Training Course on Aviation Security Technologies and Screening Innovations

Professional Development Training Course Outline

Category	Aviation and Airport Management	**Duration**	10 Days
Base Fee	$3,000 USD	**Delivery Mode**	Online / On-site Hybrid

Course Introduction

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Course Objectives

1. Master the principles of **next-generation aviation security technologies**.
2. Understand the application of **AI and machine learning in threat detection**.
3. Evaluate the effectiveness of **computed tomography (CT) scanning** for baggage screening.
4. Implement **biometric identification systems** for enhanced access control.
5. Analyze **real-time data analytics** for predictive security intelligence.
6. Develop strategies for **counter-drone technologies** and airspace protection.
7. Assess the vulnerabilities and implement solutions for **aviation cybersecurity**.
8. Optimize **passenger flow** and experience through innovative screening processes.
9. Comply with international **aviation security regulations** and best practices.
10. Conduct effective **risk assessments** and implement **mitigation strategies**.
11. Explore the future of **checkpoint design** and **integrated security systems**.
12. Enhance **insider threat detection** capabilities through advanced analytics.
13. Apply **behavioral detection techniques** to augment technological screening.

Organizational Benefits

- A more robust defense against evolving threats, minimizing vulnerabilities and ensuring passenger safety.
- Streamlined screening processes leading to reduced wait times and improved passenger satisfaction.
- Adherence to the latest international and national aviation security standards, avoiding penalties and maintaining operational licenses.
- Proactive threat detection and mitigation, reducing the likelihood of security breaches and associated legal and financial repercussions.
- Demonstrating a commitment to cutting-edge security, fostering greater public confidence and trust in air travel.
- Intelligent deployment of technology and personnel for maximum security impact.
- Staying ahead of emerging threats and technological advancements, ensuring long-term security resilience.

Target Audience

1. Airport Security Managers and Supervisors
2. Airline Security Personnel
3. Civil Aviation Authority (CAA) Security Regulators
4. Law Enforcement Agencies operating within airports
5. Security Technology Vendors and Integrators
6. Aviation Security Trainers and Instructors
7. Operations and Logistics Managers in the aviation sector
8. Government Security Agencies involved in aviation oversight

Course Outline

Module 1: Foundations of Modern Aviation Security

- Evolution of aviation security threats and responses.
- International and national regulatory frameworks (ICAO, TSA, EASA).
- Principles of a multi-layered security approach.
- Integrating human factors with technological advancements.
- Understanding the aviation security ecosystem.
- **Case Study:** The evolution of security measures post-9/11 and the introduction of enhanced screening protocols.

Module 2: Advanced Passenger Screening Technologies

- High-Definition Advanced Imaging Technology (HD-AIT) and its capabilities.
- Millimeter-wave and backscatter technologies.
- Future of walk-through screening and shoe scanning innovations.
- Automated Screening Lanes (ASLs) and their impact on throughput.
- Privacy considerations and algorithmic advancements in passenger screening.
- **Case Study:** Implementation of HD-AIT at major international airports and its effect on passenger experience and threat detection rates.

Module 3: Next-Generation Baggage and Cargo Screening

- Computed Tomography (CT) scanning for enhanced threat detection.
- Explosive Detection Systems (EDS) and Explosive Trace Detection (ETD).
- Automated Baggage Handling Systems (BHS) with integrated screening.
- Screening of air cargo: regulatory requirements and technological solutions.
- Advanced algorithms for anomaly detection in baggage.
- **Case Study:** How a hub airport significantly reduced false alarm rates and improved cargo security through the adoption of CT-based EDS.

Module 4: Biometric Identification and Access Control

- Facial recognition, fingerprint, and iris scanning technologies.
- Seamless passenger journeys through biometric boarding.
- Biometric solutions for airport staff and restricted area access.
- Privacy and data security implications of biometric data.
- Integration of biometrics with credential authentication technology (CAT).
- **Case Study:** The successful pilot program of biometric boarding gates at an airline, showcasing increased efficiency and security.

Module 5: AI and Machine Learning in Aviation Security

- Fundamentals of AI and machine learning for security applications.
- Predictive analytics for identifying potential threats.
- AI-powered video surveillance and anomaly detection.
- Machine learning for enhancing X-ray image interpretation.
- Ethical considerations and biases in AI security systems.
- **Case Study:** An airport leveraging AI to analyze CCTV footage for unusual behavior patterns and alert security personnel in real-time.

Module 6: Counter-Drone Technologies and Airspace Protection

- Understanding the growing threat of unauthorized drones.
- Detection technologies: radar, acoustic, RF, and optical sensors.
- Mitigation strategies: jamming, spoofing, and kinetic solutions.
- Regulatory challenges and best practices for drone defense.
- Integration of counter-drone systems into airport security perimeters.
- **Case Study:** An incident involving a drone near an airport and the subsequent deployment of multi-layered counter-drone systems to prevent future occurrences.

Module 7: Aviation Cybersecurity and Data Protection

- Threat landscape of cyberattacks in aviation (ransomware, phishing, APTs).
- Securing critical aviation infrastructure and operational technology (OT).
- Data encryption, network segmentation, and access management.
- Cyber threat intelligence sharing and incident response planning.
- Compliance with cybersecurity regulations (e.g., NIS Directive, GDPR).
- **Case Study:** An airline recovering from a ransomware attack and the lessons learned in strengthening its cybersecurity posture.

Module 8: Integrated Security Management Systems (ISMS)

- Centralized platforms for managing diverse security technologies.
- Real-time situational awareness and command & control.
- Interoperability between different security systems.
- Benefits of a holistic security approach.
- Future trends in integrated security platforms.
- **Case Study:** An airport implementing an ISMS to centralize monitoring of CCTV, access control, and alarm systems, leading to faster response times.

Module 9: Insider Threat Detection and Mitigation

- Understanding the insider threat landscape in aviation.
- Behavioral analysis and human intelligence techniques.
- Data analytics for detecting anomalous employee behavior.
- Robust background checks and continuous vetting programs.
- Creating a strong security culture to deter insider threats.
- **Case Study:** Analyzing past insider threat incidents in aviation and developing proactive measures to prevent recurrence.

Module 10: Explosives and CBRN Detection

- Advanced techniques for detecting conventional and improvised explosive devices (IEDs).
- Chemical, Biological, Radiological, and Nuclear (CBRN) threat awareness.
- Deployment of specialized detection equipment and response protocols.
- Collaboration with hazmat and emergency response teams.
- Training for first responders in CBRN scenarios.
- **Case Study:** A simulated CBRN incident at an airport and the effectiveness of detection and response protocols.

Module 11: Security Checkpoint Operations Optimization

- Lean principles applied to security checkpoint design and flow.
- Smart queue management and passenger experience enhancement.
- Role of security officers in technology-driven environments.
- Training and human factors in checkpoint efficiency.
- Measuring and improving checkpoint performance metrics.
- **Case Study:** An airport redesigning its security checkpoints using behavioral science principles to optimize throughput and reduce passenger stress.

Module 12: Risk-Based Security and Threat Assessment

- Methodologies for conducting aviation security risk assessments.
- Developing dynamic threat profiles and intelligence gathering.
- Implementing risk-based screening strategies (e.g., TSA PreCheck, trusted traveler programs).
- Vulnerability assessments and security audits.
- Crisis management and contingency planning for major incidents.
- **Case Study:** A comprehensive risk assessment conducted for a new international flight route, identifying specific threats and implementing tailored security measures.

Module 13: Emerging Technologies and Future Trends

- Quantum sensing for advanced detection.
- Robotics and autonomous systems in airport security.
- Wearable technology for security personnel.
- Virtual and augmented reality for security training.
- The evolving landscape of threats and technological countermeasures.
- **Case Study:** Exploring a futuristic airport concept incorporating fully automated security checkpoints and AI-driven surveillance.

Module 14: Security Culture and Human Factors

- Fostering a proactive security culture among all aviation stakeholders.
- Importance of human vigilance in a technology-rich environment.
- Training methodologies for enhancing security awareness and compliance.
- Addressing fatigue, stress, and cognitive biases in security personnel.
- Effective communication and collaboration in security operations.
- **Case Study:** How a strong security culture at an airline helped detect and report a suspicious activity, preventing a potential incident.

Module 15: Regulatory Compliance and Best Practices

- Deep dive into Annex 17 and other relevant ICAO documents.
- National aviation security programs and quality control.
- Developing and implementing Security Management Systems (SeMS).
- Audit and inspection readiness.
- Sharing best practices and lessons learned across the industry.
- **Case Study:** An airport successfully navigating a complex regulatory audit by demonstrating robust compliance and continuous improvement in its security program.

Training Methodology

This course employs a participatory and hands-on approach to ensure practical learning, including:

- Interactive lectures and presentations.
- Group discussions and brainstorming sessions.
- Hands-on exercises using real-world datasets.
- Role-playing and scenario-based simulations.
- Analysis of case studies to bridge theory and practice.
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Key Notes

a. The participant must be conversant with English.

b. Upon completion of training the participant will be issued with an Authorized Training Certificate

c. Course duration is flexible and the contents can be modified to fit any number of days.

d. The course fee includes facilitation training materials, 2 coffee breaks, buffet lunch and A Certificate upon successful completion of Training.

e. One-year post-training support Consultation and Coaching provided after the course.

f. Payment should be done at least a week before commence of the training, to Fineskill Training Center account, as indicated in the invoice so as to enable us prepare better for you.

Upcoming Scheduled Sessions

Start Date	End Date	Location	Price
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Online	$2,000
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Physical	$3,000
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Physical	$6,000
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Physical	$6,000

Start Date	End Date	Location	Price
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Physical	$12,000
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Physical	$9,000
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Physical	$12,000
23 Nov 2026	04 Dec 2026	Physical	$12,000

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