

ADVANCING TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT IN AVIATION SECURITY



Recognising the challenges in aviation security, the International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO) inked a Memorandum of Understanding with Singapore in December 2010 to jointly develop an Aviation Security Leadership and Management Seminar to meet the needs for advanced training and development in the area of aviation security. This is

designed to equip leaders and senior management of the civil aviation authorities and industry with the strategic knowledge and insights to meet security challenges and priorities in today's aviation environment.

The Inaugural ICAO-Singapore Aviation Security Leadership and Management Seminar was held at the Singapore Aviation Academy (SAA) from 28 to 30 November. Delegates comprising Director-Generals and CEOs from eight countries – Congo, Kiribati, Marshall Islands, Mauritius, Palau, Papua New Guinea, Solomon Islands and Vanuatu – attended the Seminar.

As part of the Seminar, the delegates also visited the Certis Cisco Academy where they were briefed on the key roles and functions of the academy and shown new technologies used in the provision of aviation security training in Singapore. In addition, a Welcome Lunch hosted by Yap Eng Heng, Director-General, Civil Aviation Authority of Singapore on the first day of the seminar was held at the Pine Valley Restaurant, Laguna National Golf & Country Club.