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Japan Airlines and ANA HOLDINGS Announce Appointment of ICAO Global Ambassadors in Japan

Tokyo, JAPAN – Japan Airlines Co., Ltd. (JAL) and ANA HOLDINGS INC. (ANA HD) announce the appointment of Ms. Kumiko Miyasaka and Ms. Tomoko Hoya as ICAO Global Ambassadors in Japan for the International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO).



The [ICAO Global Ambassadors Programme](#), newly launched this year, is a worldwide outreach initiative that utilizes the expertise of prominent aviation leaders and role models to inspire the next generation of aviation professionals. Through this programme, closely aligned with the ICAO Strategic Plan 2026-2050, ICAO seeks to foster widespread participation in the aviation industry. The programme also aims to engage youth and women by showcasing the diverse and rewarding career paths available within the aviation industry.

Following a recommendation from the Japan Civil Aviation Bureau, the two individuals below were designated as **ICAO Global Ambassadors in Japan**;

Tomoko Hoya (ANA HOLDINGS INC., Executive Vice President and Chief Sustainability Officer)
Kumiko Miyasaka (Japan Airlines Co., Ltd., Managing Executive Officer and Senior Vice President)

Moving forward, both individuals will serve as ICAO Global Ambassadors, engaging in extensive outreach and awareness-raising activities through educational institutions and international conferences. By drawing on their own professional experiences, they will create opportunities to inspire the next generation of young people and women to pursue careers in aviation and promote the vital importance of the aviation industry—which underpins global transport and economic development—both within Japan and on the international stage.

[Comment from Kumiko Miyasaka, Managing Executive Officer of Japan Airlines]

"I am deeply honored to serve as a representative of Japan's aviation industry in this initiative. Aviation has a unique power to bridge the globe, overcoming physical barriers to foster genuine human connection. I hope to help more people understand the value of our industry and encourage them to pursue their dreams in the sky".



[Comment from Tomoko Hoya, Executive Vice President of ANA HOLDINGS INC]

"I am truly honored to serve as an ICAO Global Ambassador. By serving as an Ambassador, I hope to emphasize the immense value of our industry and provide the encouragement needed for individuals to realize their potential in this field".



Through their participation in this programme, both Ambassadors will advance collaboration among relevant stakeholders and organizations both in Japan and overseas, contributing to the sustainable development of the aviation industry and the promotion of diversity.

Note to Editors:

About ICAO

Leading international civil aviation as a crucial driver of social and economic development, the International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO) is accelerating progress towards zero fatalities and net-zero carbon emissions in air transport for everyone, everywhere, in line with its Long-Term Strategic Plan for 2050. ICAO works with its 193 Member States and all air transport stakeholders to develop standards and policies for international civil aviation, and undertakes planning and capacity building activities to support their implementation by Member States.

For details about ICAO and the Global Ambassador Programme, visit: <https://www.icao.int/>

About JAL

Japan Airlines (JAL), Japan's first private aviation company, was established in 1951 and is a member of the **oneworld®** Alliance. The airline operates a fleet of 232 aircraft (as of March 2025) and began renewing its international long-haul aircraft with the Airbus A350-1000 starting 2023 Winter Schedule. Together with other JAL Group and partner airlines, JAL offers an extensive domestic and international network that serves 395 airports across 68 countries/regions. The airline has received numerous accolades for its exceptional service, including being recognized as a certified 5-Star Airline by Skytrax and being awarded the prestigious "World Class" Airline title by APEX, the Airline Passenger Experience Association. The airline is dedicated to ensuring the highest standards of flight safety and overall service quality, striving to be the most preferred airline by customers worldwide.

For details and to learn more, visit JAL's official website at <https://www.jal.com/en/>

About ANA HOLDINGS

ANA HD was established in 2013 as the largest airline group holding company in Japan, comprising 73 companies. It offers three distinct airline brands: ANA, Peach, the leading LCC in Japan, and AirJapan, launched in 2024 for international routes covering Asia. ANA's legacy of superior service has earned SKYTRAX's 5-Star rating every year since 2013, making it the only Japanese airline to win this prestigious designation for 13 consecutive years. In 2025, ANA was honored with FlightGlobal's Executive Leadership: Asia-Pacific Award for its visionary leadership and strategic growth. ANA is also a four-time recipient of the ATW Airline of the Year award, recognized for excellence in aviation. ANA HD has been selected as a member of the Dow Jones Sustainability World Index list for eight consecutive years and the Dow Jones Sustainability Asia Pacific Index list for nine consecutive years.

For more information about ANA and ANA HD, please visit: <https://www.ana.co.jp/group/en/>