



IFATSEA General Assembly 2026

8-13 November 2026 | Argyle Hotel, Nairobi, Kenya

Theme: ATSEP VAR: Valuing, Acknowledging, and Recognizing the Safety -Critical Role of ATSEP Professionals

Welcome to the 54th IFATSEA General Assembly

Dear Colleagues, Esteemed Delegates, Partners, and Sponsors

On behalf of the International Federation of Air Traffic Safety Electronics Associations (IFATSEA), it is my singular honor and pleasure to welcome you to the IFATSEA General Assembly 2026, taking place from 8th to 13th November 2026 at the beautiful Argyle Hotel in Nairobi, Kenya.

The theme, **"ATSEP VAR: Valuing, Acknowledging, and Recognizing the Safety-Critical Role of ATSEP Professionals"** is particularly important as it reflects our collective commitment to highlighting the indispensable contribution of Air Traffic Safety Electronics Personnel (ATSEP) to the safety, efficiency, resilience, and modernization of the global air navigation system.

Every day, ATSEP professionals work behind the scenes to ensure that the complex technological infrastructure supporting air traffic management functions reliably and safely. As aviation continues to evolve through digital transformation, automation, cybersecurity advancements, and emerging technologies, the expertise and professionalism of ATSEP would be critical. It is in this regard that we dedicate this year's Assembly to celebrating and advocating the critical role our profession plays in safeguarding the skies.

The pride of Africa, Kenya would be the destination for our General Assembly. Nairobi is a vibrant city known for its warmth, diversity, and innovation, and would provide an excellent setting for our Assembly.

On behalf of the IFATSEA Executive Board, I wish to extend my sincere appreciation to our host, KATSEA for devoting a great amount of time to make this Assembly a memorable one. Let me also heap praises on our partners and sponsors for their generosity towards IFATSEA and the General Assembly. We value them beyond measure.

Let us all direct our flight plans to the Pride of Africa, Nairobi on the 8th of November 2026.

Once again, on behalf of the Executive Board, and my good self, I respectfully say, welcome to Nairobi, and welcome to IFATSEA General Assembly 2026!

"Karibuni Nairobi, na karibuni kwenye Mkutano Mkuu wa IFATSEA 2026!"