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## **Kicking Off CFS 2024: Tune in to the Live Stream Starting at Noon PDT**

Today marks the exciting start of Communicating For Safety (CFS) 2024, and NATCA is thrilled to welcome over 1,300 attendees to this highly anticipated event. As the premier aviation safety conference in the world, CFS 2024 promises to deliver cutting-edge discussions, expert insights, and invaluable networking opportunities for professionals dedicated to advancing aviation safety.

The energy is palpable as participants gather to engage in a wide range of sessions focused on effective training, learning, and collaboration. For those who couldn't make it to Las Vegas, NATCA has ensured you won't miss out — tune in to the live stream available at [natca.org/cfs](https://natca.org/cfs).



**Live Stream the Conference  
starting Sept. 16 at noon PDT  
[natca.org/cfs](https://natca.org/cfs)**



**The CFS 2024 live stream will be broadcast today from noon to 1:30 p.m. PDT, and from 2:30 to 5 p.m. PDT, providing access to key presentations and discussions as they happen.**

Whether you're joining us in person or online, CFS 2024 is your opportunity to be part of a global conversation that shapes the future of aviation safety.

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## **Celebrating the Future of Leadership: Next-Up NATCAvist Reception Honors Emerging Union Leaders**

The energy to kick off the week at CFS 2024 was electric at the Next-Up NATCAvist reception, as the next generation of Union leaders gathered to celebrate their commitment to aviation safety and labor rights. This event brought together members eager to take the next step in Union leadership.

The NATCA Next-Up program is a leadership training initiative to cultivate future leaders. Nominated by NATCA's National Executive Board, these emerging leaders benefit from a rigorous curriculum that blends theory with practical application, focusing on key principles such as purposeful leadership and continuous improvement.



In addition to President Rich Santa and Executive Vice President Andrew LeBovidge, this year's program features NATCA leaders New England Legislative Representative Jamie Green (Providence ATCT, PVD), National Training Representative Jamaal Haltom (Las Vegas ATCT, LAS), Northwest Mountain Regional Vice President Stephanie Winder (Salt Lake City ARTCC, ZLC), Reloaded Committee member Nicole Wysong (Northwest Mountain Region, ENM), National Legislative Committee Chair David Skarphol (Phoenix TRACON, P50), NATCA National Surveillance Representative Christopher Corapi (Cincinnati ATCT, CVG), NATCA National Runway Safety Representative Bridget Singratanakul (Dallas/Fort Worth ATCT, DFW), and Southwest Regional Vice President John Bratcher (Fort Smith ATCT, FSM).

This year's Next-Up participants:

Travis Arnold (Omaha TRACON, R90)  
Matt Chapman (Tampa ATCT, TPA)  
Brooke Dawson (Cleveland Center, ZOB)  
Jonathan Eisenmayer (Fairbanks ATCT, FAI)  
Cameron Haynes (Wichita ATCT, ICT)  
Matthew Jones (Engineer/New England Region, ENE)  
Bryan Loquet (Bangor ATCT, BGR)  
Thomas Mabry (Tucson TRACON, U90)  
Harrison Nguyen (Torrance ATCT, TOA)  
Dominique Piper (Los Angeles Aircraft Cert Office, EW1)  
Tim Platt (Flight Services Station ENA, FS1)  
Matt Reavis (Detroit TRACON, D21)  
Shonesha Reese Rogers (Albuquerque ATCT, ABQ)  
Areil Smith (Knoxville ATCT, TYS)  
Andrew Strunk (Dallas-Fort Worth TRACON, D10)  
Nicholas Stott (Raleigh-Durham ATCT, RDU)  
Brandon Tams (Engineer/Northwest Mountain Region, ENM)  
Jeff Walker (Philadelphia ATCT, PHL)  
Matt Zobel (Washington Center, ZDC)

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## **NATCA's Article 114 Representatives Convene Ahead of CFS 2024: Driving Collaboration and Safety Initiatives**

Before the official start of Communicating For Safety (CFS) 2024, NATCA's Article 114 Representatives gathered in Las Vegas for a dedicated meeting that underscored NATCA's unwavering commitment to collaboration and safety within the National Airspace System (NAS). These representatives play a crucial role in bridging operational expertise with national policies, ensuring that NATCA's interests are upheld while advancing the modernization and improvement of the NAS.



The meeting included a briefing from NATCA President Rich Santa and Executive Vice President Andrew LeBovidge, talking about enhancing collaborative efforts across the NAS. The gathering not only highlighted the dedication of NATCA's Article 114 Representatives but also set the tone for a successful #NATCACFS 2024, where safety and collaboration remain at the forefront of discussions.

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## **NATCA's OSHA Committee Meets at CFS 2024 to Strengthen Workplace Safety Initiatives**

As the excitement for Communicating for Safety (CFS) 2024 builds, NATCA's Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) Committee convened in Las Vegas to focus on advancing workplace safety and health initiatives. Karena Marinas, as the chair, represents NATCA on the National Occupational Safety, Health, and Environmental Compliance Committee (OSHECCOM) and works closely with NATCA's Certified Industrial Hygienist (CIH). Together, they tackle pressing issues related to environmental safety, ensuring that the highest standards of workplace health are met.



The OSHA Committee serves as a resource for NATCA representatives and members, providing expertise on identifying, understanding, preventing, and remedying occupational safety and health issues. As they gathered ahead of CFS 2024, the committee members reinforced their commitment to protecting the well-being of all NATCA members, setting the stage for productive discussions during the conference.

## Join the NCF Silent Auction and Make a Difference!

The NATCA Charitable Foundation (NCF) invites everyone to participate in its highly anticipated Communicating For Safety (CFS) Silent Auction, now open until 9:30 a.m. PDT on Sept. 18. Whether you are attending #NATCACFS in Las Vegas or tuning in from afar, this auction is your chance to bid on a variety of exciting items while supporting a worthy cause.



**Join the NCF  
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OPEN TO EVERYONE UNTIL  
9:30 AM PDT ON SEPT 18

NCF is a nonprofit 501(c)(3) organization driven entirely by volunteers, with no paid employees. This ensures that every dollar raised goes directly toward helping those in need. The foundation's efforts reach across the country, providing vital support to smaller charities that often go unnoticed. These charities are in the communities where NATCA members live and work, making your participation in this auction a direct contribution to the betterment of these areas.

Do not miss this opportunity to give back while securing fantastic items. The auction closes at 9:30 a.m. PDT on Sept. 18, with a Grand Prize Drawing to follow. Whether you are at the conference or joining remotely, your bid could make a significant impact on someone's life.

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