Airline Operations Control Center Procedures

Airline Operations and Management: A Management Textbook is a survey of the airline industry, mostly from a managerial perspective. It integrates and applies the fundamentals of several management disciplines, particularly economics, operations, marketing and finance, in developing the overview of the industry. The focus is on tactical, rather than strategic, management that is specialized or unique to the airline industry. The primary audiences for this textbook are both senior and graduate students of airline management, but it should also be useful to entry and junior level airline managers and professionals seeking to expand their knowledge of the industry beyond their own functional area. Written by a range of international industry practitioners, this book offers a comprehensive overview of the essence and nature of airline operations in terms of an operational and regulatory framework, the myriad of planning activities leading up to the current day, and the nature of intense activity that typifies both normal and disrupted airline operations. The first part outlines the importance of the regulatory framework underpinning airline operations, exploring how airlines structure themselves in terms of network and business model. The

second part draws attention to the operational environment, explaining the framework of the air traffic system and processes instigated by operational departments within airlines. The third part presents a comprehensive breakdown of the activities that occur on the actual operating day. The fourth part provides an eye-opener into events that typically go wrong on the operating day and then the means by which airlines try to mitigate these problems. Finally, a glimpse is provided of future systems, processes, and technologies likely to be significant in airline operations. Airline Operations: A Practical Guide offers valuable knowledge to industry and academia alike by providing readers with a well-informed and interesting dialogue on critical functions that occur every day within airlines.

The Army Communicator
Quantitative Problem Solving Methods in the Airline Industry
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Airline Operations and Management
Major code structures

Operations research techniques are extremely important tools for planning airline operations. However, much of the technical literature on airline optimization models is highly specialized and accessible only to a limited audience. Allied to this there is a concern among the operations research community that the materials offered in OR courses

at MBA or senior undergraduate business level are too abstract, outdated, and at times irrelevant to today's fast and dynamic airline industry. This book demystifies the operations and scheduling environment, presenting simplified and easy-to-understand models, applied to straightforward and practical examples. After introducing the key issues confronting operations and scheduling within airlines, Airline Operations and Scheduling goes on to provide an objective review of the various optimization models adopted in practice. Each model provides airlines with efficient solutions to a range of scenarios, and is accompanied by case studies similar to those experienced by commercial airlines. Using unique source material and combining interviews with alumni working at operations and scheduling departments of various airlines, this solution-orientated approach has been used on many courses with outstanding feedback. As well as having been comprehensively updated, this second edition of Airline Operations and Scheduling adds new chapters on fuel management systems, baggage handling, aircraft maintenance planning and aircraft boarding strategies. The readership includes graduate and undergraduate business, management, transportation, and engineering students; airlines training and acquainting new recruits with operations planning and scheduling processes; general aviation, flight school, International Air Transport Association (IATA), and International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO) training course instructors; executive jet, chartered flight, air-cargo and package delivery companies, and airline consultants. PAAMS, the International Conference on Practical

Applications of Agents and Multi-Agent Systems is an evolution of the International Workshop on Practical Applications of Agents and Multi-Agent Systems. PAAMS is an international yearly tribune to present, to discuss, and to disseminate the latest developments and the most important outcomes related to real-world applications. It provides a unique opportunity to bring multi-disciplinary experts, academics and practitioners together to exchange their experience in the development of Agents and Multi-Agent Systems. This volume presents the papers that have been accepted for the 2009 edition. These articles capture the most innovative results and this year's trends: Assisted Cognition, E-Commerce, Grid Computing, Human Modelling, Information Systems, Knowledge Management, Agent-Based Simulation, Software Development, Transports, Trust and Security. Each paper has been reviewed by three different reviewers, from an international committee composed of 64 members from 20 different countries. From the 92 submissions received, 35 were selected for full presentation at the conference, and 26 were accepted as posters.

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Department of Defense Dictionary of Military and Associated Terms, Incorporating the NATO and IADB Dictionaries

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predominantly on pilots and air traffic controllers. Understanding Decision-Making Processes in Airline Operations Control focuses instead on an area largely overlooked: an airline's Operations Control Centre (OCC). This serves as the nerve centre of the airline and is responsible for decision-making with respect to operational control of an airline's daily schedules. The environment within an OCC is extremely intense and a key role of controllers is to make decisions that facilitate the airline's recovery from frequent, highly complex, and often multiple disruptions. As such, decision-making in this domain is critical to minimise the operational, commercial and financial impact resulting from disruptions. The book examines many aspects of individual decision-making in airline operations, and addresses the deficiencies found by presenting to the reader an examination of the relationships among situation awareness, information completeness, experience, expertise, decision considerations and decision alternatives in OCCs. The text utilises a multiple case study approach and proposes a number of relevant and important implications for OCC management. Practical outcomes highlight the need for enhancing training programs enabling existing controllers to readily identify and classify elements of situation awareness and decision considerations as a means of improving the decision-making process. They also draw attention to the need for airline OCCs to understand the extent to which industry experience and expertise of controllers is important in the

selection of future staff.

Airline Operations and Scheduling

Instrument Procedures Handbook (FAA-H-8261-1A)

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A Practical Guide

Most of the research efforts dealing with airline scheduling have been done on off-line plan optimization. However, nowadays, with the increasingly complex and huge traffic at airports, the real challenge is how to react to unexpected events that may cause plan-disruptions, leading to flight delays. Moreover these disruptive events usually affect at least three different dimensions of the situation: the aircraft assigned to the flight, the crew assignment and often forgotten, the passengers' journey and satisfaction. This book includes answers to this challenge and proposes the use of the Multi-agent System paradigm to rapidly compose a multi-faceted solution to the disruptive event taking into consideration possible preferences of those three key aspects of the problem. Negotiation protocols taking place between agents that are experts in solving the different problem dimensions, combination of different utility functions

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Understanding Decision-making Processes in Airline Operations Control

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Oversight of Helicopter Medical Services

Combat Operations Decisionmaking in Tactical Air Command and Control

This note examines the Combat Operations function in tactical air command and control, and explores some of the human and organizational issues related to the use of technology (particularly automation) to support and enhance that function. Command and control of tactical air power involves a combination of people and

technology, principally communications and data processing technology, In this note, 'people' issues, and the relationships between the human organizations which comprise the command and control system and the technical systems which support them are examined. The authors focus on the command and control process occurring in the Combat Operations section of a Tactical Air Control Center (TACC). This includes monitoring and managing planned air operations as they occur, and modifying those operations to adjust to changing circumstances. TACC can be thought of as a decisionmaking entity in which incoming information about the state of an ongoing conflict is used to manage the employment of airpower resources. (Author).
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A Modeling Methodology Handbook
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Introduction: The purpose of this document is to construct a recommended course of action in the next year for Garuda Operations Control in its efforts to upgrade its information systems technology. The process of installing new technologies is not one that can be done quickly or

easily. It is also not one that can be accomplished by simply purchasing new software, even if that software were to exist. Rather, the process of upgrading technologies must follow a carefully planned and designed path. Among information systems specialists, the process is often referred to as the Systems Development Life Cycle (SDLC). The scope of an SDLC can vary. For airline operations control projects, the scope of the SDLC process is large. It involves many people, both internal and external to the organization. It requires the establishment of a Systems Development Team with membership from several units of the airline to direct the project and to resolve problems. It (ultimately) involves a substantial resource commitment, typically on the order of $2,000,000 to $3,000,000 in development funding. It involves a number of tasks that need to be performed as part of the development effort. And the project typically takes a number of years to implement. Failing to follow a proper Systems Development process may lead to a number of risks, such as: e The new system may not meet the user's needs. e The acquisition of unnecessary or inappropriate hardware. e The acquisition of insufficient software, or software that does not allow the airline to grow or handle future expansion. e Software that may be inadequately tested and may not meet requirements or expectations. One way to look at systems development is to divide it into six phases: Phase 1

- Analyze the current system Phase 2 - Define new system requirements Phase 3 - Design the new system Phase 4 - Develop the new system Phase 5 - Implement the new system Phase 6 - Test and evaluate the system's performance and its ability to meet the user's requirements During the last year, MIT/FTL staff have been working on Phase 1. The results of our analysis of GA's current system have been documented in a separate report by Michael Clarke and Yudi Naryadi entitled "The Airline Operation Control Centre: An Overview of Garuda's Operation Control (EM) at Cengkereng", which was recently submitted to GA. Perhaps more work needs to be done in Phase 1 by GA internal staff after GA has reviewed our report. For example, it might be wise to: a) Evaluate the sources of all data needed to support operations control. b) Document the flows of these data as EM goes about solving various operations problems, or resolving irregular operations. c) Document the information needs which are not currently available. d) Review current EM policies and procedures to obtain suggestions for improvement. However, it is the next two phases in the SDLC process (Phase 2 - defining the new system requirements, and Phase 3 - designing the new system) for which we now need to turn our attention. Within the next year of the cooperation between MIT and GA, there are a number of tasks that can be accomplished to complete these next two phases. What follows is our suggestion for

what should be accomplished within the next year. 2. Suggested steps for the next year of cooperation between MIT and GA Operations Control Step 1 - Establish a Systems Development Team. The very first step that should be taken is the establishment of a team of individuals from both within GA and external to GA. The mission of this team would be to oversee the development effort: direct all activities; approve all decisions; make recommendations on the design of the new system; and resolve problems that occur along the way. The team should consist of personnel from: e Operations (EP, EM) e Flight Dispatch, Navigation (EA, ON) e Operations Control Center (OCC) e Maintenance (MCC, MP) * Crew Planning (OB) e Airport Operations (KO) e Information Systems (DX) The team should have a leader from within GA, and MIT/FTL staff would act as "consultants" to this team. Step 2 - Complete Phase 2 of the System Development Life Cycle. In the second phase of the SDLC, we need to scope out the requirements for the new system in enough detail so that both the computer systems developers and the users know exactly what the new system is going to do and how the system is going to do it. Needless to say, these requirements should solve the problems identified in Phase 1. The requirements should identify the user's needs (what the system will do) as well as the hardware, software, and data needs. This phase concludes with a system requirements report. Step 3 -

Configure and install the computer hardware and networking technology that is necessary to allow personnel to electronically communicate and interact with one another, make good use of existing Operations Control systems, and to establish reliable access to all necessary information/data. The design of the hardware and network configuration is not a trivial task. Questions need to be answered: e What would be the underlying operating system: UNIX, Windows NT? e What hardware will the system run on: 80486 PC's or UNIX Workstations? e What client - server architecture is optimum? e What local area network is best: Ethernet, Token-Ring? * What media: Twisted-Pair, Co-ax? e How is the network to be connected to the mainframe and other systems? e What communications and network software is needed? It is planned that the installation of this hardware and software will be incremental and evolutionary. GA can initially procure just a few workstations and connect them up on a local area network. This "test cell" of computers will allow GA to gain some experience with the new hardware before making a more substantial commitment of resources. In addition, this step will allow EM personnel to become familiar with the new computer hardware before the application software is designed and installed. It will also allow EM personnel to communicate with each other through a local area network. In addition, the hardware and operating system

software that is chosen should allow EM to continue to access and use current systems, even if those systems are on the mainframe computer or other workstations. At the same time, it should allow an evolutionary transition to better systems and software. Step 4 - Begin installation of a centralized Database Management System to hold the data items that are needed for effective Operations Control. Refer to the earlier proposal entitled "System Operations Control Database Development" written by Dennis Mathaisel in July 1995 for a more detailed discussion of this step. Configuring and installing an effective DBMS is not trivial. It is intended that an improved DBMS will be available on-line at EP/EM by transferring and updating data currently in other systems. Step 5 - Complete Phase 3 of the System Development Life Cycle. This third phase focuses on the design of the new system software before the software is procured or developed. The phase involves two main objectives: e To optimally design the new system. e To establish a sound framework of controls within which the new system should operate (basically, meeting the requirements). The completion of the design phase is marked by a couple of events: the team completes, organizes, and assembles the system design documentation; and a series of meetings/presentations are organized to present and review the design proposal. From an overall perspective, next year would be devoted to a year of assessment and

design, combined with the installation of necessary hardware, operating systems, and local area networks. It would require a commitment from Garuda to purchase necessary hardware and LAN technology, as well as taking the first steps necessary to install a centralized DBMS. 3. Beyond next year... Once the above steps were completed, then GA can begin to acquire more advanced software to assist in planning and execution of Operations activities. The greatest mistake would be to acquire existing software packages before a thorough study and design was completed. A complete plan for developing a new operational system must be established first. Beyond next year, the basic steps would be as follows: a) Complete the construction of the centralized DBMS. b) Replace the ROC system currently in use in Operations Control with advanced computer-graphics displays on high-powered workstations that are connected on a local area network and connected with the mainframe computer. This step involves a transition to UNIX-based software. c) Then, and only after the above steps were taken, consider the introduction of automated decision-support models to solve specific problems that are encountered in irregular operations, etc.

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This book reviews Operations Research theory, applications and practice in seven major areas of airline planning and operations. In each area, a team of academic and industry experts provides an overview of the business and technical landscape, a view of current best practices, a summary of open research questions and suggestions for relevant future research. There are several common themes in current airline Operations Research efforts. First is a growing focus on the customer in terms of: 1) what they want; 2) what they are willing to pay for services; and 3) how they are impacted by planning, marketing and operational decisions. Second, as algorithms improve and computing power increases, the scope of modeling applications expands, often re-integrating processes that had been broken into smaller parts in order to solve them in the past. Finally, there is a growing awareness of the uncertainty in many airline planning and operational processes and decisions. Airlines now recognize the need to develop 'robust' solutions that effectively cover many possible outcomes, not just the best case, "blue sky" scenario. Individual chapters cover: Customer Modeling methodologies, including current and emerging applications. Airline Planning and Schedule Development, with a look at many remaining

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