

SAFETY MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS

An Overview for Senior Managers



Duration: 4 Hours
Maximum Attendance: 25

Suitable For: Senior Managers

Format: Interactive presentations and lectures, illustrative case studies and short videos

Description: Over the past 20 years, the aviation industry has graduated towards a systematic approach to safety and risk management, compiling and cataloguing safety policies, developing procedures and processes, applying metrics to safety performance and setting targets to achieve and maintain. Now the Safety Management System (SMS) has become a part of our industry standards and is a regulatory requirement. The principles of SMS as set out by ICAO are consistent throughout all sectors of aviation but the application of these principles is unique within each organisation and the regulators expect operators to demonstrate how their SMS is optimised for their specific operation and how it can adapt to changes as they occur. This session is designed to provide senior managers with a sound understanding of their obligations and responsibilities in SMS

Objectives:

- Understand the evolution of SMS into a regulatory requirement
- See the basic structure of SMS as defined by ICAO and how it works in practice
- Define senior management's role in SMS design, implementation and management
- Understand the importance of organisational culture in the success of SMS
- Explore the options for safety metrics and safety performance indicators (SPI)

Content:

- Safety Policy and Objectives
 - Management commitment and responsibilities
 - Safety accountabilities and Appointment of key personnel
 - Coordination of emergency response planning and SMS documentation
- Safety Risk Management
 - Hazard identification
 - Risk management and mitigation
- Safety Assurance
 - Safety performance monitoring and measurement
 - Management of change
 - Continuous improvement of the SMS
- Safety Promotion
 - Training and education
 - Safety communication

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