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ASIA AND PACIFIC REGIONS**

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**SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS/SEMINARS/WORKSHOPS  
TO BE CONVENED IN 2019 BY THE ICAO  
ASIA AND PACIFIC OFFICE**

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**SUMMARY**

This Paper provides a tentative schedule of Meetings, Seminars and Workshops planned to be convened in the year 2019 by the ICAO Regional Office for the Asia and Pacific Regions. The information is presented to States and International Organizations for advance planning/budgetary purposes only and may be subject to change. A formal letter of invitation will normally be issued at least 2 months prior to each event and posted on ICAO APAC website at [www.icao.int/apac](http://www.icao.int/apac). Other special co-ordination and task force/working group meetings will also be convened during the year 2019, as necessary.

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## 1. INTRODUCTION

1.1 Every year the ICAO Asia/Pacific Regional Office conducts an intensive programme of meetings, seminars and workshops. The programme covers several objectives, as follows:

- To provide for efficient coordination and harmonization of the regional planning and implementation process;
- To raise the awareness and enhance understanding of the ICAO provisions;
- To provide feed-back from States and users on their implementation experience, current and future needs;
- To provide high quality training to States' personnel in the key implementation areas.

1.2 Most of the meetings conducted by the Regional Office are related to the work programme of the regional planning and implementation body – APANPIRG, Regional Aviation Safety Group – RASG and Regional Aviation Security Coordination forum (RASCF). In addition, the Regional Office provides venue, secretariat service or coordination assistance for meetings of the ATS Coordination Groups, COSCAPs and other events of regional or global nature.

1.3 Through this broad programme of meetings and training events, the Regional Office provides an excellent forum to the States to conduct continuous dialogue and facilitate the coordination and harmonization of the planning and implementation of the regional air transport system. The Workshops/Seminars contribute to the capacity building of the States and the Region as a whole. The Regional Office expresses its appreciation to all Civil Aviation Administrations and International Organization for supporting the participation of their highly qualified experts and officials in the ICAO regional activities and thus contributing greatly towards achieving the regional goals.

## 2. TENTATIVE SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS, WORKSHOPS AND SEMINARS FOR 2019

2.1 The tentative schedule for 2019 is provided in the table below.

<b>2019 – MEETINGS, WORKSHOPS AND SEMINARS</b>		
<b>Meetings</b>	<b>Tentative Dates</b>	<b>Venue</b>
APWHM/WG/1 Meeting	January (TBC)	Bangkok ,Thailand
PBN Airspace Design Workshop	21 – 25 January	Beijing, China
CRV OG/5	January	Hong Kong, China
CSMMTC - MCIS	January	Beijing, China
AP-ADOTF/1	February (TBC)	Bangkok ,Thailand
APUASTF/3	February	TBD
AOPC SWG/2	March (TBC)	Bangkok ,Thailand
MET/IE WG/17	18 – 20 March	Bangkok ,Thailand
MET/S WG/9	20 – 22 March	Bangkok ,Thailand
SAIOACG/9	26 – 29 March	Bangkok ,Thailand
DAPs WG/2	March	TBD
SBAS/GBAS Implementation Seminar	March (TBC)	Beijing, China

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SCSTFRG/8	March ( TBC)	Beijing, China
APA TF/5 (AIDC TF)	March	TBD
PBNICG/6	March/April (TBC)	TBD
ATFM/IR/SWG/3	Beginning of April	Japan
SEACG/26	1 – 4 April	Bangkok ,Thailand
ATFM/SG/9	22 – 26 April	Bangkok ,Thailand
APA-CDM/TF/4	22 – 26 April	Bangkok ,Thailand
SURICG/4	April/May	TBD
APAAWG/1	May (TBC)	Bangkok ,Thailand
SWIM TF/3	6 – 10 May	Bangkok ,Thailand
CRV OG/6	8 - 10 May	Bangkok ,Thailand
ACSICG/6	13 – 15 May	Bangkok ,Thailand
APSAR/WG/4	14 – 17 May	Bangkok ,Thailand
MET/R WG/8 and MET/ATM Seminar	27 – 31 May	Bangkok ,Thailand
SRWG/6	May (TBC)	Bangkok ,Thailand
PBN Workshop for Air Traffic Controllers	May/June (TBC)	TBD
APRAST/14	May	Bangkok ,Thailand
AAITF/14	3 – 7 June	Bangkok ,Thailand
VOLCEX/SG/6	TBC	Bangkok ,Thailand
MET/SG/23	June (TBC)	Bangkok ,Thailand
AOP/SG/3	24 – 28 June	Bangkok ,Thailand
FIT-Asia/9	25 – 28 June	Bangkok ,Thailand
BOBTFRG/2	June	TBD
RASMAG/24	9 – 12 July	Bangkok ,Thailand
CNS SG/23	8 – 12 July	Bangkok ,Thailand
PIRG & RASG Coordination and PIRG Midterm Review	22 – 26 July	Bangkok ,Thailand
ATM/SG/7	5 – 9 August	Bangkok ,Thailand
56 <sup>th</sup> DGCA Conference	26 to 30 August	Kathmandu, Nepal
ATFM/IR/SWG/4	August	TBD
APANPIRG/30 and RASG	TBD	Bangkok ,Thailand
Aerodrome PMS Workshop	23 – 27 September	Bangkok ,Thailand
SCSTFRG/9	October (TBC)	TBD
Aerodrome SMS Seminar	November (TBC)	TBD
SEA/BOB ADS-B WG/15	November	TBD
APRAST/15	December	Bangkok ,Thailand

<b>2018 – OUTSTANDING MEETINGS, WORKSHOPS AND SEMINARS</b>		
<b>Meetings</b>	<b>Tentative Dates</b>	<b>Venue</b>
7 <sup>th</sup> Meeting of the South China Sea Traffic Flow Review Group (SCSTFRG/7)	5 – 7 November	Manila, Philippines
14 <sup>th</sup> Meeting of the South East Asia and Bay of Bengal Sub-regional ADS-B Implementation Working Group (SEA/BOB ADS/B WG/14)	7 – 9 November	Bangkok, Thailand
Aviation Medicine Refresher Course for Civil Aviation Medical Examiners	19 – 21 November	Bangkok, Thailand
10 <sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Collaborative Arrangement for the Prevention and Management of Public Health Events in Civil Aviation Asia Pacific (CAPSCA-AP/10)	22 – 23 November	Bangkok, Thailand
ACI-ICAO Aerodrome Certification Course	19 – 23 November	Bangkok, Thailand
ICAO Asia/Pacific Regional ATM Automation System Symposium	22 – 23 November	Nanjing, China
1 <sup>st</sup> Meeting of the Bay of Bengal Traffic Flow Review Group (BOBTFRG/1)	26 – 28 November	Bangkok, Thailand
13 <sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Asia Pacific Regional Aviation Safety Team (APRAST/13)	3 – 7 December	Bangkok, Thailand
Aerodrome Certification incorporating PANS-Aerodromes Workshop	3 – 7 December	Nadi, Fiji

### **3. ACTION BY THE CONFERENCE**

3.1 The Conference is invited to:

- a) note the tentative programme of meetings, seminars and workshops of the ICAO Regional Office for 2019; and
- b) continue supporting the ICAO regional meeting and training programme throughout 2019.

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## ACRONYMS

AAITF	Aeronautical Information Services – Aeronautical Information Management Implementation Task Force
ACSICG	Aeronautical Communication Services (ACS) Implementation Co-ordination Group
ADS-B SITF	ADS-B Study and Implementation Task Force
AOPC SWG	Aerodrome Operational Personnel Competency Small Working Group
AOP/SG	Aerodrome Operations and Planning Sub Group
APAAWG	Asia/Pacific Aerodrome Assistance Working Group
APAC AIG	Asia Pacific Accident Investigation Group
APA-CDM/TF	Asia/Pacific Airport Collaborative Decision Making Task Force
AP-ADOTF	Asia/Pacific Aerodrome Design and Operations Task Force
APANPIRG	Asia/Pacific Air Navigation Planning and Implementation Group
APA/TF	Asia/Pacific ATS Inter-Facility Data-Link Communication (AIDC) Implementation Task Force (APA/TF)
APSARWG	Asia Pacific Search and Rescue Working Group
APUASTF/1	Asia Pacific Unmanned Aircraft System Task Force
APWHM/WG	Asia/Pacific Wildlife Hazard Management Working Group
ATFM/SG	Air Traffic Flow Management Steering Group
ATM/SG	ATM/Sub Group
ATN IC G	Aeronautical Telecommunication Network Implementation and Coordination Group
CAPSCA	Collaborative Arrangement for the Prevention and Management of Public Health Events in Civil Aviation
CNS/SG	CNS Sub-Group of APANPIRG
CRV	Common Regional Virtual Private Network (VPN)
CRV OG	Common Regional Virtual Private Network (VPN) Operations Group
CSMMTC - MCIS	CAA Senior and Middle Managers Training Course (CSMMTC) on Managing Compliance with ICAO SARPs (MCIS)
FIT-Asia	FANS Interoperability Team-Asia
FPP SCM	Flight Procedure Programme Steering Committee
ISTF	Ionospheric Study Task Force
MET/IE WG	Meteorological Information Exchange Working Group (of the MET/SG)
MET/R WG	Meteorological Requirements Working Group (of the MET/SG)
MET/SG	Meteorology Sub-Group of APANPIRG
MET/S WG	Meteorological Services Working Group (of the MET/SG)
PBNICG	Performance Based Navigation Implementation and Coordination Group
PSIDS	Pacific Small Islands Developing States – Aviation Needs Analysis
RACP/TF	Regional ATM Contingency Planning Task Force
RASMAG	Regional Air Space Monitoring Advisory Group of APANPIRG
SAIOACG	South Asia/Indian Ocean ATM Coordination Group
SEACG	South East Asia ATS Coordination Group
SEA/BOB ADS-B WG	South East Asia and Bay of Bengal Sub-regional ADS-B Implementation Working Group
SRWG	Spectrum Review Working Group

SURICG	Surveillance Implementation Coordination Group
SWIMTF	System Wide Information Management Task Force
VOLCEX/SG	(APAC) Volcanic Ash Exercises Steering Group
WASWG	Water Aerodromes Small Working Group

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