

09 NOVEMBER 2023



Aviation-Event 2023 VIE

MODERATOR OF THE DAY



Kathrin Hanzl

Strategist, Facilitator & Executive Coach

TOPIC: Challenges of aviation industry

Kick Off
Time: 08:45



Marcel Riwalsky
CEO, Aviation-Event

Opening Keynote

Time: 09:00



Claudia Plakolm

State Secretary for Youth and Civilian Service

Moderated Opening Keynote

Time: 09:15



Julian Jäger

Joint CEO and COO, Vienna Airport

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Kathrin Hanzl

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Moderated Keynote Session: “The evolution of Low-Cost Carriers (LCC) in Europe and beyond: Where will LCCs grow next?”

Time 09:45



Olivier Jankovec

Director General, Airports Council
International (ACI) Europe

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Marcel Riwalzky

CEO, Aviation-Event

Coffee break | Time: 10:30

Panel 1: Exploring New emerging markets in Central Eastern European aviation

Time 11:00



Jesús Caballero Pinto
CEO, Sofia Airport



David Ciceo
CEO, Cluj International
Airport



Radosław Włoszek
CEO and President of
Board, Kraków Airport



Laila Odina
Chairperson of the
Board, Riga
International Airport

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Ioanna Papadopoulou
Director of
Communications &
Marketing, Athens
International Airport S.A

Moderated Keynote Session:
“Sustainability and the effective growth and exposure of LCC”
Time 12:00



Jiří Marek
CEO, Air Serbia

MODERATOR



Andreas W. Schulz
Freelance Aviation & Business Travel
Journalist, CAT

Panel 2: Airport infrastructure and operations: managing capacity and demand

Time 12:30



Frank Quante
CEO, Fraport Bulgaria



Philipp Joeinig
Group CEO, Menzies
Aviation



Thilo Schmid
CEO, Flughafen Köln
Bonn GmbH



Julian Jäger
Joint CEO and COO,
Vienna Airport



Ursula Färnhammer
CEO Austria,
Lagardère Travel Retail



Peter Baumgartner
Former CEO Etihad
Airways and Chairman
Blueair Ltd.

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Moderated Keynote Intervention

“The role of aviation in the global economic development, and its outlook and challenges ahead”

Time 14:15



Charles Schlumberger

**Lead Air Transport Specialist, The World
Bank**

MODERATOR



Andrew Charlton

Managing Director, Aviation Advocacy

Panel 3: Exploring new emerging global markets in aviation: opportunities and challenges for airlines and airports

Time 14:45



Marco Pernetta
Managing Director,
Innsbruck Airport



Michael Kerkloh
Supervisory Board
Member, Lufthansa



Michael Eggenschwiler
CEO, Hamburg Airport



Tewolde Gebremariam
Senior Strategic Advisor,
Delta Airlines

MODERATOR



Karsten Benz
Prof. University of Worms

Closing Speech

Time 15:30



Marcel Riwalsky
CEO, Aviation-Event

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Aviation Journalist,
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CEO, Salzburg Airport

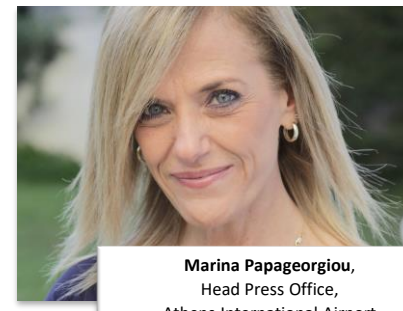


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Senior Vice President AnadoluJet, Turkish Airlines



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CCO, Xfly

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09 November 2023

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The Aviation-Event, one of the leading events in the aviation industry, and the Economic Summit on Germany involving decision-makers from the world of business, politics, society and administration, are two events that are known well beyond the borders of Germany that were held in recent years.

Marcel Riwalsky, Managing Director of DA! GmbH, holds a Master of Business Administration degree and Certificat d'Etudes Supérieures and has organized many high profile events in the past decade. As the initiator of Aviation-Event, he comes up with ideas for the event that goes by the same name as well as the concept for Aviation-Event Special. In the meantime, over 100 top speakers and discussion participants have been on stage in front of over 600 guests from politics and all sectors of business.

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Host of the conference



Aviation-Event assembling top experts at the beating heart of Europe!

Vienna Airport is set to become a referential point on the map of dynamic European Airports on 9 November 2023. Aviation-Event VIE is an international conference that aims to bring together worldwide civil aviation professionals, representatives of the relevant national authorities, airlines, and airport CEOs from Europe and other world regions.

Flughafen Wien AG is one of the few listed airports in Europe. Favoured by its geographic location in the heart of Europe, VIE positions itself as one of the most important hubs to the thriving destinations of Central and Eastern Europe. With Vienna being one of the most attractive destinations in Europe for tourism as well as for congress and conferencing travels, Vienna Airport as a business location is unfolding its potential.

In 2019, Vienna Airport cracked the 31 million mark for the first time in its history and counted 31,7 million passengers. This was followed by a break in passenger and traffic figures with the outbreak of the COVID-19 pandemic. With the pandemic subsiding, passenger numbers are rising again and in 2022, VIE was presented the Best European Airport award in the category from 25 to 40 million passengers. However, the aviation industry keeps changing quickly with new crises emerging, like the war in Ukraine, the energy crisis or high inflation.

“International industry discussions at Vienna Airport: prominent experts will discuss global aviation trends at the Aviation-Event 2023 held in the Airport City Space, our state-of-the-art event location. Following the pandemic, all signs once again point to growth, with climate protection and digitalisation being top priorities.”

