

12th ALTA PAN AMERICAN AVIATION SAFETY & OPS SUMMIT

(updated Jun 11, 2023)

Date: June 12 - 14, 2023

Place: Hotel Santiago Marriott / Santiago – Chile

Monday – June 12, 2023	
09:00 – 12:00	ALTA Safety & Ops Committee Annual Meeting (by invitation)
12:05 – 13:00	Working Lunch (by invitation)
13:00 – 15:20	ALTA Safety & Ops Committee Annual Meeting (by invitation)
15:20 – 15:45	Coffee break (by invitation)
15:45 – 18:30	ALTA Safety & Ops Committee Annual Meeting (by invitation)

Tuesday – June 13, 2023	
07:00 – 16:30	Registration
08:25 – 09:00	Opening Ceremony Speakers: Jose Ricardo Botelho, Executive Director and CEO / Latin American and Caribbean Air Transport Association (ALTA) Peter Cerdá, Regional Vice President / International Air Transport Association (IATA) General of Aviation Raúl Jorquera Conrads, General Director / General Directorate of Civil Aeronautics (DGAC)
09:00 – 09:30	CEOs Special Message: Safety Culture Speakers: Estuardo Ortiz, CEO / JetSMART Hernan Pasman, COO, on behalf of Roberto Alvo, CEO / LATAM Airlines Group José Ignacio Dognac, CEO / SKY Airline
09:30 – 10:00	Presentation: Safety Performance and Sustainability in LATAM/CAR Region Speaker: Don Enrique Rosende, VP of Safety, Security & HSE / LATAM Airlines Group
10:00 – 10:30	Coffee break
10:30 – 11:30	Panel: Collaborative Safety Teams Moderator: Santiago Saltos, Regional Safety Director / Airbus, and Industry Co-chair / PA-RAST Panelists: CAST experience – Gerardo Hueto, Aviation Safety, Safety Engineer, Integrated Safety Teams, AVP-230 / Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), and States Co-chair / PA-RAST BCAST key points – Capt. Marcelo Marcusso, Safety Manager / LATAM Airlines Group, and President / Brazilian Commercial Aviation Safety Team (BCAST)

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11:30 – 13:00	<p>Panel: Human Performance for Safety</p> <p>Moderator: Sophia Ghezai, Program Director / Flight Safety Foundation</p> <p>Panelists:</p> <p>Language as a Human Factor – Elizabeth Mathews, Associate Professor / Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University</p> <p>Mental Health & Pilot Wellness (regulatory perspective) – Dr. Penny Giovanetti, D.O., Director, Medical Specialties Division, Office of Aerospace Medicine - Medical Specialties Division / Federal Aviation Administration (FAA)</p> <p>Wellbeing and Resilience: Training for the next generation of aviators – Capt. Reyné O'Shaughnessy, Airline pilot and Captain of a B-767 / Founder of Piloting 2 Wellbeing / Author of the published book on the importance of mental health in aviation</p> <p>Peer Support from Airline Perspective – Dr. Julia Behrend, Safety Innovation & Human Performance / Air France</p>
13:00 – 14:15	Lunch
14:15 – 15:45	<p>Panel: Safety key points</p> <p>Moderator: Javier Puente, SAM Regional Officer, Safety Implementation / International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO)</p> <p>Panelists:</p> <p>Data Analysis – Capt. Christopher Collins, Director of Flight Safety / Delta Air Lines</p> <p>Wildlife Strikes – Capt. Alvaro Pereira, Manager of Operational Safety (Flight) / Copa Airlines</p> <p>Safety Management System (SMS) in maintenance organizations – Capt. Alexandre Gandini, Executive Manager of Line Maintenance and Engineering / Gol Linhas Aéreas</p> <p>Severe Turbulence – Capt. Fernando Castillo, Safety Manager / Aerolíneas Argentinas</p>
15:45 – 16:15	<p>Special Message: Safety Leadership</p> <p>Speakers:</p> <p>Lacey Pittman, Vice President Global Aerospace Safety Initiative / Boeing</p> <p>Robert L. Sumwalt, Executive Director, Boeing Center for Aviation and Aerospace Safety at Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University / Former Chairman, NTSB</p>
16:15 – 16:40	Coffee break

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16:40 – 17:50	Panel: Synergy between Safety & Operations Moderator: Hernan Pasman, COO / LATAM Airlines Group Panelists: Competency-based Training and Assessment (CBTA) – Capt. Mark James Diaz, Safety Pilot / Boeing Training as part of the Safety Management System (SMS) – Capt. Juan Esteban Kappaz Saad, Director of Flight Operations / Avianca Fatigue Management – Alfonso Arroyo, Representative for Latin America, and the Caribbean / European Union Aviation Safety Agency (EASA)
17:50 – 18:20	Presentation: Crisis Communications Speaker: Robert L. Sumwalt, Executive Director, Boeing Center for Aviation and Aerospace Safety at Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University / Former Chairman, NTSB
19:30 – 21:15	Welcome Cocktail

Wednesday – June 14, 2023	
07:00 – 08:30	Registration
08:00 – 09:00	Panel: Safety and Risk Management Best Practices Moderator: Nicholas Reyes, Director, Western Hemisphere Office, International Affairs / Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) Panelists: Submarine Operations – Commander Sergio Carter Fuentes, Head of Training Subcenter / Chilean Navy Risk control strategy for air traffic controllers' unsafe acts – Javier Alejandro Vanegas, Director for Latin America and Caribe / CANSO, and Industry Co-chair / RASG-PA
09:00 – 10:15	Panel: Chilean Commercial Aviation Safety Update Moderator: Cesar Mac-Namara, Director of Operational Safety / DGAC Chile Panelists: Don Jaime Silva, Director of Safety / JetSMART Capt. Rafael Rastrello, Director of Safety / LATAM Airlines Group David Galvez, Safety & Controlling Director, Chief Compliance Officer / SKY Airline
10:15 – 10:40	Coffee break

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10:40 – 11:10	<p>Panel: Improving Safety & Ops in our region</p> <p>Moderator: Capt. Marcelo Marcusso, Safety Manager / LATAM Airlines Group, and President / Brazilian Commercial Aviation Safety Team (BCAST)</p> <p>Panelists:</p> <p>Capt. Danilo Andrade, Director of Flight Operations / Gol Linhas Aéreas</p> <p>Capt. Juan Carlos Gonzales Curzio, SVP of Safety / Grupo AeroMexico, and Chairman for SSQ (Safety, Security and Quality) Group / SkyTeam</p>
11:10 – 12:40	<p>Panel: Manufactures Infoshare – The close relationship between automation and Safety – technological evolution of aircraft</p> <p>Moderator: Capt. José A. Ruiz Llorente, Regional Director Operations, Safety and Security, The Americas / International Air Transport Association (IATA)</p> <p>Panelists:</p> <p>Airbus – Capt. Craig Hildebrandt, Senior Director, Safety and Flight Ops Technical Affairs</p> <p>ATR – Riccardo Petrucci, VP Technical Support & Regional Flight Safety Manager, Americas</p> <p>Boeing – David Zeitouni, Senior Technical Fellow, Flight Deck Architect</p> <p>Embraer – Patrice London Guedes, Performance Engineer - Technology Development E2TS Project - Team Leader</p>
12:40 – 12:50	Closing remarks
13:00 – 14:00	Regional Airbus Operators Safety Working Group Lunch (by invitation)
14:00 – 18:00	Regional Airbus Operators Safety Working Group Meeting (by invitation)