

**Association of
African Aviation Training Organization
AATO**

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OUTLINE

- ❑ Framework for harmonization of aviation training in Africa
- ❑ Association of African Aviation Training Organizations
 - **AATO** role in the framework for harmonization of aviation training in Africa;
 - **AATO Objectives**
 - **AATO Membership**
 - **AATO Structure**
 - **Action Required**

FRAMEWORK FOR HARMONIZATION OF AVIATION TRAINING IN AFRICA

*Cooperation between
States*

*Cooperation between
aviation training
organizations*

Rationalizing Training Capacities in Africa

*Harmonization and
Standardization of
Training*

Creation of the Association of African
Aviation Training Organizations

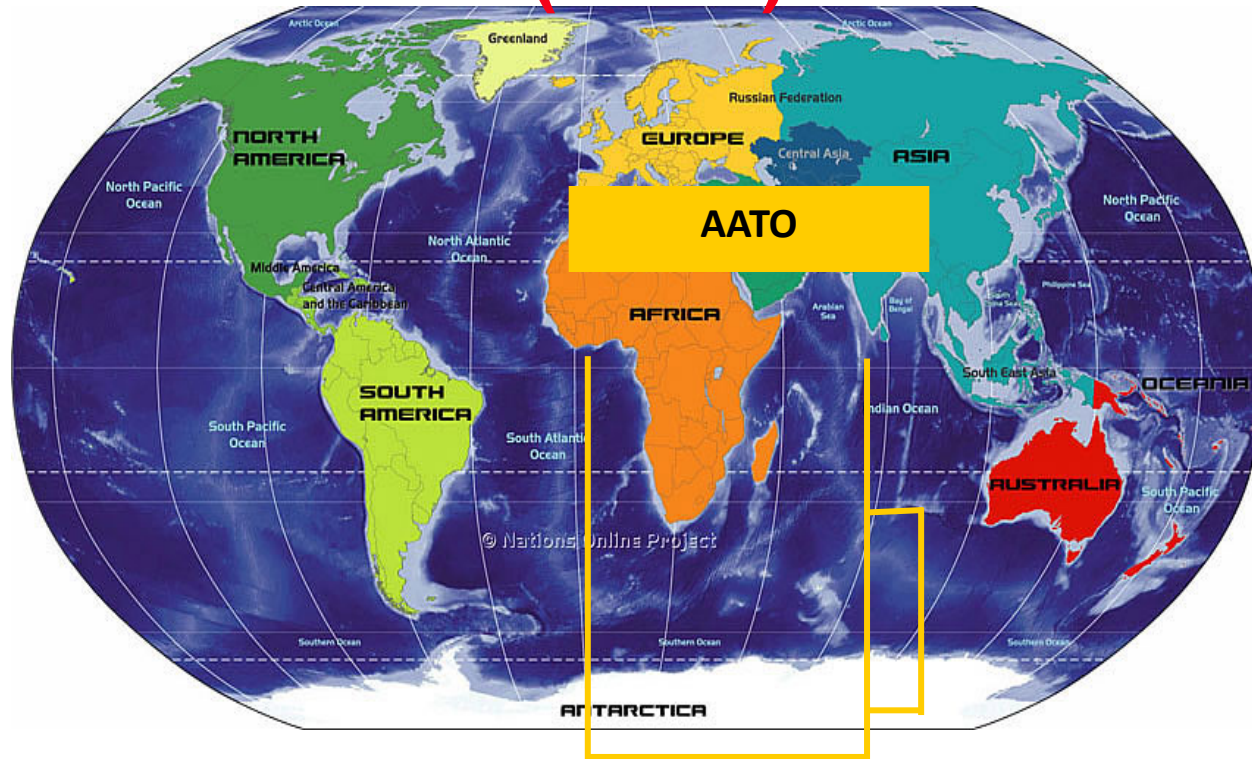


THE FRAMEWORK FOR HARMONIZATION OF AVIATION TRAINING IN AFRICA



- **Creation of the Association of African Aviation Training Organizations (AATO)**
- **Criteria and standards for the Designation of centers of excellence**
- **Establishment of an African Aviation Training Accreditation Board**
- **Developing the African Aviation Training Policy**

The Association of African Aviation Training Organizations (AATO)



Non-governmental international organization

Non for profit association

Roles of AATO

- ❑ **Foster cooperation and sharing resources among aviation training organizations**
- ❑ **Design, develop and promote the interests, standards and harmonization of aviation training and aviation training organizations**
- ❑ **Its role is planned to include**
 - **Designation of Centers of Excellence and develop training standards and guidelines for such designation**
 - **Establish an African Aviation Training Accreditation Board**
 - **Develop Regional Training Policy to insure the harmonization and standardization of training**

ASSOCIATION OF AFRICAN AVIATION TRAINING ORGANIZATIONS - OBJECTIVES

Advocacy

Promote the interests of aviation training organizations in Africa;

Standards

Design, develop and promote standards and harmonization of aviation training in Africa

Contribution to safety and security

Ensure the harmonization and standardization of training and training requirements in Africa with a view to a better achievement of safe and secure aviation operations in Africa



AATO MEMBERSHIP

Active membership

- African aviation training organizations;
- Regulatory approval or its equivalence for the operation of a training organization, issued by its own national regulatory or other competent authority or authorities;
- Voting rights in the Association.

Associate membership

- Other civil aviation organizations;
- Non for profit organizations;
- Voting rights in the Association.

Corporate membership

- Corporate entities in civil aviation
- For profit objective, willing to support the purposes of the Association;
- No voting rights in the Association.



AATO Structure

AATO Assembly



**AATO
Council**



AATO Secretariat



STRUCTURE

AATO Assembly

- ❑ Highest authority in the Association,
- ❑ All members and membership categories, **and**
- ❑ Such official observers or incidental guests as the Assembly may deem desirable



STRUCTURE

AATO Council

- ❑ Executive body of the Association.
- ❑ a minimum of six and a maximum of twelve members, appointed by the Assembly
- ❑ Execute the decisions taken by the Assembly,
- ❑ Make proposals to Assembly sessions, and
- ❑ Perform such other tasks as delegated to it



STRUCTURE

AATO Secretariat

- ❑ Administrative body of the Association;**
- ❑ Headed by a Director General, who is the Chief Executive Officer of the Association.**
- ❑ Director General appointed by the Council, for a five year term**



WAY FORWARD



- The Conference is expected to:
 - Review and adopt the proposed constitution of AATO;
 - Review and adopt the proposed organizational structure of AATO;
 - Identify transitional arrangements and support required for the establishment of AATO;
 - Elect the officials of AATO.



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