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CBAA 2018 Convention Highlights

eld in Waterloo
Region, Ontario, in
the heart of Canada's
high-tech community and at
the centre of Canada's largest
concentration of business
aviation users, CBAA 2018
was an exciting industry
event, boasting value-packed
sessions and a memorable
static display and exhibit.

The convention features leading-edge topics and notable speakers that provided delegates with critical information and strategies to support their operations and corporate goals. Delegates left the convention better prepared to deal with a wide range of challenges, from employer/employee relationships in a post #MeToo world, to the impacts of the legalization of marijuana, how to understand CRA's new tax policy, to ways to attract new employees to business aviation and much more.

Other sessions focussed on hands-on, practical advice, like CBAA's new flight-risk assessment tool (FRAT), emergency communications, upset recovery, fatigue management and many others. CBAA was also pleased to help delegates acquire new certifications at three workshops held in cooperation with the Canadian Council for Aviation and Aerospace (CCAA).



Notable speakers included Keynoter, Rolland (Rollie) Vincent, President, Rolland Vincent Associates, LLC and JETNET iQ Creator/ Director who presented the **Business Aviation Market** Overview and Kathy Fox, Chair of the Transportation Safety Board of Canada, who examined several recent accidents and discussed their impact on business aviation. Senior representatives of Transport Canada and NAV CANADA provided an update on their latest activities and a platform for delegates to ask questions at a high-level executive plenary session.

The exhibit and static, featured 59 industry-leading vendors plus 20 aircraft, providing an excellent platform for members of the business aviation community to build

relationships and do business.

This event would not be possible without the support of literally dozens of individuals. Our sincere thanks to everyone who served on our national and local planning committees, volunteers, staff, directors and, of course our extraordinary speakers and subject matter experts who added so much value to our event.

THANKS TO SPONSORS!

CBAA sincerely thanks the many sponsors, including Diamond Sponsors the Region of Waterloo International Airport and Chartright Air Group, who contributed to CBAA 2018. We are deeply appreciative of their support of the CBAA and our convention. To see the full list of sponsors, please visit www.cbaa-acaa.ca.



The Changing of the Guard: Welcome the 2018-2019 CBAA Chair

The CBAA's new board was appointed at our recent AGM held during CBAA 2018. With a new Chair taking the helm, it is my pleasure to introduce him to the aviation community.

Peter Bing, Director of Operations and Chief Pilot, Sobeys Corporation, has accepted a two-year term as Chair, succeeding Rod Barnard Director, Aviation and Travel Services and Chief Pilot, Kal Aviation Group, who was Chair from 2016 to 2018.

Peter started his aviation career as a pilot over 35 years ago, progressing from flying Piper Cubs on pipeline patrols in southern Saskatchewan to flying scheduled flights on Dash-7 into Toronto Island to Director of Flight Operations with Air Atlantic – Canadian Airlines International based in Halifax, where he flew the Boeing 737 and BAe-146.

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Today, he is one of business aviation's greatest advocates, saying that he never regretted the decision to leave the airline world and that he has found the unique

challenges of corporate aviation to be rewarding and fulfilling.

As well, Peter brings expertise in a critical area for CBAA and our industry: he is a leader in aviation education. Beginning as Chair of Algonquin College's aviation programs in Ottawa, he then went on to found, lead

and ultimately build one of the prominent Aviation Colleges in Canada, the Nova Scotia Community College - Aviation Institute, preparing hundreds of students to enter the aviation industry. We look forward to working with him to apply his expertise and knowledge to business aviation.

Rudy Toering,

Interim President & CEO

Peter joins a long line of involved and engaged industry leaders who chaired the association, and brings his own

> unique expertise to the task of representing over 400 members of the business aviation community.

Fortunately, he won't be doing it alone an equally expert and committed group of board members and by the hard-working and dedicated staff. You can read the full list of our 2018-

2019 directors in this News Brief.

I would like to most sincerely thank all of our current and outgoing board members for their guidance and most especially for their commitment to the CBAA. We could not do our job without them.



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CBAA launches new initiative to attract young professionals

▶ BAA has taken a major step to attract young professionals to its sector, with the BizAv Young Talent Initiative (BizAv YTI), sponsored by AirSprint and Student Aviation Financial Enterprises Corp.

Launched at CBAA 2018, the initiative is spear-headed by four young aviation professionals, Kate Latis, Aurora Jet, Alex Hummer, Edmonton Shell Aerocentre, Gray Norman, Textron Aviation and Donald A. Wheaton, General Bank of Canada.

BizAv YTI plans to reach out to companies, flight schools and post-secondary institutions, organizing presentations and



industry events to promote the exciting careers in business aviation available to students and young professionals.

The first BizAv YTI meeting will be held in Alberta later this year, with a nationwide roll out planned for 2019 and 2020.

If you would like to join the BizAv YTI team and help with the expansion or become a program sponsor, please contact: bizavyti@ cbaa.ca. 🌞

CORSIA Canadian implementation update

he CBAA is working with Transport Canada as it develops domestic regulations to implement the ICAO Carbon Offsetting and Reduction Scheme for International Aviation (CORSIA) standards, which come into force in ICAO in 2020. We are pleased to report that there has been some progress in the CBAA attempts to reduce the burden of compliance on PORD holders. For more information, please refer to our online Members Forum or contact Merlin Preuss, mpreuss@cbaa.ca. *

INTRODUCING CBAA'S NEW FLIGHT **RISK ASSESSMENT TOOL (FRAT)**

BAA members now have access to the newly designed CBAA FRAT that allows pilots to fill out forms even when they have no internet connection and sync them later when they do.



This new tool, part of CBAA'S Partners-in-Safety program, will allow you will receive automatically updated access to all CBAA documents, CBAA news items, FRAT report forms and the NAD RMS at no cost, both online and via OBDS Aviation Docs iPad

and Windows client via a special virtual "CBAA fleet" that allows all documents to be viewable offline regardless of the size of the operation.

Visit www.obds.aero/cbaa to sign up today. *

2018 Schedulers & Dispatchers Scholarship Recipients Announced at **CBAA 2018**

elson Billings, flight coordinator at Skyservice Business Aviation and Jonathan Atkinson, licensed aircraft dispatcher at Skyplan Dispatch Ltd., are the recipients of the 2018 CBAA Schedulers and Dispatchers Scholarship.

CBAA thanks the sponsors of the S&D scholarship for their commitment to business aviation: Air Service Hawaii, Air Sprint, Flight Safety International, Jet Aviation, Million Air, the National Business Aviation Association, SheltAir Aviation Services, Signature Flight Support, Skyplan and WorldFuel.

CBAA ANNOUNCES WINNERS OF THE 2018 SAFETY AWARDS

rving Oil Transport has won top safety honours in the company, aircraft maintenance and pilot categories of the CBAA National Safety Awards Program. Founded in 1981, these awards recognize outstanding achievements by members in maintaining a high standard of professionalism and safety in their business aircraft operations.

Safety Company Award: 8300 hrs Awarded to: Irving Oil Transport Inc.

Aircraft Maintenance Safety Awards 8300 hrs, Irving Oil Transport Inc., Challenger 300/350

Awarded to Andrew Merrithew,

Mark McIntyre, Nick Baker and Josh Demerchant.

Pilot Safety Awards 3000 hrs, Irving Oil Transport Inc., Challenger 300/350 Awarded to: Gray Skedgel, James McCombe, Douglas Duchin, Kevin Dicaire, Shane Furlong and Dale Hackett.



The CBAA sincerely congratulates Irving Oil Transport Inc. and its pilots and maintenance staff for their corporate and personal commitment to safety.

The 2018 Hope Air Philanthropist of the Year Award

nterprise Holdings, a ■ transportation solutions company,

has won the

prestigious Hope Air THE GIFT OF FLIGHT

Philanthropist Award, presented at CBAA 2018. Enterprise has supported Hope Air since 2012. Their generosity has made over 100 flights possible for Canadians in financial need who must travel to medical care far from home.

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THANKS TO EVERYONE WHO HELPED MAKE **CBAA 2018 A SUCCESS!**

The CBAA thanks the many people who dedicated their time and expertise to help ensure the success of CBAA 2018. We could not have done it without you!

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CBAA APPOINTS NEW CHAIR AND BOARD MEMBERS AT ITS 2018 AGM

e are pleased to announce that Peter T.R. Bing, Director Aviation Operations & Chief Pilot, Sobeys Inc. was named Chair of the CBAA for a two-year term.

New members joining for a two-year term are Ian Darnley, Director of Business Development, Sunwest Aviation Ltd.; Ivano Mosca CPA, CMA Vice-President Finance and Administration, Innotech-Execaire Aviation Group; Lyn Shinn, VP, Central Region, HondaJet Sales and Pre-Owned Aircraft Sales Skyservice Business Aviation and Paul Carter, Director of Maintenance, Skycharter Limited; Cathy Caldarola, Director of Sales and Marketing Chartright Air Group;

Jacqueline BaileyVP InflightSterling/ICFS Aviation Group.

Returning as directors-at-large are James Elian, President & Chief Operating Officer, AirSprint, Scott Harrold, Regional Sales Manager, Signature Flight Support, Susan Gunn, Operations, PM Air; Lisa Clarke, Regional Sales Manager, FlightSafety International and Ehsan Monfared, Associate Clark & Company.

CBAA thanks its outgoing board members, Past Chair, Rod Barnard, Treasurer, Mike Fedele and directors at large Mark Van Berkel and Clement Nadeau for their many contributions and service to the association and to business aviation. *

EVENTS

This calendar is subject to change. For confirmed chapter meeting dates and information please refer to the Calendar of Events on the CBAA website.

Northern Alberta (Edmonton) Regional **Chapter Meeting**

Tuesday September 18th 2018 Sponsored by Innotech-Execaire

Southern Alberta (Calgary) Regional **Chapter Meeting**

Wednesday September 19th 2018 Sponsored by Innotech-Execaire

Pacific (Vancouver) Regional Chapter Meeting

Thursday September 20th 2018 Sponsored by Innotech-Execaire

Quebec Regional Chapter Meeting

Wednesday September 26th 2018 Sponsored by Gulfstream

Ontario Regional Chapter Meeting

Thursday September 27th 2018 Sponsored by TrainingPort.net

You may qualify for a spot at the CBAA **Canadian Pavilion** at NBAA

e are pleased to offer our members exclusive space at the CBAA Canadian Pavilion at NBAA BACE 2018, October 16 -18, in Orlando, Florida. This is a great opportunity for CBAA member companies who are new to NBAA to meet with the international business aviation community and showcase their products and services, using the marketing and logistics support of the CBAA.

Spots in the pavilion are limited to CBAA members who have not previously exhibited at the NBAA (except at the Canadian Pavilion).



For more information, please contact Lindsay Berndt at lberndt@cbaa.ca or (613) 236-5611 Ext. 221.



BA LABOUR ISSUES SURVEY RESULTS

ccording to a CBAA member survey, 38 percent of respondents said they are not losing pilots to other opportunities. Of those who had had pilots leave their companies, almost a quarter identify pay as the main issue, followed by lifestyle at 15 percent. When ask where they thought pilots were going once they left business aviation, four out of ten respondents said mainline carriers. Just over three percent attributed attrition to retirement.

The next most critical talent shortage is in maintenance, an issue identified by 60 percent of respondents. Shortages were less critical in scheduling/dispatching and administration.

The most common recruitment/retention tool used was pay increases, with 74 percent reporting that they used increases to prevent or counter attrition. One third of respondents raise wages significantly – by 20 to 30 percent. However, almost one quarter did not increase their pay scale at all in the past two years.

It doesn't appear that retention bonuses are a commonly used tool, with 66 percent reporting that they do not provide them at all, and just over a quarter, 26 percent, offering yearly retention bonuses.

The survey also looked at a number of other related issues, such as how companies adjusted their operations to deal with scheduling issues, the impact of technical factors and others. CBAA members can access all the survey results through the Members Forum.



THE 2018-2019 CBAA BUYERS GUIDE IS NOW ONLINE!

isit www.cbaa-acaa.ca to access CBAA's new Buyers Guide.
The guide provides listings of leading aviation companies who offer products and services to the Canadian business aviation community. With information on industry suppliers, CBAA activities and member benefits, we trust that you will find the Guide to be a valuable resource that you will turn to again and again.

CBAA welcomes new members

Continuum Applied Technology, Inc.

CORRIDOR is an aviation maintenance software platform that dramatically improves process and information flow throughout any aviation service organization (FBOs, Repair Stations, Operators, MROs).

CORRIDOR has partnered with CAMP Systems to create a seamless aviation ecosystem with electronic bi-directional flow of maintenance task cards between the two products providing reduced cost, decrease downtime, and increased revenue benefits to both Maintenance Organizations and Aircraft Owners/Operators.

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