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Flight Safety Foundation

Flight Safety Foundation (FSF) is an international membership organization dedicated to the continuous improvement of aviation safety. Nonprofit and independent, the Foundation was launched officially in 1947 in response to the aviation industry's need for a neutral clearinghouse to disseminate objective safety information, and for a credible and knowledgeable body that would identify threats to safety, analyze problems and recommend practical solutions to them. Since its beginning, the Foundation has acted in the public interest to produce positive influence on aviation safety. Today, the Foundation provides leadership to more than 900 member organizations in more than 150 countries.

European Regions Airline Association

European Regions Airline Association (ERA) is the recognized representative body for regional air transport throughout Europe. Founded in 1980, the association provides a voice for its members in the development of the air transport industry at all political levels and regulatory levels, disseminates information on the scale and importance of regional air transport, and allows members to work together on common issues, to share information and to develop better commercial partnerships. The association represents 80 airlines, 45 airports and more than 136 other companies, including most of the principal airframe manufacturers and engine manufacturers, and other suppliers to the industry.

European Aviation Safety Seminar

This seminar offers information and ideas from around the world for application to European aviation safety. People employed in the following disciplines will benefit by attending:

- Regional airline managers
- Corporate operations managers
- Flight safety managers
- Flight crews
- Insurance executives
- Maintenance managers
- Instructors and researchers
- Aviation consultants
- Regulatory oversight managers
- Equipment manufacturers

PRELIMINARY AGENDA

MONDAY, MARCH 13

- 1200–1700 **Registration**
1300–1600 FSF European Advisory Committee (EAC) Meeting
1630–1730 Meeting for Chairmen and Speakers
1800–2000 **Opening Reception**

TUESDAY, MARCH 14

- 0800–0900 **Continental Breakfast in Exhibit Hall**
0800–1700 **Registration**

Opening Ceremonies

- 0900–0945 “Welcome and Seminar Opening” — Hans Almér, chairman,
FSF European Advisory Committee (EAC)
Stuart Matthews, president and CEO, Flight Safety Foundation
Mike A. Ambrose, director general, European Regions Airline Association

Presentation of Flight Safety Foundation–Airbus Human Factors in Aviation Safety Award

Agenda Development Committee

Hans Almér, former president, Saab Aircraft AB, and chairman, FSF EAC

Tzvetomir Blajev, coordinator, safety improvement initiatives, Safety Enhancement Business Division, Eurocontrol

James M. Burin, director of technical programs, Flight Safety Foundation

Rudi den Hertog, chief engineer, Fokker Services

Lorin Dumitrescu, vice president for quality and safety, TAROM Romanian Air Transport, and vice chairman, FSF EAC

Göran Forsberg, general manager, aviation, Inter Hannover Scandinavian Branch

Capt. Péter Kolozsár, flight operations inspectorate, B767 supervisor, Malév Hungarian Airlines

Capt. Paul Miller, member, Independent Pilots Association Safety Forum, and UPS

Jean-Jacques Speyer, director, operational evaluation, human factors and communication, Flight Operations Support and Line Assistance, Airbus

D.J. (Dick) van Eck, advisor general, ATM training, Air Traffic Control, Netherlands

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Session I — Safety Initiatives

Session Chairman — Göran Forsberg, general manager, aviation, Inter Hannover Scandinavian Branch

- 0945–1015 “The Year 2005 in Review” — David Learmount, operations and safety editor, *Flight International*
- 1015–1045 “Overview of Safety Improvements” — Tzvetomir Blajev, coordinator, safety improvement initiatives, Safety Enhancement Business Division, Eurocontrol
- 1045–1115 **Refreshments in Exhibit Hall**
- 1115–1145 “Ground Accident Prevention Update” — Robert H. Vandel, executive vice president, Flight Safety Foundation
- 1145–1215 “Future Aviation Safety Team (FAST)” — Rudi den Hertog, chief engineer, Fokker Services
- 1215–1245 Questions and Answers
- 1245–1415 **Lunch**

Session II — Operational Issues

Session Chairman — D. J. (Dick) van Eck, advisor general, ATM Training, Air Traffic Control, Netherlands

- 1415–1445 “Celebrating TAWS ‘Saves,’ but Lessons Still to Be Learned” — D.J. Gurney, aviation safety consultant
- 1445–1515 “Staying Alive With a Dead Engine” — Harry Horlings, president/owner, AvioConsult
- 1515–1545 **Refreshments in Exhibit Hall**
- 1545–1615 “Reducing the Risk of Smoke and Fire in Transport Airplanes: Past History, Current Risk and Recommended Mitigations” — Capt. John M. Cox, president, Safety Operating Systems
- 1615–1645 “Tail Strikes and Strong Gusty Winds — Preventive Measures” — Capt. David Carbaugh, chief pilot/flight operations safety, The Boeing Co.
- 1645–1715 Questions and Answers

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 15

- 0800–0900 **Continental Breakfast in Exhibit Hall**
- 0800–1700 **Registration**

Session III — Human Factors

Session Chairman — Jean-Jacques Speyer, director, operational evaluation, human factors and communication, Flight Operations Support and Line Assistance, Airbus

- 0900–0930 “Air Accidents and Incidents Human Factors Analysis: The Greek Experience 1983–2003” — Ioannis Markou, M.D., human factors-aviation medicine consultant
- 0930–1000 “One Year of ASAP at UPS: How It Is Working and Why It Is Working to Improve Flight Safety” — Capt. Paul Miller, member, Independent Pilots Association Safety Forum, and UPS
- 1000–1030 **Refreshments in Exhibit Hall**
- 1030–1100 “Human Factors Aspects of Unexpected Events as Precursors to Unwanted Outcomes” — Janeen A. Kochan, Ph.D., human factors scientist/pilot, Calspan
- 1100–1130 “Human Factors Evaluation of Weather Radar Operation” — Ratan Khatwa, Ph.D., manager, flight safety human factors, Honeywell
- 1130–1215 Questions and Answers
- 1215–1345 **Lunch**

Session IV — Error Prevention

Session Chairman — Tzvetomir Blajev, coordinator, safety improvement initiatives, Safety Enhancement Business Division, Eurocontrol

- 1345–1415 “Preventing Runway Overrun or Excursion on Landing” — Capt. Dick McKinney (retired), American Airlines
- 1415–1445 “Maintenance Error Management: The Next Step at Continental Airlines” — Randy Ramdass, managing director, aircraft maintenance, IAH/South Central Region, Continental Airlines
- 1445–1515 **Refreshments in Exhibit Hall**
- 1515–1545 “Implementing an Annual Accident Prevention Plan in an Airline” — Capt. Bertrand de Courville, head of safety, Air France
- 1545–1615 Questions and Answers
- 1615 “Seminar Closing” — Lorin Dumitrescu, vice chairman, European Advisory Committee, and TAROM Romanian Air Transport

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