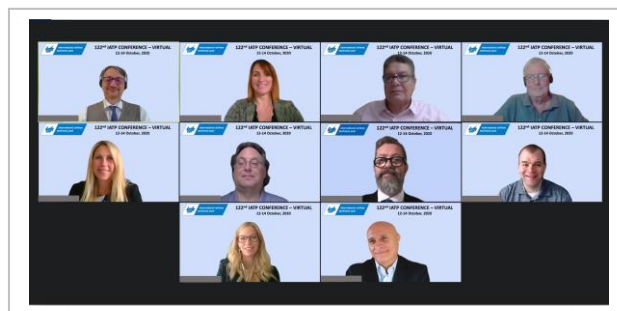


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The 122nd IATP Conference took place virtually on October 12 – 14, 2020.

More than 300 Airline and Associate member representatives from all over the world joined this first ever virtual conference. Despite the current worldwide situation limiting travel, the delegates were able to discuss and finalize terms and conditions for pooling agreements regarding spare parts, aircraft recovery equipment, and line maintenance support for the forthcoming season.

The virtual conference also provided a good opportunity for the delegates not only to review the progress done on new projects such as the Engines Pooling, but also to discuss all technical issues currently affecting the air transport operations.



IATP Board of Directors and Team at the virtual conference closing.

The delegates appreciated the convenient navigation the virtual event platform provided and the ability to join B2B meetings or webinars with ease. The tools to personalize and keep track of their schedule were highly valued.

Conference Facts



Conference Testimonials

“Let me first express and extend my full admiration and appreciation for the efforts exerted by all IATP, it was really an amazing experience. I noticed that all the preparation and logistics was made in order to have a successful conference in addition to the dedication and professionalism shown.”

Eng. Tarek Ghoneim, Egyptair – ME Marketing Chairman Advisor

“2020 has brought us many challenges, creating additional trials for the IATP team. Although a virtual conference is full of technical issues and glitches, the 122nd IATP virtual conference was more successful than anyone thought it would be and had some good takeaways. Thank you IATP team for your extra work for this event to make it a success.”

Cristina Boston, United Airlines – Loans, Borrowers & Accommodation Sales

“My company suspended 90% international passenger flights due to Covid-19, but we operate a lot of charter flights to more destinations all over the world than in the past. This virtual conference helped us a lot to build connections with other airlines; it was so easy to get into all different virtual meeting rooms via Marcom’s agenda. Thank you all.”

Chichi Chang, Hainan Airlines – Outstation Manager of Material Support, Procurement Department

If the situation at that time permits, the next IATP Conference will be organized in March 2021 in Dublin, Ireland.

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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.

About IATP

Today IATP counts 118 airline members and 39 associate members (service providers and OEM) and operate worldwide in about 900 stations; pooling activities cover almost all aircraft types.

All member airlines meet twice per year at conferences held in March and October in different countries.

The organization is managed by the member airlines through the elected Board of Directors. The operations are coordinated by a Corporate Office based in Luxembourg.