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114th IATP Conference Okinawa, Japan, October 15-19, 2016: Highlights

The 114th IATP Conference was held at the ANA Crowne Plaza Harborview, from October 15th until October 19th, 2016. The conference, greatly hosted by All Nippon Airways, with the support of Mitsubishi Aircraft Corporation and Jamco, was attended by more than 400 participants.

During the conference days, representatives from the 100+ Airline Members, from the 30+ Associate Members as well as authorized vendors scheduled around 1,200 meetings in order to start new commercial relations and/or negotiate terms and conditions of pooling contracts for the forthcoming season. The participants also had the opportunities to attend sessions aimed at providing updates about the aviation industry.

Some highlights of the conference:

- Three Airlines joined IATP as Members; we warmly welcome Aegean Airlines, Hong Kong Express and Spring Airlines!
- Two vendors specializing in MRO and components services joined the organization as Associate Members; welcome to GMF AeroAsia and Worthington Aviation!
- More opportunities to deepen the knowledge about pooling were provided to the delegates through new sessions and trainings, such as the Line Maintenance Regulatory Training and the Introduction to Aircraft Recovery Pooling, in addition to the Introduction to IATP and to Parts Pooling and the SGHA Familiarization.



The social events organized after the business day were highly appreciated by the participants as it enabled them to do some networking and expand their contacts.

The next IATP Conference will be held from March 11 to 15, 2017 in Dublin, Ireland!



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About IATP

IATP is an independent and not for profit Airlines organization and today counts 104 airline members and 33 associate members (service providers and OEM). Its aim is to enable airlines to share resources in the field of technical support, for cost saving, operations simplification and AOG solution purpose. IATP covers aircraft spare parts, ground equipment, manpower for technical handling and aircraft recovery equipments. IATP airlines operate worldwide in about 900 stations and pooling activities cover almost all aircraft types.

IATP is an organization managed by the member airlines through the elected Management Committee. All member airlines meet twice per year at conferences held in March and October in different countries.

The operations are coordinated by a Corporate Office based in Luxembourg.

The IATP Mission Statement

The IATP is a convention of Airlines sharing Technical Resources to generate economic savings and support on time dispatch reliability and operational safety. The IATP is a non-profit, independent, non-political global organization based on a democratic culture with equal opportunities for all member Airlines and their delegates.

Technical Resources includes, but not limited to, aircraft spare parts, line maintenance, ground handling equipment, aircraft recovery kits and technical training.