Hilton Lima Miraflores

#### **AGENDA**

(Subject to change)

# Sunday, June 29

9 a.m.-1 pm City Tour (meet in Hilton Lima Miraflores lobby)

Hosted and sponsored by Lima Airport Partners

1:30-3 p.m. Lunch

4-5 p.m. Executive Update Session

6-7 p.m. Welcome Reception

Sponsored by San Francisco International Airport

# Monday, June 30

8 a.m. Registration

8:45-9:15 a.m. Welcome and Opening Remarks

Introduction: Ms. Holly Ackerman

Associate Vice President, Global Operations American Association of Airport Executives

Speakers: Mr. Vinicio "Lenny" LLerena, A.A.E., ACE

South Central Chapter Conference Planning Committee Chair

**Executive Director** 

Victoria Regional Airport

Mr. Kevin Bumen, A.A.E., C.A.E., AAAE Secretary/Treasurer, IAAE Chair

Chief Financial & Commercial Officer | Finance & Commercial

San Francisco International Airport

Mr. Norbert Onkelbach Chief Commercial Officer

Jorge Chávez International Airport (Lima, Peru)

9:15-9:30 a.m. Keynote speech: The Challenges, Aspirations and South American Region

Strategy for 2035

Introduction: Mr. Vinicio "Lenny" LLerena, A.A.E., ACE

South Central Chapter Conference Planning Committee Chair

**Executive Director** 

Victoria Regional Airport

Speaker: Mr. Fabio Rabbani

Regional Director for South America International Civil Aviation Organization

9:30-10:30 a.m. Executive Roundtable: The Future of Aviation

Gain insights from top aviation leaders as they discuss the key trends shaping the future of airports and airlines across the Americas. This roundtable will explore how the industry is adapting to evolving passenger expectations, trade patterns, sustainability demands, and digital transformation, while also addressing strategies for enhanced

collaboration between stakeholders.

Moderator: Mr. Rick Crider, A.A.E.

Immediate Past Chair, American Association of Airport Executives

Director, Prescott (Ariz.) Airport

Speakers: Mr. Jorge Hernández, CPA, IAAE Vice Chair, and COA Planning Committee

Vice Chair

President and Chief Executive Officer, Aerostar Airport Holdings

Luis Muñoz Marín International Airport (San Juan, P.R.)

Mr. Manuel van Oordt

CEO

LATAM Peru

Mr. Norbert Onkelbach Chief Commercial Officer

Jorge Chávez International Airport

Mr. Peter Rutherford Managing Director

The Airport Authority of the Bahamas

Mr. Miguel Saravia Andean Director

SITA

Mr. Eduardo Coll

CEO

Leadin Aviation

#### **TOPIC 1: Strategic Collaboration between Airports, Airlines, and Authorities**

10:30-11:20 a.m. The Americas as a Global Aviation Gateway: Strengthening Regional and

International Connectivity

As a key aviation hub in South America, Lima plays a vital role in

connecting regional trade, tourism, and cargo flows with North America,

Asia, and beyond. This session will explore how infrastructure investments, regulatory frameworks, and airline partnerships can enhance strategic connectivity across the Americas, while identifying

lessons that can be applied to other regional hubs.

Moderator: Mr. Kevin Bumen, A.A.E., C.A.E., AAAE Secretary/Treasurer, IAAE Chair

Chief Financial & Commercial Officer | Finance & Commercial

San Francisco International Airport

Speakers: Mr. Martín La Rosa

Country Manager, Peru and Bolivia International Air Transport Association

Mr. Scott Peterson Mr. David Fiore, C.M., J.D.

Managing Director, Properties Senior Airport Affairs, Planning

and Facilities and Operations Rep
FedEx Corporation FedEx Corporation

Mr. Dimas Salvia, A.A.E. Chief Operations Officer

Rio de Janeiro/Galeão-Antonio Carlos Jobim International Airport (Rio de

Janeiro, Brazil)

Mr. Antonio Mendes Operational Manager

Comodoro Arturo Merino Benítez International Airport (Santiago, Chile)

11:20-11:40 a.m. Networking Break

Sponsored by Michael Baker International

11:40 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Liberalization of Air Transport

As air transport liberalization progresses across the Americas, this session will examine how open skies agreements and regulatory changes are reshaping market access, competition, and infrastructure investment.

Industry leaders will discuss key policy challenges, operational barriers, and opportunities for greater connectivity and economic growth

throughout the region.

Moderator: Dr. Rafael Echevarne

**Director General** 

ACI-Latin America Caribbean

Speakers: Mr. Diogo Arbigaus

Air Transport Officer

ICAO South America Regional Office

Mr. Norbert Onkelbach Chief Commercial Officer

Jorge Chávez International Airport

Mr. Lucas Cechet Administrator

Ezeiza International Airport (Argentina)

12:30-1:30 p.m. Lunch

Sponsored by The Islands of the Bahamas

### **TOPIC 2: Aviation Industry Challenges and Growth Opportunities**

1:30-2:20 p.m. Optimizing Apron Infrastructure for Operational Resilience

> As airports navigate the increasing complexity of airside operations, optimizing apron infrastructure has emerged as a critical strategy for improving operational resilience and performance. This session will examine how airports and their industry partners are enhancing apron management through smarter infrastructure design, data-driven decisionmaking, and the integration of advanced technologies. Panelists will share insights into strategies for managing aircraft movements, ground handling operations, and ramp safety while building flexibility into infrastructure planning and operations. The conversation will highlight practical examples of collaborative planning and implementation to

support smoother, safer, and more efficient apron activity.

Moderator: Mr. Greg Kelly, A.A.E.

**Executive Director** 

Savannah Airport Commission (Georgia, U.S.)

Speakers: Mr. Rodrigo Ribeiro

Aerodromes Regional Officer

ICAO South America Regional Office

Mr. Jorge Quiroz

CEO

**PDBM Consulting** 

Mr. Sergio Martins

Director, Air Traffic Management - Latin America & the Caribbean

Saab Group

2:20-3:10 p.m. Decentralization and Promotion of Connectivity in Regional Airports

Smaller and regional airports play a critical role in enhancing connectivity

and economic development. This session will explore successful

decentralization strategies (increased point-to-point flying), public-private partnerships, and infrastructure investments that enable smaller airports to attract airlines, integrate with multimodal networks, and serve as

economic hubs for their regions.

Moderator: Mr. Jeff Mulder, A.A.E.

**Director of Airports** 

Oklahoma City/OKC Airport Trust (Oklahoma, U.S.)

Speakers: Mr. Rick Crider, A.A.E.

Immediate Past Chair, American Association of Airport Executives

Director, Prescott (Ariz.) Airport

Mr. Ernesto Di Laudo Commercial Manager Aeropuertos del Perú

Mr. Alberto Huby

CEO

Aeropuertos Andinos (Perú)

3:10-3:30 p.m. Networking Break

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3:30-4:20 p.m. The Role of Aviation in Regional Growth: Unlocking Economic and Social

Opportunities

Aviation serves as a key driver of economic and social development by facilitating trade, tourism, and connectivity. This session will examine how airports, airlines, and policymakers can work together to maximize the economic benefits of air transport, improve accessibility, and enhance

long-term regional growth.

Moderator: Mr. Victor Albuquerque

Partner and Director of Sector Analysis

APOYO Consultoría

Speakers: Mr. Ramón Miró

President and CEO

**Quiport Corporation (Ecuador)** 

Mr. Jorge Hernández, CPA

President and Chief Executive Officer, Aerostar Airport Holdings

Luis Muñoz Marín International Airport (San Juan, P.R.)

Mr. Jeff Mulder, A.A.E. Director of Airports

Oklahoma City/OKC Airport Trust (Oklahoma, U.S.)

4:20-5:10 p.m. **TOPIC 3: Developing a Resilient and Sustainable Tourism Strategy: The** 

Role of Airports in Short- and Long-Term Growth

Tourism is a key driver of economic growth across the Americas, and airports play a central role in facilitating visitor arrivals, enhancing destination marketing, and supporting sustainable tourism expansion.

This session will examine strategies for air service development,

infrastructure planning, and sustainability integration to ensure long-term

tourism sector resilience.

Moderator: Mr. Ignacio Mendoza

President

Hoteles del Peru

Speakers: Ms. Maria de Sol Velasquez

Director Promperu

Mr. Diego Macera

Director, Instituto de Estudios Peruanos

Member, Board of Directors, Banco Central de Reserva del Perú

5:10-5:30 p.m. Day One Key Takeaways and the Path Ahead

As the first day of the Airports Conference of the Americas comes to a close, this session brings together leading voices from today's agenda to reflect on key insights, highlight recurring themes, offer forward-looking

perspectives and take questions.

Moderators: Mr. Kevin Bumen, A.A.E., C.A.E., AAAE Secretary/Treasurer, IAAE Chair

Chief Financial & Commercial Officer | Finance & Commercial

San Francisco International Airport

Dr. Rafael Echevarne

Director ACI - LAC

7 p.m. Transport from Hilton Lima Miraflores to Huaca Pucllana

7:30 p.m. Evening Event: Huaca Pucllana, Calle General Borgoño № 860, Miraflores

Hosted and sponsored by Lima Airport Partners

Tuesday, July 1

8:30 a.m. Registration

9-9:50 a.m. TOPIC 4: Modern Commercial Air Management in Retail and Services—

Transforming Your Airport into a Unique Commercial Experience
Airports are no longer just transit hubs—they are now highly curated
commercial destinations that influence passenger experience and drive
revenue growth. This session will explore cutting-edge retail, dining, and
entertainment innovations, along with strategies to enhance nonaeronautical revenue through digital solutions, branding, and local

culture integration.

Moderator: Ms. Marinela Beke

Manager Airport Retail

Jorge Chávez International Airport (Lima, Peru)

Speakers: Ms. Adriana Echandi

CEO

Morpho Travel Experience

Mr. Chris Gwilliam

Senior Vice President of Global Business Development

**Airport Dimensions** 

Mr. Miguel Ruiz General Manager

Lagardère Travel Retail Perú

Mr. Dennis Iskra

Vice President and Senior Principal Architect, Aviation

RS&H

9:50-10:40 a.m. Integrating Infrastructure and Real Estate for Airport Growth

Airports serve as critical nodes in regional economies, and their real estate assets offer immense potential for revenue generation and economic expansion. This session will explore how airports can develop commercial real estate, logistics hubs, and business districts, while ensuring seamless integration with transportation infrastructure to maximize long-term growth and sustainability.

Moderator: Mr. David Full, AICP

Vice President | National Discipline Leader, Aviation Environmental

RS&H

Speakers: Mr. Jason Adriaenssens

Engagement Manager Alton Aviation Consultancy

Mr. Jose Orrego

CEO

Metropolis

Ms. Gabriela Barreto

Partner CAPIA

10:40-11 a.m. Networking Break

Sponsored by Airport Seating Alliance

11-11:50 a.m. **TOPIC 5: Innovative Approaches to Airport Financing and Environmental** 

Sustainability

Securing sustainable and flexible funding is essential for airports aiming to expand infrastructure, modernize operations, and meet growing environmental expectations. This session will explore innovative financing mechanisms—such as public-private partnerships (PPPs), green bonds, sustainability-linked loans, and multilateral funding sources—as well as strategic approaches to environmental management and climate resilience. Panelists will highlight how financial and environmental strategies are increasingly intertwined, and how airports across the Americas and the Caribbean can align capital planning with sustainability

objectives.

Moderator: Ms. Micaela Rizo Patrón

General Manager Perú Sostenible

Speakers: Mr. Kevin Bumen, A.A.E.

Chief Financial & Commercial Officer | Finance & Commercial

San Francisco International Airport (California, U.S.)

Mr. Arturo Casinelli

CEO

Talma Group

Mr. Ivan Saco

Commercial Aviation Lead

Exolum

Mr. Jorge Armoa

**Environment and Meteorological Regional Officer** 

ICAO South America Regional Office

11:50-12:30 p.m. Conclusions

12:30-1:45p.m. Lunch

Sponsored by Richmond (Va., U.S.) International Airport

2 p.m. Depart hotel for New Jorge Chávez International Airport

3:30 p.m. Tour of the New Jorge Chávez International Airport Visit

Participants will have the exclusive opportunity to tour the newly expanded Jorge Chávez International Airport, a landmark infrastructure project transforming Lima into a world-class aviation hub. This guided visit will

showcase the state-of-the-art terminal, modernized airside facilities, expanded cargo operations, and cutting-edge passenger amenities designed to enhance capacity, efficiency, and connectivity. The airport's recently inaugurated Digital

Apron Management Center will be included in the tour.