



ICAO

Curriculum Vitae:

Salvatore Sciacchitano (Mr.)

Nationality: Italian

LANGUAGES

- Italian (native), English and French
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EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATIONS

- Master graduated “cum laude” in telecommunication engineering, University of Catania.
 - Advanced aviation training at international institutions (ICAO, Cranfield University, etc).
 - Advanced management training e.g. leadership, communication, media relations, human resources management.
 - Private plane pilot licence (PPL, no longer current).
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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2020 - 2025	President of the Council of ICAO
2019	Appointed to the Italian Delegation on the ICAO Council.
2010 - 2018	Executive Secretary, European Civil Aviation Conference (ECAC)
1999 - 2010	Deputy Director General, Italian Civil Aviation Authority (ENAC)
1996 - 1999	Director General, Italian Airworthiness Authority (RAI)
1995 - 1996	Central Technical Director, RAI
1992 - 1995	Regulation Director, RAI
1989 - 1992	Technical Assistant of RAI President
1980 - 1989	RAI Professional

OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCES

- Vice President of the Provisional Council of EUROCONTROL
 - Chairman of the Joint Aviation Authorities Committee (JAA Committee)
 - Member of the JAATO Board
 - Visiting teacher and steering committee member of several Italian master's and PhD programmes in aviation.
 - Former member of the Scientific Committee of the International Centre for Competitiveness Studies in the Aviation Industry (ICCSAI).
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PUBLICATIONS

- Contributions to books, aviation manuals, think-tank reports, articles and editorials for specialized air transport media outlets
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HONOURS

- Lifetime Goodwill Ambassador of ICAO, Montréal, 2025
- Sheikh Mohammed Bin Rashid Al Maktoum Global Aviation Award, United Arab Emirates, 2025
- Recognition of a Distinguished Career and Contributions to Civil Aviation, Civil Aviation Board of the Dominican Republic, 2025
- Order of Dostyk (Friendship), Kazakhstan State Award, 2025
- Honorary Professor, Civil Aviation Academy, Kazakhstan, 2025
- Médaille de l'Aéronautique, République Française, 2021
- Honoris Causa Research Doctorate in Legal Sciences, University of Messina, 2021
- Keramianakis Award, Hellenic Aviation Society, 2021
- Honorary member "Socio ad honorem", Società Italiana Aviazione Civile, 2021
- Lifetime Achievement Award, Air Transport News, 2017
- Personal Distinction Award, Flight Safety Foundation – Mediterranean, 2016
- Paul Tissandier Diploma, International Aeronautical Federation, 2009
- "Golden AOPA" Award, Italian AOPA, 2006