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**Boeing Lands \$18.6 Billion Deal with Qatar Airways for 100 Aircraft**

It is Boeing's largest twin-aisle sale this year, providing a little more visibility into plans for the 777, the planemaker's largest twin-engined aircraft, as well as for the Dreamliner, the company's marquee carbon-fiber jet.

[Read more](#)**Qantas Starts External Pilot Recruitment**

The careers section of the Jetstar website showed open applications for A320 First

**Frontier Airlines Making a Major Hiring Push**

Frontier Airlines is going through a hiring spree, looking to bring more than 800

Officer's in Melbourne, A320 Captains and First Officers for Jetstar Japan and Dash-8 Captains and First Officers for Jetstar New Zealand's regional turboprop operations based out in Auckland.

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China to Open First Phase of World's Largest Airport by 2019

China will complete the first phase of an expansive new airport in Beijing, which could eventually be the world's largest, by 2019, officials with the project told reporters.

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flight attendants by the end of next year and launching three partnerships with smaller regional airlines to help recruit and then hire their pilots once they reach a certain level of experience.

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First A320neo Delivered to Spirit Airlines

It is the first of 55 A320neo Family aircraft the low-cost carrier has ordered. All of Spirit's A320neo Family aircraft will be powered by PW1100-JM engines.

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Editor's Review



Aviation Training Management Software - A Key to Digital Optimization

Digitalization is considered to be one of the major trends impacting the modern global aviation training industry and aviation technologies which are currently in use.

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Regulations & Safety



EASA Updated Passenger Information on Samsung Galaxy Note 7

Samsung Corp. is advising: "Since the affected devices can overheat and pose a safety risk, we are asking consumers with an original Galaxy Note 7 or a replacement Galaxy Note 7 to power it down".

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Federal Aviation Administration

FAA Proposes Fourth Hazmat Fine Against Amazon This Year

In June, FAA proposed three hazmat fines against Amazon, including a \$350,000 fine for shipping what FAA described as "a corrosive drain cleaner" via United Parcel Service that was allegedly not properly packaged and leaked.

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General Aviation



Flights Between UK and China to Increase by 150%

According to the Transport Secretary, Chris Grayling, the deal is a "big moment" for the UK, adding: "Strong connections with emerging markets like China are vital for us if we are to continue competing on the global economic stage.

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Norway and Sweden Starting Sales of SAS Shares

The sale is aimed at institutional investors and conducted through a so-called accelerated auction. "We have no comment for this press release now," says Communications Boss Trond Viken from the Industry and Fisheries Ministry to the news agency NTB.

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Manufacturers



Embraer's Commercial Aircraft Deliveries Up 38% in 3Q16

The main highlight of 3Q16 was the order of up to 10 E190-E2 by Indonesian airline Kalstar Aviation, signed during the Farnborough Airshow. The contract included five firm orders and five purchase rights for the same model.

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Right on Time, Cessna Citation Longitude Takes Flight

Experimental test pilots Ed Wenninger and Stuart Rogerson put the Longitude through its paces, testing the flaps, landing gear, pressurization systems, stability and control during the two-hour two-minute maiden flight.

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Boeing and Atlas Air Agreement for 767 Passenger to Freighter Conversions

Boeing and Atlas Air Worldwide Holdings announced an order to convert nine 767 passenger airplanes into Boeing Converted Freighters (BCF).

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Four Injured After Air NZ Flight Hits Turbulence

An Air New Zealand flight from Vietnam was forced to turn back to Ho Chi Minh City after four people were injured when the plane hit turbulence.

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United Flights Worldwide Delayed by Computer Systems Meltdown

According to the Independent fears of a campaign of cyber attacks on leading airlines have grown after a "systems issue" delayed United Airlines flights worldwide.

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Airbus Helicopter's Open Letter to the Polish Prime Minister

In light of recent statements regarding the status of the multirole helicopter tender in Poland, Airbus Helicopters feels the need to refute a number of misleading allegations reported in the media.

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Russia's Upgraded Night Hunter Helicopter Makes Its First Flight

This version will be furnished with a new all-round surveillance radar, a new control system and other equipment and will also feature increased capabilities for using precision weapons.

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ATCT to Select MOMook Software for Its Training Management

Aviation Training Center of Tunisia and MOMook has signed a cooperation agreement for two years to use a web-based MOMook application. This allows ATCTs employees and its clients to access MOMook from any Internet-enabled device and location.

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Chinese Pilots Learn Russian to Fly Su-35 Fighters

Givi Janjgava, Deputy CEO of the Radio-Electronic Technology Concern (KRET), a Rostec subsidiary, told Russian newspaper Izvestia that the decision to supply Su-35 aircraft to China in this particular configuration was made by the customer.

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