



**AWA**

# “LINKING AFRICA: PARTNERS FOR GROWTH”

22nd to 25th  
April 2026



Movenpick Hotel  
Windhoek, Namibia



SUMMIT



EXHIBITION



CSR

# ABOUT AWA 2026

Aviation Week Africa 2026: **Linking Africa: Partnerships for Growth** underscores the collective responsibility of all aviation stakeholders to drive sustainable growth and development. The summit aims to foster innovation, enhance connectivity, and promote synergy among governments, industry leaders, regulators, and communities, with a focus on empowering youth and integrating Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR).

## Key Objectives:

**Collaborative Growth:**  
Unite aviation stakeholders to address challenges, share best practices, and create innovative solutions for sustainable progress.

**Infrastructure and Connectivity:**  
Advance airport facilities, air traffic management systems, and regional and international route development to drive economic growth and tourism.

**Regulatory and Safety Standards:**  
Strengthen compliance with global aviation standards to ensure safety, efficiency, and market expansion.

**Youth Empowerment:**  
Cultivate the next generation of aviation professionals through training programs, mentorship, and scholarship opportunities.

**CSR and Sustainability:**  
Integrate environmentally friendly practices and community-focused initiatives to ensure aviation benefits reach broader society.

## Value to Stakeholders:

**Government Officials:**  
Gain insights into policy recommendations and investment opportunities to support aviation's role in economic development.

**Industry Leaders:**  
Explore innovation, network with partners, and identify growth opportunities in both established and emerging markets.

**Youth and Future Professionals**  
Access platforms for skill-building, career development, and industry engagement.

**Communities and CSR Advocates:**  
Foster dialogue on aviation's role in societal well-being and environmental sustainability.

Aviation Week Africa 2026 serves as a platform for collaboration and innovation, aiming to catalyze lasting progress that benefits Africa's aviation sector and the continent as a whole.

# AVIATION WEEK 2026 TAKES OFF IN NAMBIA

A Bold Step Toward Uniting Africa's Skies



# AVIATION WEEK 2026 TAKES OFF IN NAMIBIA



Windhoek, Namibia — The Media Launch of Aviation Week Africa (AWA) 2026 took place on the 30th October 2025 at the Namibia Aviation Training Academy, Eros Airport, marking the official start of preparations for Africa’s leading aviation and air transport gathering set for April 2026 in Windhoek.

The event was graced by His Excellency Stephen Katuka, High Commissioner of the Republic of Zambia to Namibia, who delivered the welcome remarks highlighting the strong bilateral ties and shared vision for greater air connectivity across the continent.

Delivering the keynote address on behalf of the Honourable Minister of Environment, Forestry and Tourism, Mr. Sikongo Haihambo emphasized Namibia’s commitment to sustainable aviation growth and environmental responsibility.

Mr. Bisey Uirab, CEO of the Namibia Airports Company, and Ms. Toska Sem, Executive Director of the Namibia Civil Aviation Authority, both underscored the country’s readiness to host the continent and the importance of collaboration in advancing safe, innovative, and efficient air transport.

Founder of Aviation Week Africa, Mrs. Hellen Ngwira Mwamba, described the launch as “the beginning of a journey connecting people, opportunities, and dreams across Africa.”

The Media Launch also provided a preview of upcoming engagements including the AWA Executive Summit, Women & Youth in Aviation Forum, and the African Aviation Innovation Awards, positioning Namibia as a continental leader in aviation dialogue and development.

As the curtain rises on this transformative journey, Aviation Week Africa 2026 promises to be more than an event it is a movement redefining Africa’s aviation story, one flight at a time.

# AVIATION WEEK 2025 HIGHLIGHTS



# AWA 2026 FEATURES



## Keynote Addresses

Renowned leaders from both civil and military aviation sectors will share insights and strategies for enhanced collaboration.



## Exhibition Area

Showcasing cutting-edge technologies, innovations, and advancements in both civil and military aviation.



## Youth Engagement Initiatives

Dedicated sessions and workshops encouraging the participation of young minds in shaping the future of aviation, fostering enthusiasm and learning among the next generation.



## Panel Discussions

Engaging discussions on fostering partnerships, technology integration, and operational synergies.



## Networking Opportunities

Facilitating connections among industry stakeholders, fostering collaborations for a sustainable future.



## African Country Representatives

Participation from government officials and delegates representing numerous African nations, fostering dialogue and cooperation on a continental scale.

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# AWA 2026 AT A GLANCE



**COMMERCIAL AIRLINES** **MILITARY AVIATION** **AVIATION TECHNOLOGY AND SERVICES**  
**PRIVATE AVIATION** **CARGO & FREIGHT TRANSPORTATION** **GENERAL AVIATION**  
**MAINTENANCE, REPAIR, AND OVERHAUL (MRO)** **ORIGINAL EQUIPMENT MANUFACTURER**  
 (referring to manufacturers of aircraft and of engines) **MANAGEMENT, AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL**  
**AEROSPACE MANUFACTURING**

# AWA 2026 PROJECTED NUMBERS



**50+**  
EXHIBITORS



**600+**  
ATTENDEES



**5**  
YOUTH &  
FUTURE  
AVIATORS



**50+**  
SPEAKERS

# AVIATION WEEK 2025 HIGHLIGHTS



# SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

## REGISTRATION DESK SPONSOR - US\$15,000

Promote your brand with exclusive visibility at the registration desk and distribute marketing materials to all participants.

- Logo placement and company description on event backdrop, digital screens & official website
- Keynote speaking opportunity: 10-minute keynote speech during the conference
- Recognition as Main Sponsor
- Exclusive networking opportunities: Private meeting with speakers, VIP attendees, and other sponsors.
- Status and logo placement on all published promotional materials produced for the event
- Customized sponsor recognition: Social media shoutouts, and on-site announcements.
- Access to attendee list: Pre- and post-conference attendee list for follow-up and lead generation
- 80-word company description in the official show catalogue
- Logo placement on all non-directional signage at the event
- The opportunity to send one email blast to all the registered attendees prior to the event
  - Full-page colour advert in the official show catalogue label).
- Branding of Registration desk
- Tea/Coffee Station Branding
- Pre-Plenary presentation – 10 mins
- 3m x 3m exhibition booth
- Placement of collateral (to be supplied by sponsor) in the delegate bag
- 10 complimentary delegate passes for all 4 days of the event.
- 5 minute remarks at the welcoming cocktail
- Mentions in all media activities including tv and radio

## WELCOME COCKTAIL SPONSOR - US\$9000

Gain branding visibility and the opportunity to deliver welcome remarks at the event.

- Logo placement and company description on event backdrop, digital screens & official website
- Exclusive networking opportunities: Private meeting with speakers, VIP attendees, and other sponsors
- Acknowledgement of sponsorship
- Status and logo placement on all published promotional materials produced for the event
- Customized sponsor recognition: Social media shoutouts, and on-site announcements.
- Logo placement on all non-directional signage at the event
  - Half-page colour advert in the official show catalogue label).
- Pre-Plenary presentation – 5 mins
- 3m x 3m exhibition booth
- Placement of collateral (to be supplied by sponsor) in the delegate bag
- 5 complimentary delegate passes for all 4 days of the event.
- 10 minute remarks at the welcoming cocktail
- Mentions in all media activities including tv and radio

# SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

## AWARDS GALA DINNER SPONSOR - US\$18,000

Be the exclusive sponsor of the awards gala dinner, with the opportunity to deliver welcome remarks, showcase your branding and distribute marketing materials during the event.

- Logo placement and company description on event backdrop, digital screens & official website
- Branding of Gala Dinner Venue
- Logo displayed on Gala Award Screen
- Logo displayed on Gala Award Dinner tickets
- Keynote speaking opportunity: 10-minute keynote speech during the conference
- Recognition as Main Sponsor for the Gala Dinner
- Exclusive networking opportunities: Private meeting with speakers, VIP attendees, and other sponsors.
- Status and logo placement on all published promotional materials produced for the event
- Customized sponsor recognition: Social media shoutouts, and on-site announcements.
- Access to attendee list: Pre- and post-conference attendee list for follow-up and lead generation
- 80-word company description in the official show catalogue
- Logo placement on all non-directional signage at the event
- The opportunity to send one email blast to all the registered attendees prior to the event
- Full-page colour advert in the official show catalogue label).
- Branding of Registration desk
- Tea/Coffee Station Branding
- Pre-Plenary presentation – 10 mins
- 3m x 3m exhibition booth
- Placement of collateral (to be supplied by sponsor) in the delegate bag
- 10 complimentary delegate passes for all 4 days of the event.
- 5 minute remarks at the welcoming cocktail
- Mentions in all media activities including tv and radio

## LANYARD SPONSOR - US\$10,000

Ensure your brand's visibility on the lanyards worn by all attendees throughout the event.

- Logo placement and company description on event backdrop, digital screens & official website
- Recognition as a Sponsor
- Exclusive networking opportunities: Private meeting with speakers, VIP attendees, and other sponsors.
- Status and logo placement on all published promotional materials produced for the event
- Customized sponsor recognition: Social media shoutouts, and on-site announcements.
- 40-word company description in the official show catalogue
- Logo placement on all non-directional signage at the event
- Half-page colour advert in the official show catalogue label).
- Pre-Plenary presentation – 5 mins
- 3m x 3m exhibition booth
- Placement of collateral (to be supplied by sponsor) in the delegate bag
- 5 complimentary delegate passes for all 4 days of the event
- Mentions in all media activities including tv and radio

# PARTICIPATION OPPORTUNITIES

## EVENT CATALOGUE ADVERTISEMENTS

**STANDARD PLACEMENT (A4) - US\$500**

**PRIME PAGE PLACEMENT (A4) - US\$1,000**

**STANDARD PLACEMENT (A5) - US\$250**

**PRIME PLACEMENT (A5) - US\$500**

Feature your advertisement in the event catalogue for all participants to see.(Contact for more options available).

## EXHIBITOR

Exhibitors get two days to showcase their products and services in the exhibition area. The exhibition area is where the delegates break for tea during the conference. Exhibitors are also listed online for virtual attendees to get their contact, brochures and online links. An exhibition stand comes with:

- Exhibition Stand 3m x 3m or 2m x 2m
- Company name print
- Power socket, bin, table and two chairs
- Online profile
- 5 complimentary delegate passes for all 4 days of the event (Exclusive of Gala dinner)

● **3M X 3M US\$2,000**

● **2M X 2M US\$1,800**

## \*CUSTOMISED SPONSORSHIP PACKAGES

Customized sponsorship plans, designed to meet your needs give your brand maximum visibility and engagement. Please contact the team with your offer for a customised package

## RATES

**ALL ACCESS PASS - Includes full access to all event activities over four days.**  
**US\$ 1,000**

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**GALA DINNER ONLY**

**ORDINARY - US\$ 100**

**VIP - US\$ 200**

**TABLE OF 10 - US\$ 500**

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**CSR & YOUTH DAY**

**FREE ACCESS**

# SPEAKER HIGHLIGHT



**Aaron Munetsi**  
CEO , Airline Association of  
Southern Africa ( AASA)



**Rodney Sikumba**  
Minister of Tourism ,  
Zambia



**Toska Sem**  
Executive Director, Namibia  
Civil Aviation Authority



**Sandile Chipunza**  
Manager Advocacy &  
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**Barry Kashambo**  
Executive Chairman- Africa  
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Country Manager -  
RwandAir



**Hon. Frank Museba Tayali**  
Minister of Transport and  
logistics , Zambia



**Vivian Ruwuya**  
Chief Commercial Officer  
FastJet



**Achma Asokan**

Group CEO  
AirlinePros Inc



**Major General Kalaluka (Rtd)**

Former Deputy Air Force  
Commander & COAIRS



**Derrick Lwembe**

Director General Zambia  
Civil Aviation Authority



**Josiah Walubita**

Director Flight Operations,  
Proflight Zambia



**Tawanda Gusha**

Chief Executive Officer  
Airports Company of  
Zimbabwe



**Lt Col Paul Besa**

Commanding Officer Flying  
Training School, Zambia Airforce



**Matongo Matamwandi**

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# THANK YOU TO PREVIOUS PARTNERS





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