



65th ANNUAL IFALDA/EUFALDA AGM

May 05-07th, 2026

DFW Airport Marriott

Dallas, Texas

May 05th - Agenda

1330 - 1500: IFALDA Board Meeting – Westlake room

1600 - 1700: Registration – Alcove F

1700 - 1900: Welcome reception – Alcove F (Sponsored by Jeppesen)

May 06th Agenda:

Location – Alcove F

- **09:00 - 09:30: Opening Remarks:**
- **Jessica Tyler (VP Integrated Operations Center, American Airlines)**

- **0930 - 1030: EUFALDA Annual Report (President Matthias Duerbeck)**

- **1030 - 1100: Network Break (Sponsored by AERODATA,**

FLIGHTKEYS, FLYTOPTIM & NAVBLUE)

- **1100-1200: IFALDA - Year in Review (President Russ Williams)**
- **1200 - 1330: Lunch – Crosswinds (Hotel) – Sponsored by STORKJET**
- **1330 -1415: Archer Airlines overview - Gene Kim (VP Airline Operations, Archer)**
- **1415 - 1500: eVTOL aircraft call to action - Jake Zelman (Chairman, Advanced Air Mobility & NextGen - ADF)**
- **1500 – 1520: SITA Presentation Pere Flo (Product Manager, SITA)**
- **1520 – 1540: Jeppesen Presentation**
- **1540 - 1600: Network break (Sponsored by AERODATA, FLIGHTKEYS, FLYTOPTIM & NAVBLUE)**
- **1600 - 1630: American Airlines collaboration to open JFK-DEL routes over central Afghanistan - Tim Antolovic (Director Dispatch Operations, American Airlines)**
- **1630 – 1700: ADF Presentation – Jim Starnes (ADF President)**
- **1700 – Closing remarks**

#Gala Dinner – 1900L – Crosswinds (Hotel) – Sponsored by SITA

May 07th Agenda:

- **0900-0945: Training the New Flight Dispatchers in Europe – Kenneth Kronborg/Vincent Incammicia (IFOA)**
- **0945-1000: StorkJet presentation**
- **1000 – 1030: Network Break (Sponsored by AERODATA, FLIGHTKEYS, FLYTOPTIM & NAVBLUE)**
- **1030- 1100: Rocket Launches and their impact on Major European Airlines - FRALDA – Franck Nerot (Air France Dispatcher)**
- **1100 – 1145: International Flight Dispatch Panel:**

Frodi Kristinsson (Icelandair)

Kenneth Kronborg (IFOA)

Lucy Luo (CAFUC)

Mark Johnson (Southwest Airlines)

Moderated by Richard Yeates - IFALDA

- **1145-12:00 – Closing remarks – The Flight Dispatchers continued presence - Russ Williams IFALDA President**
- **1330 – Tour of the American Airlines, Integrated Operations Center (IOC).**

1800 – Informal evening at the Fort Worth Stockyards

