

## Press Release

### **Flight Training Alliance and Airbus expand A220 training capacity in Asia-Pacific with first full-flight simulator deployment in Singapore**

**Bangkok, Thailand, September 1, 2026** Flight Training Alliance (FTA), a joint venture between Lufthansa Aviation Training (LAT) and CAE – and the Airbus Authorized Training Provider for global A220 training solutions – is collaborating with Airbus to establish an Airbus A220 training capability in Singapore. As part of the agreement, a new CAE 7000XR full-flight simulator will be deployed at the Airbus Asia Training Centre (AATC) in Singapore in 2027.

The deployment marks FTA's first Airbus A220 training expansion into Asia-Pacific and represents an important step in supporting the region's growing demand for pilot training. The simulator will provide A220 airline operators with world-class training closer to where demand is emerging, supporting the safe, efficient and successful entry into service of their aircraft.

Through this partnership, FTA will deploy an Airbus A220 full-flight-simulator, while the Airbus Asia Training Centre (AATC) will manage operations and training delivery. This new capability will support operators across Asia-Pacific, one of the world's fastest-growing aviation markets, while ensuring airlines benefit from training that meets the highest Airbus and operational standards.

"Asia-Pacific continues to be one of the most dynamic aviation regions in the world, with expanding fleets driving demand for qualified pilots," said Susanne Kuehl, Managing Director and Chief Financial Officer, FTA. "By expanding A220 training capacity in Singapore, we are bringing high-fidelity training closer to our customers and helping ensure pilots have access to the training and resources they need to support safe and efficient operations. This deployment reflects FTA's commitment to supporting our customers' growth and helping develop the skilled aviation workforce required for the region's future."

This agreement is a testament to the long-standing collaboration between FTA and Airbus. FTA has been supporting Airbus A220 operators through its existing training operations in Frankfurt, Zurich and Rome. That expertise will now extend to the Asia-Pacific region to help meet increasing industry demand and support the development of a skilled and qualified pilot workforce.

#### **About FTA**

FTA, a joint venture between [Lufthansa Aviation Training](https://www.lufthansa-aviation-training.com/) and [CAE](https://www.cae.com/), has been successfully leveraging the strengths and core competencies of both companies providing Airbus A220 cockpit, cabin and dispatcher courses. As an authorized training provider by Airbus, FTA's mission is to support the entry into service of the aircraft and the crew readiness for A220 operators worldwide. FTA offers tailored training solutions for their A220 customers in Frankfurt, Rome and Zurich, and continues to expand its training network as the Aircraft fleet grows worldwide.

<https://www.flighttrainingalliance.com/>

#### **About Lufthansa Aviation Training**

# Flight Training

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A CAE Lufthansa Flight Training Joint Venture

Lufthansa Aviation Training GmbH (LAT) is one of the leading providers of flight training worldwide, with expertise in the education and training of cockpit and cabin crews at ten training centers globally. Headquartered at Munich Airport, LAT employs around 800 staff across all locations. Its customer portfolio includes more than 250 renowned national and international airlines, including Lufthansa Group carriers. LAT operates nearly 200 training devices, including training aircraft for pilot education, simulators for all common aircraft types, and emergency and service mock-ups for cabin crew training.

Under the European Flight Academy (EFA) brand, Lufthansa Aviation Training consolidates the Lufthansa Group's flight schools.

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