



NATCA Members Meet with Lawmakers at Capitol Hill Events During NiW

At NATCA in Washington 2025, NATCA members gathered with lawmakers and their staff at congressional gatherings in both the House and Senate. These events provided a vital opportunity to strengthen relationships, discuss maximum hiring, training, staff retention, modernization, and funding, and ensure that aviation safety remains a top priority for policymakers.



Building connections with elected officials is essential to our legislative success. By engaging directly with Congress, NATCA members are reinforcing our Union's voice and advocating for the future of our profession.

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Another Successful RT-1 Training in Baltimore Prepares New NATCA Leaders

NATCA recently held another Representative Training 1 (RT-1) class at the Marriott Baltimore Waterfront, from Feb. 24-28. This was the second time RT-1 has been hosted outside of Las Vegas, allowing the Union to expand training opportunities for members.

More than two dozen NATCA members attended the training, which was led by National Human Performance Representative Aaron Katz, Southern Regional Alternate Vice President Neil Caputo, and Western Pacific Regional Alternate Vice President Nate Pair. NATCA President Nick Daniels, Eastern Regional Vice President Mike Christine, and National Safety Representative John Murdock met with the class to discuss leadership and representation.



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RT-1 prepares NATCA representatives for their roles by focusing on their responsibilities to the membership and their daily interactions with management. The Baltimore location continues to provide a valuable alternative for members seeking this essential training.

Interested in attending RT-1? Learn more at portal.natca.org.

National Runway Safety Rep. Bridget Singratanakul Presents at NBAA Forum

In February, Bridget Singratanakul, NATCA National Runway Safety Representative, led a panel alongside Alex Gertsen, National Business Aviation Association's (NBAA) Sr. Director, Airport Advocacy and Vertical Infrastructure, at the NBAA Orlando Regional Forum on Elevating Runway & Surface Safety in the NAS. During the presentation, Singratanakul and Gersten discussed best practices and techniques with pilots. The pair also promoted some helpful materials and tools created to ensure pilots are safe in the air and on the ground, including the FAA's "From the Flight Deck" video series.

This event was a great opportunity to educate general aviation pilots and aircraft enthusiasts about the role of air traffic controllers and best practices for communicating.



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