



NATCA Recognizes International Day of the Controller: Oct. 20, 2024

Happy International Day of the Controller from your NATCA family! On Oct. 20, the global aviation community comes together to recognize the vital work of our profession around the world. Oct. 20, 2024 also marks the 63rd anniversary of the founding of the International Federation of Air Traffic Controllers (IFATCA). IFATCA represents air traffic controller associations in more than 130 countries, including NATCA in the U.S. They provide guidance, representation, training, and other services to advance the status and professionalism of air traffic control.

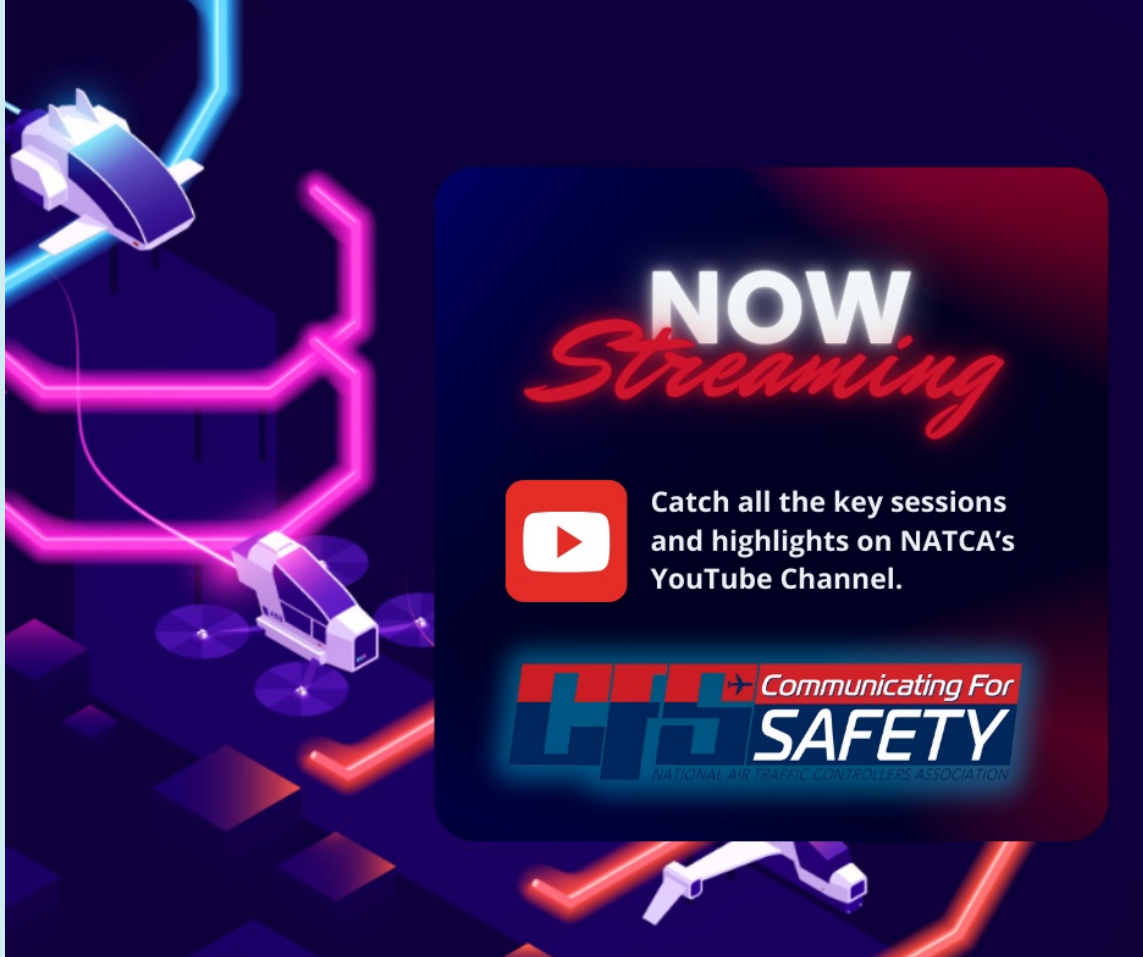
This year, IFATCA's theme is "Invest in People: The Future of ATM." At NATCA, we couldn't agree more. Proper staffing, benefits, working conditions, and training is vital to maintain the safety of the flying public.

Happy International Day of the Controller



Relive the Highlights: CFS 2024 Sessions Now on NATCA's YouTube Channel

Weren't able to attend CFS or want to revisit your favorite moments? NATCA has made it easy for you to stay connected with the latest in the exciting CFS aviation safety discussions. All the key sessions from this year's conference are now available on the NATCA YouTube Channel, organized in a dedicated CFS playlist. Whether you attended in person, streamed live, or are tuning in for the first time, this is your opportunity to catch up on the insightful panels, keynote speeches, and breakout sessions that made CFS 2024 a standout event.



The sessions cover a wide range of topics, including advanced technologies in air traffic control, aviation safety practices, and the future of the National Airspace System (NAS). Don't miss out on the valuable insights shared by industry leaders and experts — [head to NATCA's YouTube Channel to watch now.](#)

Welcome to Our Newest Members

Welcome to NATCA's newest members! Let's give a warm welcome to these sisters and brothers joining our NATCA family! We encourage NATCA members to reach out in their facilities to these new members, share your experiences, and help integrate them into our Union activities. Your guidance is invaluable in fostering our new members' growth and involvement. Together, we can ensure our members are well-informed and ready to advance our commitment to safety and advocacy in the skies. In the spirit of solidarity, here's to strengthening our Union with fresh perspectives and energy.



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Registration for 2nd Biennial Activism and Training Expo (ATX) Is Open

Registration is now open for the 2nd Biennial Activism and Training Expo (ATX), taking place from Dec. 9-12, at Caesars Palace, Las Vegas. This event will showcase a comprehensive range of NATCA's training courses, briefings from Union committees, academy classes, and insights from NATCA Representatives. The Expo provides an unparalleled opportunity for NATCA members, regardless of their experience level, to deepen their knowledge on critical work and safety-related topics.

NATCA ATX
ACTIVISM & TRAINING EXPO
REGISTRATION NOW OPEN
Dec. 9-12, 2024
natca.org/atx

The banner features a collage of six photographs showing various activities from the event: a speaker at a podium, a panel discussion, a networking session, a woman speaking, a woman at a table, and a large audience seated in a conference room.

ATX 2024 is designed to empower attendees to expand NATCA's influence and equip them with the tools needed to contribute effectively to the Union's mission. Whether you can attend for one day or the entire event, ATX allows you to build a personalized agenda, choosing sessions that align with your

interests and strengths. With a focus on education and empowerment, ATX 2024 promises to be a pivotal event for our members looking to shape the future of our Union and profession.

[Read more about ATX and register for the event.](#)

Order Your 2025 NATCA Calendar Before Nov. 8!

NATCA is excited to announce that our 2025 calendars can now be ordered. This year, our Union is instituting a new process. Calendars will not be bulk shipped to facilities. Instead, both active and retired NATCA members must request their **FREE** calendar for 2025 in [MyNATCA](#).

Here's how:

1. Log in to your MyNATCA account and verify your mailing address.
2. Once verified, click on the pencil icon to edit your communications preferences and indicate your calendar request by checking the new 2025 calendar box on your profile page.

The deadline for requesting a 2025 calendar is midnight on Friday, Nov. 8.

WANT A 2025 NATCA CALENDAR? REQUEST ONE NOW!

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Gender: none
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Planned Retirement: 01/01/2042
Retirement Date: none

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