



## Airlines & Airports



### You Can Never Have Enough A380s

Dubai-based Emirates Airline will get its 79th Airbus A380 soon, and two more aircraft are in the pipeline. "That means by the end of next month we have 81 A380s in the fleet," Emirates president Tim Clark told the Executive Report on the sidelines of the IATA AGM in Dublin.

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### Everyone Wants to Fly Airberlin to Cuba

Obama, the Rolling Stones and Karl Lagerfeld have led the way - Cuba is now more popular than ever! In order to meet



### IATA Hikes 2016 Profit Forecast For Global Airlines

Global airlines should make more money than previously expected this year, the International Air Transport Association

the growing demand for travel to the Caribbean island, airberlin will fly even more services to Cuba this summer.

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### **800 Jobs Worldwide To Go At Lufthansa Cargo**

Lufthansa's catering business was indicated it was considering cutting 2,400 jobs in Europe over the next five years...

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(IATA) said on Thursday, helped by low oil prices and work by airlines to fill planes and drive ancillary revenues.

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### **Thai Airlines Escape Europe Blacklist**

All Thai-registered airlines have avoided being put on the list of airlines with sub-standard safety practices in the latest EASA audit.

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## Regulations & Safety



### **U.S. Commercial Aviation Community Targets Pilot Mental Fitness**

The U.S. Department of Transportation's Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) is working with commercial airlines and pilots' unions...

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### **EASA Safety Conference Focuses on New Technologies and New Business Models**

The 2016 European Aviation Safety Agency's Annual Conference takes place 25 & 26 October 2016 in Bratislava, Slovakia...

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### **UK CAA to Open EASA Part 66 Exam Centre in Istanbul**

On behalf of the UK CAA, CAAi is set to open a brand new EASA Part-66 Aircraft Maintenance Licence electronic examination centre in Istanbul.

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### **DOT and FAA Finalize Rules for Small Unmanned Aircraft Systems**

Rules for small unmanned aircraft systems imposed by DOT and FAA will create new opportunities for business and government to use drones.

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## **Manufacturers**



### **Russian-Chinese Passenger Jet to Take on Boeing & Airbus**

Moscow and Beijing are to sign a deal to produce a new wide-body passenger aircraft by end of June, reports Life News citing Russian ministerial sources.

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### **Will Bombardier's C Series Bring Triumph for the Manufacturer?**

The huge buzz emerged after Delta placed a firm order for 75 C Series Bombardier jets. Can one order break the ice and destroy the duopoly of Airbus and Boeing?

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## MS-21: A Direct Rival of the B737 and A320 from Russia

Today, the MC-21 aircraft has been rolled out for official presentation in the factory of the corporation "Irkut" in Irkutsk, Russia.

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## Airbus Historic Sale to Iran Could Be in Trouble

In January, Airbus and Iran Air agreed to a landmark deal for 118 aircraft with a total value rising to as much as \$25 billion..

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### Antonov Showcases Restored An-22 Antey Cargo Plane

The State Enterprise Antonov has restored the world's first wide-body aircraft An-22 Antey, manufactured in 1964, presenting its first demo flight on Monday, May 30.

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### P&W to Invest \$65m in Georgia GTF Maintenance Site

Pratt & Whitney will invest \$65 million in a maintenance site near Columbus, Georgia where the company maintains and overhauls PW1000G geared turbofans (GTFs).

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## Pilot training



### Lufthansa Group Flight Schools Together Under One Roof

The flight schools of the Lufthansa Group in Germany, Switzerland, and the United States are combining their activities under the European Flight Academy (EFA)



### CityJet To Recruit 10 Trainee Pilots

CityJet, the Irish European Regional airline, today formally launched its "Climb High" Mentored Cadet Programme and will commence recruitment for the first 10

umbrella.

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### **CAE Announces Ab-initio Agreements with Commercial Airlines**

Building on the demand of commercial airlines for more professional pilots, CAE today announces new and extended cadet training agreements.

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trainee pilots in June.

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### **Ethiopian Aviation Academy A Certified ICAO Regional Training Center**

EAA manages the operations of Ethiopian Airlines. Ethiopian Aviation Academy is one of the leading modern African aviation institution.

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## Investigations



### **UPDATED: Explosions Hit Turkey's Largest Airport**

Turkish Prime Minister put the number of dead at 36 and wounded at close to 150, according to multiple reports. Three bombers were also dead.

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### **Turkish Airlines will Refund Tickets after Istanbul Airport Tragedy**

Turkish Airlines will rebook, reroute, extend or refund tickets for passengers in response to the attack that occurred at Istanbul Ataturk Airport.

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## Ground Handling



## **BGS Becomes a Strategic Partner of IATA**

BGS, a provider of an aircraft fuelling services, is delighted to have joined 400 aviation companies by becoming a member of the IATA Strategic Partnerships program.

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## **New Air Traffic Towers Too Small For Old Tech**

Two state-of-the-art airport towers due to go into operation this fall in San Francisco and Las Vegas will first need extensive remodeling to make room for technology that dates backs..

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