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- To: States, Territories and International Organizations
- Subject:Invitation to the ICAO Regional Aviation Safety Group Pan America
(RASG-PA) Aviation Safety Seminar
Fort Lauderdale, United States, 21 22 March 2017

Action Required:

uired: Register participation as soon possible

Sir/Madam,

As part of the ICAO Regional Aviation Safety Group — Pan America (RASG-PA) regular programme activities, I wish to invite your Administration/Organization to participate in the RASG-PA Aviation Safety Seminar, which will be hosted by Nova Southeastern University and Embraer, and will be held from 21 to 22 March 2017, at the Nova Southeastern University facilities located at:

Carl DeSantis Building Knight Lecture Hall Auditorium 1124 3301 College Avenue, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33314 United States

RASG-PA has been established as the focal point to ensure harmonization and coordination of aviation safety efforts to reduce identified aviation risks in North America, Central America, the Caribbean, and South America, and promote implementation of the resultant initiatives to mitigate aviation safety risks.

RASG-PA has identified and developed training programmes as part of its safety improvement initiatives. Such programmes include conducting Aviation Safety Seminars/Workshops in the Pan American Region that address relevant and current aviation safety issues presented by States, International Organizations, industry, and ICAO.

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The event syllabus is presented at **Attachment A**. I urge civil aviation authorities, airlines, airports, air navigation service providers, aeronautical manufacturers, aircraft maintenance organizations, aeronautical training organizations, and the aeronautical community, in general, to participate in this relevant event.

The working language of the Seminar will be English. You are kindly requested to complete registration at the following website: <u>http://www.alta-testing.com/eblasts/ragspa/20170124/</u>. Please note that space is limited and seats will be reserved on a first-come, first-served basis; I would encourage you to register at your earliest convenience. General Information is at **Attachment B**.

All event presentations will be placed on the following webpage: <u>http://www.icao.int/NACC/Pages/meetings.aspx?year=2016&cM=12&cY=2015</u> as it becomes available. Taking into consideration the availability of presentations in electronic format, no hard copies will be distributed during the event. For more information on RASG-PA and its activities, I invite you to visit: <u>http://www.icao.int/RASGPA/Pages/default.aspx</u>.

Should you require further information regarding the meeting, please contact Mr. Romulo Gallegos, Regional Officer, Technical Assistance/RASG-PA Programme Management (rgallegos@icao.int), or Ms. Lizette Morales, Assistant, (lmorales@icao.int).

Accept, Sir/Madam, the assurances of my highest consideration.

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Enclosure:

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ATTACHMENT A

SYLLABUS

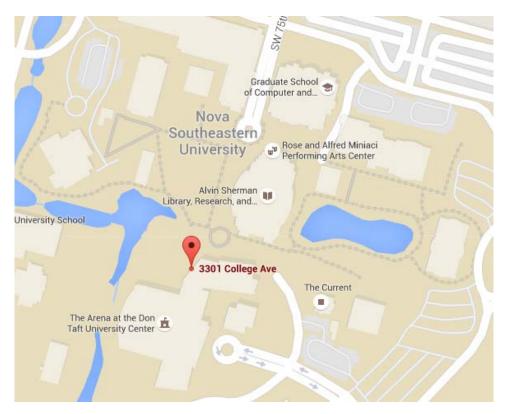
- 1. Safety Culture in Aviation Industry
- 2. Loss of Control In flight (LOC-I)
- 3. Runway Excursions (RE)
- 4. Mid Air Collisions (MAC)
- 5. Controlled Flight into Terrain (CFIT)

ATTACHMENT B

GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Venue, Date and Languages

The ICAO Regional Aviation Safety Group — Pan America (RASG-PA) Aviation Safety Seminar will be held at the Nova Southeastern University, located at the Carl DeSantis Building, Knight Lecture Hall, Auditorium 1124, 3301 College Avenue, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33314, United States, from 21 to 22 March 2017. There is no registration fee to participate in the Seminar. The working language will be English.



2. Registration

Participant registration will take place on 21 March 2017, from 09:00 to 09:30 hours.

3. Opening Session

The opening session will be held on 21 March 2017, at 09:30 hours, with opening remarks from ICAO, Nova Southeastern University and Embraer representatives.

4. Accommodation

For accommodation details visit: <u>http://www.nova.edu/travel/hotels.html</u>.