The American Association of Airport Executives (AAAE), the International Association of Airport Executives (IAAE) and Malta International Airport are pleased to present the 21st Annual North America/Central Europe Airport Issues Conference, to be held October 24-26, 2016, at the Corinthia Hotel St. George’s Bay in Malta. This meeting is hosted by Malta International Airport.

This program is designed to promote the exporting of aviation/airport-related North American products and services by providing direct contacts and meaningful dialogue between North American aviation-related companies and key airport/aviation officials in the Central Europe region. Equally important, the workshop will offer important and valuable networking opportunities for airport and aviation officials from North America and Central Europe to discuss and debate management and operational challenges facing the airport management profession. As in past years, key aviation officials from throughout the region will participate in the conference, including representatives from Croatia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Czech Republic, Greece, Hungary, Latvia, Poland, Romania, Serbia, Slovak Republic and the Ukraine. In addition, U.S. Commercial Service officers from U.S. embassies throughout the region will attend.

CONFERENCE INFORMATION
All sessions will take place at the Corinthia Hotel St. George’s Bay in Malta. The conference will begin with an opening reception at 18:30 at the Corinthia Hotel St. George’s Bay in Malta on Monday, October 24 (registration will open at 18:00), and conclude at 12:45 on Wednesday, October 26. The registration fee includes all speaker presentations, the opening reception, one luncheon, all refreshment breaks and the official conference dinner. Dress is business attire. For more information, contact Spencer Dickerson at +1.703.578.2511, sdickerson@aaae.org.

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES
Companies are invited to be sponsors of this high-level conference. Sponsorship opportunities are available for $2,500 USD/€2,200 to $10,000 USD/€8,700 (depending on event) This includes two complimentary registrations to the conference, a complimentary table-top exhibit, full recognition of your company in the official program, and written and oral recognition of your company sponsorship, including signage at the conference, and in promotional materials. Because space is limited at the hotel, exhibiting opportunities only are available to sponsors of the conference. For additional information on sponsorship opportunities and details, contact Spencer Dickerson at +1.703.578.2511, sdickerson@aaae.org, Colleen Chamberlain at +1.703.575.2460, colleen.chamberlain@aaae.org or George Paldi, European consultant for AAAE, at 011.36.209.427.005, georgepaldi@t-online.hu.

CONFERENCE AGENDA (subject to change)
MONDAY | OCTOBER 24
18:00-18:30 | Conference Registration
18:30-19:30 | Opening Reception at the Corinthia Hotel St. George’s Bay in Malta

TUESDAY | OCTOBER 25
8:00-9:00 | Coffee.Networking in the Trade Show Area
9:00-9:30 | Welcome and Conference Overview
9:30-10:30 | SESSION I — Airline Opportunities and Challenges in Central Europe
10:30-11:00 | Coffee Break in the Trade Show Area
11:00-11:45 | SESSION II — Airline Incentive Programs at Airports
11:45-12:30 | SESSION III — Ground Handling Case Studies at Central European and U.S. Airports
12:30-14:00 | Luncheon
12:30-14:00 | International Association of Airport Executives Board of Directors Meeting and Luncheon
14:00-17:00 | One-on-One Conferences Between Corporate Delegates, Regional Airport Officials and U.S. Commercial Service Staff
18:30-21:30 | Official Conference Dinner
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WEDNESDAY | OCTOBER 26
8:15-9:00 | Coffee in the Trade Show Area
9:00-10:00 | SESSION IV — Air Cargo and Non-Aeronautical Revenue Development
10:00-10:45 | SESSION V — Airports’ Role in Local Tourism Development
10:45-11:15 | Coffee Break in the Trade Show Area
12:45 | Conference Adjournment

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HOTEL RESERVATIONS: Rooms are being held at the Corinthia Hotel St. George’s Bay, St. Julians, STJ 3301, Malta, phone 00356 2137 4114 and fax 00356 2137 4039. For reservations, email reservations.malta@corinthia.com or call 00356 2370 2714. All attendees will receive the rate of €180 Euro single/€195 Euro double (approximately $205/$225 USD). Room rate includes daily breakfast and taxes. Be sure to identify yourself as part of the Airport Issues Conference to receive the conference rate.

Reservations must be made by Friday, September 30, 2016, and you must provide a major credit card to guarantee this rate. Rooms may sell out before this date, so be sure to make your reservation today! Cancellations made 48 hours before scheduled stay will be charged a one night hotel stay. For further hotel information or assistance in making your hotel reservation, contact George Paldi, European consultant for AAAIE, at (011) 36 209427005, george.paldi@t-online.hu or Christine Montgomery, AAAIE, at +1 703.797.2558, christine.montgomery@aaae.org.

GROUND TRANSPORTATION: Malta International Airport (MLA) is approximately 9.5 miles from the Corinthia Hotel St. George’s Bay, and the ride takes about 30 minutes. Corinthia Hotel St. George’s Bay can arrange airport taxi service for €21 ($24 USD); email reservations.malta@corinthia.com to make arrangements.

PASSPORT INFORMATION: A valid passport is required for U.S. citizens traveling to Malta. A visa is not required for a stay of up to 90 days. Travelers must be in possession of a passport issued within the past 10 years, valid for three months beyond the stay, and a round trip airline ticket. In addition, travelers should have at least one blank passport page. For further information, U.S. citizens and residents should contact The Embassy of Malta, 2017 Connecticut Ave NW, Washington, DC 20008, Phone: (202) 462-3611. Citizens from other nations should check with their local Malta consulate for passport or visa requirements.

NOTE: AAAIE reserves the right to cancel this program if the number of registrants is insufficient. In this event, we will notify all registrants and refund the registration fee in full. However, any costs incurred by the registrant, such as hotel cancellation or airline penalties, are the responsibility of the registrant. Confirmation letters will be emailed to attendees within two weeks of receipt of registration. If you have not received a confirmation letter via email two business days prior to the meeting, and you enrolled at least two weeks prior to the meeting, please contact the AAAIE Meetings Department at 703.824.0504. Non-refund of the confirmation letter before the meeting is not justification for seeking a refund. If you are a AAAIE Academic Member or U.S. federal government employee, email aaammeeetings@aaae.org for potentially discounted registration fees.

CANCELLATION POLICY: Registrations and cancellations must be submitted in writing. Cancellation requests received before October 7, 2016, are subject to a $175 processing fee and will be processed after the meeting takes place. There will be no refunds after this date. Substitutions will be accepted without penalties and no-shows will be billed. For all inquiries regarding cancellations and refunds, please contact the AAAIE Meetings Department at +1.703.824.0504 or email aaammeeetings@aaae.org.

REGISTRATION FEES: (in U.S. funds drawn on a U.S. bank) Includes all handouts, the opening reception, one luncheon, and all refreshment breaks.

- Conference Registration Fee $575 USD per person/€500
- Spouse/Guest Registration Fee* $215 USD per person/€185
- Conference Sponsorship $2,500 USD/€2,200 to $10,000 USD/€8,700

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METHOD OF PAYMENT: (please check applicable box)

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