

Scroll of Honour Frederic Deleau

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SUMMARY

In honour of his dedication and service to the federation

1. INTRODUCTION

1.1. By now everyone knows Mr. Frederic Deleau and as he is handing over the reins to a new Executive Vice-president Europe (EVP EUR), Mr. Benjamin Fichtner, I thought it was a good time to recognise his contributions to the Federation and the European Region for many years.

2. DISCUSSION

- 2.1. Fred started his association and union journey many years ago. He has a broad experience from union work through more than 20 years as a Union representative, he has been a Board Member at the EGATS Executive Board, he has been a MUAC Staff Committee representative, 12 years in ATCEUC as international representative plus more – before turning his service towards IFATCA as the primary task.
- 2.2. As a controller for at MUAC for several decades, he has a lot of experience with the developing technology, and at the same time been working in one of the busiest ATM-environments in the world.
- 2.3. What draws Fred the most to engage in roles as EVP EUR is the defence of our professional and ethical values while putting **people first**. This has been his path and his vision for his entire career. He has led the region with a great deal of enthusiasm and a big portion of humour included in his leadership.
- 2.4. Fred has served as a rock solid EVP EUR since 2020.
- 2.5. During his period as EVP EUR, he has done a fantastic job in an extremely violent and volatile environment with a lot of instability and several unpredictable situations to handle. He has been supporting the members and the MAs in Europe in a way that is an example to follow for the future.

2.6. He has been a carrying voice in the European ATM-industry in general and have provided the best service and representation possible for his members both in the region as well as for the federations members in total.

3. CONCLUSION

3.1. As we have heard many times from Fred throughout the years - Together! Further!

3.2. Your dedication and you voice will be caried Further Together by all of us, Fred – even though you are stepping down and shifting arena to the privet one.

3.3. You have made IFATCA and the Region clearly visible on the aviation map and you have had the clearest voice of all towards the authorities – in the best diplomatic way possible.

3.4. You have made the Region stronger – you have made the Federation stronger – you have made us all proud!

3.5. Thank you for your tremendous service – will miss having you around! You are not dead yet – we will meet again!

4. RECOMMENDATIONS

4.1. The directors award Mr. Frederic Deleau with the Scroll of Honour.

5. REFERENCES

5.1. IAM.

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