

SeMS Strategy (Objectives)

ADVOCACY

Focus on promoting the adoption and implementation of Security Management Systems (SeMS) to facilitate efficient, more uniform and economically sustainable security standards and best practices throughout the aviation industry.

- Continue SeMS advocacy with international organizations, national regulators, operators, external service providers (ESPs) and industry stakeholders
- Develop synergies within an Aviation Security Trust Framework (ASTF) concepts
- Continue SeMS promotion as part of proactive security culture



STANDARDS

Focus on the continued development of IATA Operational Safety Audit (IOSA) SeMS standards and recommended practices to ensure SeMS remains adaptable and flexible providing a structured and coherent framework for IATA members and IOSA registry participants to utilize.

- Maintain alignment of security concepts and taxonomy across standards, recommended practices and guidance material
- Develop Security Performance Indicators (SePIs)
- Evolve threat & risk management requirements



SERVICES

Focus on providing capacity and competency building opportunities to enable and assist industry stakeholders in adopting and implementing a SeMS framework.

- Support the development and continuous review of IATA SeMS-related Training and IATA SeMS Manual
- Facilitate SeMS promotion and engagement opportunities.
- Promote and support the adoption of the IATA SeMS Certification Program
- Expand and support a SeMS stakeholder network through the SeMS Aviation Community channel platform



SeMS Strategy (Blueprint)

ADVOCACY

Influencing Security Culture

- Broader adoption of SeMS from the wider aviation community (not limited to IOSA-registered entities)
- Broader recognition of SeMS by Regulators
- Promotion of the [Aviation Security Trust Framework \(ASTF\)](#) concepts

Influencing the Security Regulatory Environment

- Promotion through advocacy and proposals at international/regional forums and through relevant [Position Papers](#)

Promoting the sharing of security-related information

- Promote participation of IATA Member Airlines in the **SeMS Aviation Community** (MS Teams Channel, contact aviationsecurity@iata.org)
- Promote participation of security External Service Providers (ESPs) and Ground Service Handling Providers (GHSPs) in the SeMS Aviation Community
- Promote participation in IATA Connect & GADM



STANDARDS

Developing Standards & Recommended Practices

- IOSA Standards Manual (ISM): continuous adjustments and improvements
- Development of Security Performance Indicators (SePIs) for:
 - Security Incident Reporting (ISIT-IDX)
 - Threat & Risk Assessments and Risk Management
 - Quality Management & Performance

Aligning Standards Program

- Ensure alignment between IOSA Standards and Recommended Practices (ISARPs) (for Airlines) and ISAGO (for ESPs and GHSPs)



SERVICES

Developing Security Content for Services

- **Certification Programs:** [SeMS CP](#)
- **Training:** [IATA security courses](#)
- **Consulting:** [commissioned security-related consultancy](#)
- **Publications:** [IATA Manuals](#)



Aligning Service Product Content

- Ensure alignment between various IATA Manuals, Reference Documents and other related products.
 - ISM, SeMS Manual, AHM, IGOM, GOSM, IRRM...

