

# IATS Conference Call Agenda

FEBRUARY 24th, 2021

1000 Mtn Time

Agency	Attendees	Alternate	Membership	Roll Call
USFS-RASM	Sean Aidukas		Primary	
BIA	Jason Petruska		Chair	x
BLM	Kirk Rothwell	Mike Bradley	Primary	xx
OAS - Aviation Training Spec.	Amy Kazmier		Vice Chair	
NPS	Glenn Kessler		Primary	x
USFS-ATPM	Tori Leshuk		Primary	x
USFS-HOS	Nathan Alexander*		Primary	x
USGS	Bill Christiansen	Lisa Faust	Primary	
FWS	Tom Greil	Nate Olson	Primary	x
FWS-Alaska	Julie Vorachek		Primary	x
FHP	Jeff Mai	Scott Sontag	Primary	xx
BSEE	Andrew Wareham		Primary	x
BOR	Dave Rosser		Primary	x
OSMRE	Lukus Monette	Dave Rosser	Primary	
OAS-OAS TB Chief	Woody Kessler		Associate	x
OAS-UAS	Colin Milone		Associate	x
OAS - IAT Webmaster	Louise Bruck		Associate	x
OAS - IAT Training	Cheryl Giffen		Associate	x
OAS - Aviation Training Proj Coord	Anissa Derrick		Guest	x

**Roster Notes:**

IATS Member	IATS AGENDA	# RFC
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<b>Chair/Vice Chair</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Roll Call; Introduction of New IATS Members and Alternates</b></li> <li>• <b>Review of IATS Docs Available on TEAMS under GENERAL Folder quick DEMO</b></li> <li>• Approved JANUARY 2021 IATS Notes</li> </ul>	<b>APPROVED NPS, FS, BLM</b>
<b>Anissa/Woody</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Virtual IAT Course Offerings via ZOOM:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ A305 Risk Management II</li> <li>○ A306 Aviation Contract Administration</li> <li>○ A307 Aviation Policy and Regulations II</li> <li>○ A309 Helicopter Flight Manuals</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Available on www.iat.gov</li> <li>• <b>Training Events</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Spring Training Webinars</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Register now!</b> March 1-5; March 15<sup>th</sup>-19<sup>th</sup> April 12-16; 26-30<sup>th</sup></li> </ul> </li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p><b>291 Students enrolled as of 2/24/21</b>  <b>A-309 Helicopter Flight Manuals additional 6 students will try to open the class up. SME's are wanted please reach out to Anissa and Woody. Glenn will reach out to NPS to get more SME's for the Spring Training Webinars.</b>  Woody talked about making sure pre requisites are met and we are offering a A-205 please make sure that the other classes are done first. Please let others know they need to keep up their training.</p>	
<b>Tori/Woody</b>	<p><b>INTERAGENCY AVIATION TRAINING GUIDE 2021 STATUS</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>EAS Approved</b> – The notes and high quality was good. EAS has no change requests.</li> </ul> <p>FS Letter - Forest Service no major issues as a whole and working on the FS Letter no time line yet but working to get ASAP.</p>	
<b>OAS TB Chief (W.Kessler) and FS-Tori? Still work in Progress</b>	<p>RFC course revision A-212 (aka A-207) Recommended IAT “Managers” to be required to take this course.</p> <p>Dave spoke with IATS we will revisit this next meeting. Tori wants to know who the class is intended for? Kirk – one-time requirement, will we grandfather students – yes, updates how will you get the approval out. Implementation 2022?</p>	20-12
<b>Milone (UAS)</b>	<p>UAS Instructors Vendor/Contractor DRAFT Roles and Responsibilities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• DOI UAS Training roles 201420v.9_miloneupdate.docx <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ IATS MEMBERS to REVIEW DOI UAS Training</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	

	<p>Roles make comments (see link above). We will finalize it at this IATS meeting.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Propose an A-450 UAS working group that would report to the IATS.</li> </ul> <p>- FS needs to implement some language and wording. Working document in the meantime and we can review next call. Kirk- BLM approves, where will the policy be implemented OPM 11 or IAT guide? It will be referenced in OPM-11 – ultimately live in IAT Guide. Immediate intent is OPM-11 and find forever home in the IAT Guide. FS – OPM does not apply to them, but IAT guide does. All documents are electronic, so we just need to make sure changes are addressed.</p> <p>UAS- needs to modify A-450 so they would like to propose a working group that would be able to update the IATS on issues, problems, and follow up. FS is 100% on board with the idea. UAS wants to bring SME.</p> <p>Not sure if it would be an official group in IATS or just a group on the lines. Kirk- where will this curriculum be? IAT site? Proposal to work on one live document curriculum and can be updated easier. We need to dial in the core curriculum. They have contractors that will be delivering to the FS and giving results on expanding.</p> <p>Kirk – propose you have a task person and spokesperson be all Colin says- UAS Agency and Bureau to start and then maybe broaden later.</p> <p>Louise – Will the 450 be allowed to be taught outside of IAT? – Anybody who teaches 450 must be qualified to be an instructor and be signed off. Includes contractor people. Quality control once we contracted out how do we confirm the quality of training without be vetted. UAS will integrate into IAT even more.</p>	
<p><b>Vice Chair</b></p>	<p>Prior Meeting Outstanding Tasks</p>	