

International
Aviation Conference
"Thorny Issues in Aviation"











Day 1

Date: Sunday, 22 May 2016

Venue: Abu Dhabi University, Auditorium

Time	Activity
08:30 - 09:00	Registration and Welcome Refreshments
09:00 - 09:40	Welcoming Addresses
09:40 – 10:20	Key Not Address: Mr. Khalid Al Raisi, Director of Air Accident Investigation Sector, DGCAA, UAE
10:20 – 11:00	Key Not Address: Mr. Roderick van Dam, President, International Foundation for Public Aviation (IPA), 'Sovereignty and Safety in Aviation – Business as Usual? A critical view on shifting safety and regulatory landscapes in international civil aviation'
11:00 – 11:30	Coffee Break

Session 1	Liability, Criminalisation and Just Culture Moderator: Mr. Roderick van Dam
11:30 – 12:00	Prof. Anna Masutti, Bologna University, 'Air Carrier Liability, Recoverable Damages and the Manufacturer's Contribution Claim against the Airline'
12:00 – 12:30	Dr. Sofia Michaelides-Mateou, Associate Professor, 'Accountability v Safety: the Need for a Just Culture'
12:30 – 13:00	Dr. Capt. Andreas Mateou, Chief Pilot, Flynas, 'Corporate Just Culture: Challenges and Benefits'
13:00 – 13:15	Questions
13:15 – 14:30	Lunch

Session 2	Human Factors and Flight Physiology Moderator: Mr. Vangelis Demonsthenous, Managing Director, Kratis Training and Consultation LTD
14:30 – 15:00	Dr. Nicklas Dahlstrom, Human Factors Manager, Emirates Airlines, Dubai, 'Substitution or Solution - The Current Role of the Human in Aviation'
15:00 – 15:30	Ms. Alison Mc Donald, Senior Manager Human Factors, Etihad Airways, 'Implementing Strategy and Promoting Mental Health and Wellbeing in the Workplace'
15:30 – 16:00	Ms. Laurie Earl, Lecturer/Etihad Cadet Liason, and Mr. Salah Al Hamzye, Etihad Cadet, Abu Dhabi University, 'Personality Disorders as a Challenge to Aviation Safety'
16:00 – 16:30	Dr. Shareef Al Romaithi, Managing Director, SAR, 'The Impact of Culture on Safety'
16:30 – 16:45	Questions and Closing Remarks

Day 2

Date: Monday, 23 May 2016

Venue: Abu Dhabi University, Auditorium

Time	Activity
08:30 - 09:00	Registration and Welcome Refreshments
Session 1	Aviation in the UAE Moderator: Mr. Zahid Malik
09:00 - 09:30	Mr. David Studden, Senior Manager, GCAS, 'Can Aviation & the Middle East Manage Without Oil?'
09:30 – 10:00	Mr. Hesham Al Tenaiji, Manager ANSP Training, ANS, Sheikh Zayed Air Navigation Centre, GCAA, 'Air Traffic Control in the UAE and the Impact of the Single European Skies'
10:00 – 10:30	Ms. Chrystel Erotokritou, Legal Adviser, AirHelp, 'Long-haul Low Cost Carriers, the Future of Aviation? Special Reference to the Middle East Region'
10:30 – 11:00	Mr. Kashif Khalid, Campaign Manager, Gulf Area, IATA, 'Airport Security'
11:00 – 11: 15	Questions
11:15 – 11:45	Coffee Break

Session 2	Recent Challenges Moderator: Mr. Aruna Ranganathan
11:45 – 12:15	Mr. Adhy Riadhy Arafah, Lecturer Faculty of Law, Universitas Airlangga and Director Center for Air and Space Law, Faculty of Law, Universitas Airlangga, 'The Rights of the Below State to (Not) Delegate its Air Traffic Services (The Case of Delegation of Indonesian Air Traffic Services Above Riau and Natuna Islands)'
12:15 – 12:45	Mr. Mark Pierotti, CEO, AJA, 'Civil Aircraft Registers: the Emergence of Multiple Special State Civil Aircraft Registers Around the World'
12:45 – 13:15	Dr. Steve Thatcher, Chair, Department of Aviation, 'The Changing Face of Pilot Training and Education to Meet Airline Needs'
13:15 – 13:30	Questions
13:30 – 14:30	Lunch

Session 3	Students Final Moot Competition
14:30 – 15:30	Arguments - Applicant and Respondent
15:30 – 16:00	Judges Deliberation: Mr. Roderick van Dam, Capt. Dr. Andreas Mateou, Ms. Chrystel Erotokritou, Dr. Sofia Michaelides Mateou
16:00 – 16:15	Prizes
16:15 – 16:30	Summing up and Closing Remarks



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