

Seminar on Cooperation between Japan and Malaysia on the Aircraft Industry toward Addressing Global Issues

Date : September 28 (Thur.) 2023

Venue: 9th floor seminar room, Nagoya Trade and Industry Center

Organizers: Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry, Japan
National Aerospace Industry Coordinating Office, Malaysia

In the Asia-Pacific region, which will account for about 40% of the global aircraft demand over the next 20 years, the Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry (METI) is promoting the business expansion of Japanese companies, including small and medium aircraft suppliers.

In May last year, METI and the Government of Malaysia, which has positioned the aircraft industry as a key industry, signed a memorandum of cooperation (MOC) on the aircraft industry.

In collaboration with the Government of Malaysia, METI will work to deepen cooperation between the two countries in the aircraft sector and strengthen supply chains in Asia.

Against this background, seminars have been held in Japan and Malaysia to disseminate widely the current state of the aircraft industries in both countries.

In this seminar, aircraft suppliers from both Japan and Malaysia will talk about their on-going efforts, such as enhancement of supply chains and taking on decarbonization. In addition, representatives of Boeing and Airbus will be invited as keynote speakers to share the strategies of their companies in these fields.

Through this seminar, the organizers hope to create an opportunity to deepen the audience's understanding of global challenges in the aircraft industrial sector.

Date/time: 3:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. (JST), Thursday, September 28, 2023

Venue: 9th floor observation hall, Fukiage Hall,
Nagoya Trade and Industry Center
2-6-3 Fukiage, Chikusa Ward, Nagoya, Aichi

Target participants: Japanese aircraft suppliers, foreign aircraft suppliers, support organizations, local government, etc.

Maximum number of participants: Around 60

Format: In-person (English-Japanese simultaneous interpretation will be provided.)

Registration: Applications are now closed.

Closing date: 5:00 p.m. on September 22 (Fri.)

Program

3:00 p.m. to 3:05 p.m. Opening remarks

Mr. Junichi IWASAKI

Director, Aircraft Component and Material Industries Office
Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry, Japan

3:05 p.m. to 3:20 p.m. Remarks by co-organizer (including presentation)

Prof. Ts. Shamsul Kamar Abu Samah

Chief Executive Officer, National Aerospace Industry Corporation, Malaysia

3:20 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Special keynote speech

1. 3:20 p.m. to 3:40 p.m. Airbus Japan K.K.

Mr. Takeshi Sakamoto

Procurement Manager Japan

2. 3:40 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Boeing Japan KK

Mr. Jon Lilja

Sr. Manager, Supply Chain Asia Business Development

4:00 p.m. to 4:35 p.m. Presentation from the Malaysian industrial sector

1. 4:00 p.m. – 4:15 p.m. Malaysia Aerospace Industry Association (MAIA)

Mr. Tan Kay Vin

Board director

2. 4:15 p.m. – 4:35 p.m. UMW Aerospace Sdn Bhd

Dato' Abdul RASHID Musa

Group Chief Mobility & Innovation Officer / President Aerospace

4:35 p.m. to 5:05 p.m. Presentation from the Japanese industrial sector

1. 4:35 p.m. to 4:50 p.m. Asahi Kinzoku Kogyo Inc. (Asahi Aero)

Mr. Go Yamanaka

Member of a board of directors / Production Manager

2. 4:50 p.m. to 5:05 p.m. KAGA SANGYO CO., LTD

Mr. HITOSHI Tsujikawa

Senior Managing Director, General Manager, Aerospace Equipment Division

5:05 p.m. to 5:10 p.m. Closing remarks

Mr. Junichi IWASAKI

Director, Aircraft Component and Material Industries Office
Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry, Japan

5:10 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. Business networking

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