



**FOLLOW UP MEETING OF THE 1ST PAN-AFRICAN
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CONFERENCE**

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Day One Monday 04 May 2009

08:30 - 09:00 Registration

09:00 - 09:30 Opening Session

Welcome Addresses by

Ms. Monhla Hlahla, Managing Director & Chief Executive Officer,
Airports Company South Africa (ACSA)

Mr. Amadou Guitteye, Regional Director, Western & Central
Africa (WACAF), International Civil Aviation Organization
(ICAO)

09:30- 10:00 Coffee break

10:00-10:45 Overview of the Training Needs and Challenges in Africa: Capt
Haile Belai, Chief, ICAO AFI Comprehensive Implementation
Programme (ACIP)

10:45- 12:45 Panel 1: Aviation Training Needs in Africa

MODERATOR: Mr. Gaoussou Konate, Regional Manager, AFI,
International Air Transport Association (IATA), Southern Africa

Rapporteur: Mr. Maamoune Chakira, Safety Officer, ICAO/ACIP

PANELISTS :

- Mr. Francois Xavier Paccou, Ag Manager, Regional School of Fire
Safety (ERSI, Douala, Cameroun),
- Mr. George Ochiel, Chief Lecturer, in Aeronautical Information
Services, East African School of Aviation (EASA, Nairobi, Kenya)

12:45– 14:00 Lunch

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Day One Monday 04 May 2009 (Continued)

14:00 – 15:00 Panel 2: African Aviation Institutes Training Capabilities

MODERATOR: Ms. Monhla Hlahla, CEO & Managing Director,
Airport Company South Africa (ACSA, Johannesburg, South Africa)

*Rapporteur: Ms. Nancy Onyedim. Technical Cooperation officer,
ICAO-ESAF*

PANELISTS :

- Mr. Chifosho B. Shingalili, Principal, Zambia Air Services Institute (ZASTI, Lusaka, Zambia),
- Mr. Charles Chacha, Principal, Civil Aviation Training Centre, Tanzania Civil Aviation Authority (TCAA, Dar-es-Salam, Tanzania)
- Mr. Emnet Meheret Gebru; ATM Business Development Manager, SITA Africa
- Mr. Andries Viljoen, Divisional Chief Executive, Aviation Academy for Southern Africa (AAFSA)

15:00 – 15:30 Coffee Break

15:30 – 16:30 Panel 2: African Aviation institutes Training Capabilities (continued)

16:30 End of Day one

EVENING Dinner, sponsored by Airports Company South Africa (ACSA)

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Day Two Tuesday 05 May 2009

**09: 00- 10:00 Panel 3: Training Policy, Coordination and
Harmonization of training delivery in Africa**

MODERATOR : Mr. Mesfin Fikru, Safety and Security Officer,
African Civil Aviation Commission (AFCAC)

Rapporteur: Ms. Nicole Barrette-Sabourin, Training Officer, Flight
Safety Section, ICAO

PANELISTS :

- Dr. Elijah Chigonso, Director, Technical & Training, African Airlines Association (AFRAA),
- Dr-Ing. Getachew Biru, Academic Dean, Ethiopian Aviation Academy (EAA, Addis-Ababa, Ethiopia)
- Capt. Ahmed Aly Negm, Business Coordinator, Egyptian Aviation Academy (EAA, Cairo, Egypt)
- Mr. Bernard Wandera, Director, East Africa Civil Aviation Academy (Soroti, Uganda)

10:00 – 10:30 Coffee Break

**10: 30- 12:30 Panel 3: Training Policy, Coordination and
Harmonization of training delivery in Africa
(continued)**

12:30 – 14:00 Lunch

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Day Two Tuesday 05 May 2009 (Continued)

14:00 – 16:00 Presentations of panels reports

MODERATOR : Mr. Mamadou Ndiaye, Deputy Regional Director, ICAO, Eastern and Southern Africa (ESAF)

Rapporteurs: Mr. Maamoune Chakira, Ms Nancy Onyedin, Mr. Mitch Fox

PANELISTS :

- Mr. Gaoussou Konate, Moderator, Panel 1,
- Ms. Monhla Hlahla, Moderator, Panel 2,
- Mr. Mesfin Fikru, Panel 3.

Summary of the discussions

16:00 – 16:30 Coffee Break

16:30 – 17:15 Closing Session

- **The way forward for the harmonization of aviation training in Africa:** Capt Haile Belai, Chief, ICAO AFI Comprehensive Implementation Programme (ACIP)
- **Closing Remarks:**
Mr. Colin Jordaan, Chief Executive Officer/Commissioner, South African Civil Aviation Authority (SCAA)
Mr. Amadou Guitteye, Regional Director, Western & Central Africa (WACAF), ICAO

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