



ICAO USAP-CMA SEMINAR

Nairobi, 19 to 22 January 2026

Introduction and Seminar Overview

**INTERNATIONAL
CIVIL AVIATION
ORGANIZATION**



Module Objectives

At the end of this module the participants will be able to describe the seminar objectives, structure and methodology.

Module Outline

Introductions

Seminar administration

Seminar structure

Seminar objectives

Methodology



Introductions

- Facilitators:
 - David Wilkinson (ASA)
 - James Mabala (ESAF RO)
 - Justus Nyunja (ESAF RO)
- State participants

Seminar Administration (1/3)

- Daily work schedule:
 - 0830 – 0945 : **Sessions 1 & 2**
 - 0945 – 1000 : Coffee Break
 - 1000 – 1130 : **Sessions 3 & 4**
 - 1130 – 1245 : Lunch break
 - 1245 – 1415 : **Sessions 4 & 5**
 - 1415 – 1430 : Coffee Break
 - 1430 – 1530 : **Session 7**



Seminar Administration (2/3)



Seminar Administration (3/3)

- Group photo
- Availability of seminar documentation
- Group exercises
- Feedback survey
- Participation certificates



Seminar Structure

Module 1
Introduction and Seminar
Overview

Module 2
The USAP-CMA

Module 3
A State's AVSEC oversight
system

Module 4

Module 4
Auditing Annex 17
Standards

Exercise 1
Std – CE – PQ
Interrelationship

Module 5
USAP-CMA Tools

Module 6
USAP-CMA Activity
Process
Preparation

Module 7
USAP-CMA Activity
Process
Conduct

Module 8
USAP-CMA Activity
Process
Reporting

Exercise 2
Developing a
Corrective Action Plan



Overall Seminar Objective

Familiarize participants with the ICAO Universal Security Audit Programme Continuous Monitoring Approach (USAP-CMA) and with the methodology and tools used by ICAO for the preparation, conduct and reporting of USAP-CMA activities.



Specific Objectives

- Participants will be able to use what they learn to assist their States throughout the various phases of USAP-CMA activities;
- Participants will have the opportunity to share their experiences with colleagues from other States.

Module objectives (1/4)

Module 2: USAP-CMA

Description of the key components of the USAP-CMA methodology

Module 3: A State's Aviation Security Oversight System

Description of the Critical Elements (CEs) of a State's aviation security oversight system

Module objectives (2/4)

Module 4: Auditing Annex 17 Standards

Understanding Annex 17 Standards
and common issues of interpretation

Module 5: USAP-CMA Tools

Describing the structure and types of
USAP-CMA tools

Module objectives (3/4)

Module 6: USAP-CMA activity process - Preparation

Understanding the nature, scope and sequence of events during the preparation phase of a USAP-CMA audit

Module 7: USAP-CMA activity process - Conduct

Understanding the nature, scope and sequence of events during the conduct phase of a USAP-CMA audit

Module objectives (4/4)

Module 8:
USAP-CMA activity
process -
Reporting

Understanding the audit reporting
process

Exercise objectives



Exercise 1: Standard-CE-PQ relationships

Identifying the interrelationships between Annex 17 Standards, the Critical Elements and the Protocol Questions



Exercise 2: CAP development

Preparing a corrective action Plan (CAP)

Methodology

Presentations by the facilitators

Interactive discussions

Exchange of experience

Practical exercise

Module Review

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Questions?

Thank You

