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de México (UNAM)  
Antigua Escuela de Jurisprudencia  
Mexico City, Mexico

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09:00 – 10:00

**Registration**

10:00 – 10:30

**Opening Ceremony**

Leonardo Lomelí Vanegas

*Rector, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México (UNAM)*

Sonia Venegas Álvarez

*Dean of the Faculty of Law, Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México (UNAM)*

Christopher Barks

*Regional Director, ICAO North American, Central American and Caribbean Regional Office*

Steven Truxal

*Director of the International Institute of Air & Space Law (IIASL), Leiden University*

Trilce Fabiola Ovilla Bueno

*Coordinator of International Affairs, UNAM Faculty of Law*

10:40 – 11:40

**Panel Session 1**

**‘Cybersecurity and Aviation: Regulatory Challenges’**

Rodrigo Soto Morales (moderator)

*Professor of Air Law, Universidad Panamericana*

Nuhad Ponce Kuri

*President, Asociación Nacional de Abogados de Empresa*

Pablo Carranza

*Executive Director of Aviation, Federal Agency of Civil Aviation (AFAC)*

Javier Villanueva

*Legal Manager Strategic Projects & Litigation, Estafeta*

J. Andrea Buitrago Carranza

*DCL (PhD) Candidate, Institute of Air & Space Law, McGill University*

11:40 – 12:15

**TEA & COFFEE**

12:15 – 13:15

**Panel Session 2**

**‘The Impact of Aviation Disasters on the Air Transport Industry: Airlines’ and Air Law Experts’ Perspectives’**

Laura Pierallini (moderator)

*Name partner, Pierallini Studio Legale; Professor of Air Law, Luiss University*

Mia Wouters

*Attorney at Law, GDS Advocaten; University of Ghent*

Martine De Serres

*Assistant General Counsel, Customer Regulatory & Resolution, Air Canada*

Cyril-Igor Grigorieff

*Founding Partner, Tolly; Lecturer, Sorbonne Université & Université Paris-Saclay*

José Antonio Cervantes Acosta

*Partner, CEG Legal; Professor (Corporate Law), Universidad Autónoma de Querétaro*



13:15 – 14:30

**LUNCH**

14:30 – 15:30

**Keynote Discussion**

**‘Present and Future of Mexican Aviation’**

Carlos Sierra (moderator)

*Managing Partner, Abogados Sierra; Professor (Air Law Diploma), Instituto Tecnológico Autónomo de México (ITAM)*

Manuel Sierra

*Chief Executive Officer, Aerolíneas Ejecutivas*

Luis Sierra

*Chairman, MAS Cargo Airline*

15:30 – 16:30

**Panel Session 3**

**‘Airports: Infrastructure and Security’**

Natalia Deschamps (moderator)

*Professor of Air Law & Coordinator of the Air Law Diploma, Instituto Tecnológico Autónomo de México (ITAM)*

Carlos Campillo

*Partner, Alegre, Calderón y Márquez*

Rodolfo Alcazar

*Security and Emergency Response, Independent Advisor*

Oscar Chanona

*Head of Legal Operations, ICA*

Olga Ramírez

*President, Colegio de Abogados de Derecho Aeronáutico (Colombia); Partner, DLA Piper Martínez Beltran*

16:30 – 16:45

**Closing Remarks**

Steven Truxal

*Director of the International Institute of Air & Space Law (IIASL), Leiden University*

