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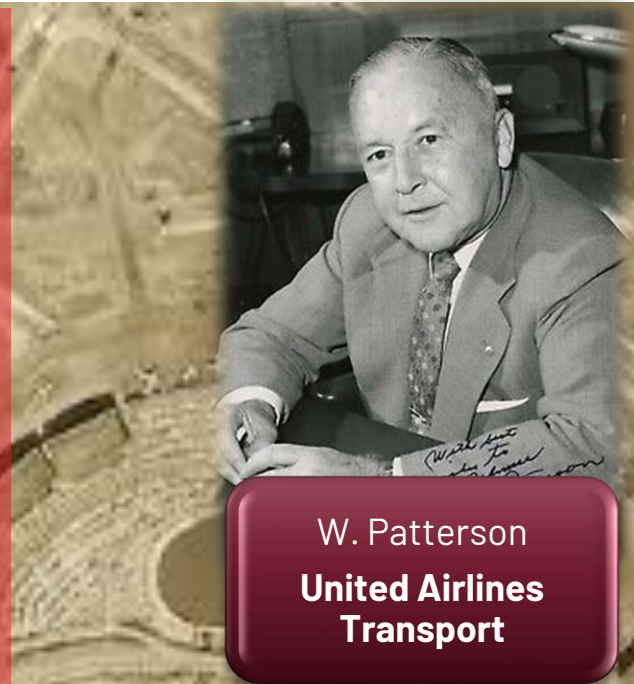


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**WHAT DID
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AND THESE
LEGENDARY
MEN HAVE IN
COMMON?**



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Very truly yours,

(sgd.)

F. M. LaGuardia

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the new airport, via Port Authority of New York and New Jersey



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




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- II 2009 CIUDAD REAL, SPAIN
- III 2010 LISBON, PORTUGAL
- IV 2011 DALLAS, USA
- V 2012 AMSTERDAM, THE NETHERLANDS
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- VIII 2015 ATHENS, GREECE
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WALA 2020 Webinar Series

As a way to stay connected and to be able to share experiences during these difficult times, WALA (Worldwide Airport Lawyers Association) will be presenting a series of free webinars for our airport legal community.

Each webinar will be focused on a specific subject, and will be no longer than 30 minutes (including Q&A).

Topics to be covered are extremely relevant to day to day airport realities. A list of them is included at the end of this newsletter (*). If you have a topic you would like to be included in our list, or would like to be a speaker, please contact us (wala@abjaxair.com)

Our next Webinar will be:

Date: Monday 6, July

Start/ending time
3:00-3:30 pm UK | 4:00-4:30 pm Madrid | 11:00-11:30 am San Pablo | 10:00-10:30 pm Singapore



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Date: Monday 3rd, August | Time: 5:00 pm Athens time | info & registration: wala@abjaxair.com

**Airport Service
Liabilities in Times Of Covid-19 and Public Health Care**



MICHAEL SIEBOLD
WALA Board Member



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Speaker
Joanne Kohoo
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Cairns Airport



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Introduction

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Speaker

Director de Assuntos Corporativos
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JUDGMENT

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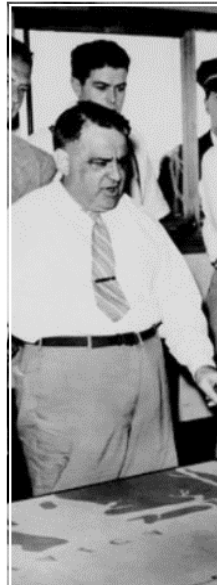
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ANTE MATIJACA

Wala founder

Split Airport Ltd.

Legal Department Manager

“But where is the «Airport Law»?

However, we would like to be able to affirm that the «*Airport Law*» *exists*.

This kind of law does not belong to any of the above mentioned laws. *The «Airport Law» has its own principles and rules based on development of airport activities, what turns it into a special discipline.*

It is compatible with other mentioned branches of law, but it does not agree with them always. In other words, very often it is contrary to them.

On the basis of all stated, we consider *it necessary to work on the «Airport Law» development, taking into account all its specific qualities and expectations.*

That would enable the creation of legal framework for complete and efficient functioning and acting of airports.”

Split, 2011



Thanks!

- ▶ Diego R. Gonzalez
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