proactiveness: the Evolution of Aviation Regulatory Landscape for Security

In a dynamic international aviation landscape, the ability to navigate the regulatory landscape is pivotal in achieving international coherence and maintaining a secure aviation environment. As the regulatory landscape encompasses the complex network of laws, regulations, and policies, in the myriads of evolving threats the demand to pay the required attention to the regulatory framework shifts and solutions on how to regulate the unknown are needed.

Introduction

Mr. Anda Djojonegoro, Aviation Security Officer, Aviation Security Policy Section, International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO)

Moderator

Ms. Mia Wouters, Professor Aviation Law, University of Ghent, Partner, GDS advocaten

Panellists

Dr. Jiefang Huang, Zhou Gengsheng Chair Professor of Wuhan University

Dr. Alejandro Piera, Partner at Guanes, Heisecke & Piera Attorneys at Law

Mr. Simon Sheeran, Head Cybersecurity Oversight, Civil Aviation Authority, United Kingdom

Mr. Janis Vanags, Baltic Institute of Corporate Governance Policy Group Member

15:00-16:00

Protecting Aviation Critical Infrastructure: Counter-UAS Measures and Technology

As the concern of global misuse of unmanned aircraft systems (UAS) by perpetrators to conduct attacks against civil aviation is increasing, and incursions into its critical infrastructure and in regulated airspace is raising, it is important for all aviation stakeholders to coordinate and consult each other in order to ensure that this threat is addressed through adequate measures and emerging technologies in a comprehensive and holistic manner. The panel will look at the many facets of this misuse, identify the challenges and discuss potential solutions to counter the misuse of UAS to protect civil aviation infrastructure, as well as contribute in building a coordination platform for all aviation and non-aviation stakeholders.

Moderator

Mr. David Nieto, Director of Airports and Civil Aviation Security, Spanish Aviation Safety and Security Agency, Spain



Panellists

Mr. Arturo Ojeda Demaria, ICT Specialist, Technology Development Unit, United Nations Global Service Center, United Nations Department of Operational Support, UN ICT Valencia

Captain Fahad ibne Masood, MRAeS Faculty – Aviation Management / Airport Management, Business & Economics, Modern College of Business and Science, Oman

Mr. Robert Rottman, Executive Director, Aviation Division, Policy, Plans, and Engagement, Transportation Security Administration, United States

Tuesday, 10 December 2024 Nizwa hall

Time (GST)	Session Description
13:00- 16:00	Technical discussions on the Declaration

Tuesday, 10 December 2024

Mutrah hall

Time (GST)	Session Description
13:00- 16:00	Navigating Cyber Chaos: Securing the Flight [Participation by invitation only]
	In the rapidly evolving landscape of aviation, the intersection of cybersecurity and artificial intelligence presents both significant challenges and exciting opportunities. "Navigating Cyber Chaos: Securing the Flight" invites participants to engage in an insightful exploration of these critical issues. This event will feature open discussions, demonstrations, and diverse perspectives from a recognized ethical hacker, all conducted under Chatham House rules to foster candid dialogue. Attendees can expect to delve into the implications of AI-driven technologies on operational efficiency, data protection, and regulatory frameworks.
	Facilitator
	Mr. Clement Domingo, Cybersecurity (Recognized ethical Hacker)







Wednesday, 11 December 2024 – Ministerial Segment			
Time (GST)	Session Description		
09:00 – 09:30	Opening High Level Addresses His Excellency Eng. Said Hamood Al Maawali, Minister of Transport, Communication and Information Technology, Oman Mr. Salvatore Sciacchitano, President of the Council, International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO)		
09:30 – 10:00	Presentation of the Ministerial Declaration Mr. Juan Carlos Salazar, Secretary General, International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO)		
10:00 – 11:00	Ministerial Statements		
11:00 – 11:30	COFFEE BREAK (Bait Al-Falaj Hall)		
11:30 – 12:30	High-level Statements Australia – Mr. Hamish Hansford – Deputy Secretary, Cyber and Infrastructure Security, Department of Home Affairs Canada – Ms. Lisa Setlakwe – Assistant Deputy Minister, Safety and Security Dominican Republic – Mr. Emmanuel Souffront Tamayo – Director General, CESAC Jordan – Mr. Haitham Misto – Commissioner, CARC Kuwait – Eng. Humoud Mubarak Al-Humoud Al-Sabah – President of Civil Aviation Malaysia – Dato' Normah Osman – Deputy Secretary General, Ministry of Transport People's Republic of China – Captain Hu Zhenjiang – Deputy Administrator of Civil Aviation, Administration of China Russian Federation – Mr. Viktor Basargin – Deputy Director, Head of the Federal Authority for Transport Oversight Switzerland – Christian Hegner – Director General, Federal Office of Civil Aviation United States – Mr. David Pekoske – Administrator of Transportation Security Administration		





	Zimbabwe – H. E. Nonkosi Ncube – Board Chairperson, Civil Aviation Authority	
12:30 – 13:30	LUNCH BREAK (Bait Al-Falaj Hall)	
	Statements by Heads of Delegation and Representatives on the Council of ICAO	
	Algeria – Ambassador Mohamed Ali Boughazi – Ambassador of Algeria in Oman	
	Angola – Emanuel Candengue – Board Director in Charge of Security and Air Navigation	
	Azerbaijan – Mr. Ramil Mammadov – Chairman of the Board of Flight Safety Inspectorate, State Civil Aviation Agency	
	Brazil – Ambassador Michel Arslanian Neto – Representative of Brazil on the Council of ICAO	
	France – Ambassador Florence Cormon-Veyssiere – Representative of France on the Council of ICAO	
13:30 – 14:30	Italy – Ambassador Sergio Martes – Representative of Italy on the Council of ICAO	
	Morocco – Ms. Safae Raddaf – Head of Airport Operations Department	
	Nigeria – Mr. Peter Amasa – General Manager Aviation Security, Training and Certification Department	
	Poland – Mr. Mateusz Baczkowski – Deputy Director, Civil Aviation Authority	
	Singapore – Mr. Bernard Lim – Senior Director, International Relations and Security with the Ministry of Transport	
	United Kingdom – Chris Selim – Deputy Director, Aviation Security Strategy and Policy	
	United Republic of Tanzania – Mr. Burhan Majaliwa – Chief Aviation Security	
	European Commission – Ms. Mona Björklund – Director of Policy Coordination	







	COFFEE BREAK (Bait Al-Falaj Hall)
15:00 – 15:30 M	Adoption of Muscat Declaration Mr. Salvatore Sciacchitano, President of the Council, International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO)
15:30 – 16:00 M	Closing of Ministerial Segment Mr. Juan Carlos Salazar, Secretary General, International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO) His Excellency Eng. Naif Ali Hamad Al Abri, President of the Civil Aviation Authority, Oman



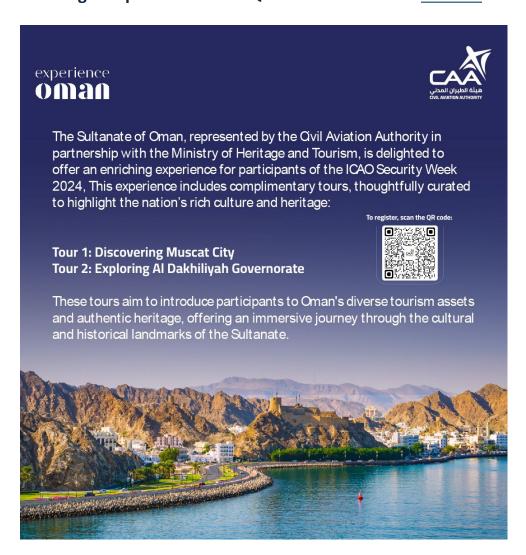




Thursday, 12 December 2024

Cultural Day

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Host and Sponsor Profiles



EVENT HOST

The Civil Aviation Authority works in harmony to achieve its vision in line with international regulations in the civil aviation sector, taking into account the precision required to address all the changes facing the region. The Authority continuously strives for leadership in the sector at both regional and international levels. The ongoing achievements of this sector are a testament to the efforts made by the Authority since its establishment as an independent entity responsible for regulating civil aviation affairs, which aligns with the scale of investments aimed at developing the infrastructure of the aviation sector in the Sultanate of Oman. This has resulted in a significant expansion in the passenger market over the past years, with a notable increase in the numbers related to flights, transit aircraft, and annual revenue rates. Furthermore, the expansion of achievements and initiatives undertaken by the Authority extends to include meteorology, air navigation, and all matters related to air transport, with a special focus on human resources aimed at improving efficiency and productivity to achieve the highest levels of excellence.

<u>Vision</u>

Sustainable aviation with exceptional capabilities.

<u>Message</u>

Regulating civil aviation sectors and developing meteorological and air navigation services through human capital development.

<u>Values</u>

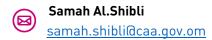
- Integrity
- Innovation
- Effective communication
- Partnership

Strategic Goals

- Enhancing the level of legislation for safety, security, and environmental protection in aviation.
- Continuous improvement of services.

- Increasing connectivity between Oman and countries worldwide.
- Boosting air transport activities to enhance financial sustainability.
- Improving the efficiency of systems, procedures, and institutional performance.
- Digitizing systems and developing technological solutions.
- Training and empowering human capital.







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Ankaa Space and Technologies LLC, a prominent Omani SME registered with Riyada, merges local expertise with global collaborations to deliver innovative solutions in aviation, defence, IT, and security sectors. Proudly 100% Omani-owned, Ankaa is a trusted partner in advancing critical infrastructure and national security.

Core Specializations

- Aviation Systems: Design, installation, and calibration of CNS systems, including Instrument Landing Systems (ILS) and air traffic management solutions.
- UAV Services: Comprehensive drone solutions for agriculture, surveillance, and tactical operations, supported by state-of-the-art sensors and software.
- IT & AI Solutions: Tailored IT and AI-driven technologies to address diverse business challenges.

• Security Solutions: Advanced cybersecurity frameworks and biometric systems, including Thales-integrated Identity & Biometric Solutions (IBS) and Information Communication Systems (ICS).

Strategic Partnerships and Certifications

Ankaa collaborates with global leaders like Thales to deliver cutting-edge radar systems, security frameworks, and AI solutions to Oman and the Gulf region. With ISO 9001:2015 and ISO 14001:2015 certifications, the company is recognized by Oman's Ministry of Defence for its excellence and reliability.

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