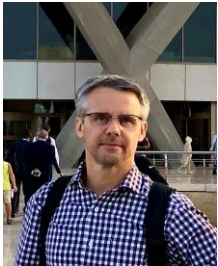




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MODERATOR



Thormodur Thormodsson
Chief, Accident Investigation
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Thormodur joined ICAO AIG Section as Technical Officer in 2005 and moved to the USOAP in 2012 as the Continuous Monitoring Coordinator and Team Leader as well as auditor for Airworthiness and Accident Investigation. He has performed over 80 USOAP activities. Thormodur has been leading the AIG Section at ICAO since 2022.

Prior to joining ICAO Thormodur was Chairman and Chief Investigator of the Icelandic Aircraft Accident Investigation Board for seven years and before that he held a position with the Icelandic CAA as Airworthiness Inspector and Accident Investigator and was the Quality Manager for Air Atlanta, Icelandic.

In 2021 Thormodur completed an MBA – Economics from Southern New Hampshire University. He holds a Bachelor's Degree in Aviation Maintenance Management from Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University. Thormodur holds a CPL-IR license and Airframe and Powerplant (A&P) as well as EASA Part 66 Aircraft Maintenance Engineer licenses.

He completed the main accident Investigation training at Cranfield University and all specialized training at Southern California Safety Institute.



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Olivier Ferrante
Secretary General
Bureau d'Enquêtes et d'Analyses (BEA)

Olivier Ferrante has been the ICAO AIG Panel Chairman since 2018. He has worked in the field of safety investigations since 1999, initially at the Bureau of Enquiry and Analysis for Civil Aviation Safety (BEA), with secondments at Transportation Safety Board of Canada, the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) and at the European Commission in the aviation safety unit. Between January 2012 and July 2016, he followed up the implementation of the European rules on the investigation and prevention of accidents and incidents in civil aviation (Regulation (EU) No 996/2010). In particular, he worked on the establishment of the European Network of Civil Aviation Safety Investigation Authorities (ENCASIA).

He is currently the BEA Secretary General and is also responsible for managing and developing the BEA strategic plan. Olivier was the President of the European Society of Air Safety Investigators (ESASI) from 2017 to 2023.

He holds a Master's Degree in Aviation Engineering from the French National Civil Aviation School (ENAC) as well as a graduate certificate from the McGill Institute of Air and Space Law (IASL) and a pilot's license.



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Khalid Walid Al Raisi
Director - Air Accident Investigation
General Civil Aviation Authority, UAE
Working Group 23 Chairperson
AIG Panel Vice Chairperson

Mr. Al Raisi was the first UAE national to qualify as an aircraft accident investigator. He has a flying and ATC background, and managed 13 major fatal accidents. Possessing 24 years of experience in aviation he has worked as Vice Chairman of ICAO AIGP-Panel and a lead of Working Group 23, as well as the Chairman MENASASI.