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Prague Airport's Fruitful Representation at Routes World 2022 Conference



Representatives of Prague Airport and CzechTourism took part in the Routes World Conference in Las Vegas between 16 and 18 October 2022. Over three days, more than 50 meetings were conducted, mainly with airline representatives from all over the world, including 22 long-haul carriers. 15 airlines confirmed their intention to increase operations at Prague Airport in addition to airport's original plan for 2023. Some of the top conference results include the possible strengthening of direct connections to Asia and the Middle East. Aside from those, Prague Airport also expects to see a certain increase of traffic of its European destinations, including several new routes.



SalamAir Launches Two New Routes

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from Prague

On 21 October, the inaugural SalamAir flight from Muscat to Prague, and subsequently from Prague to Salalah, took place. Prague Airport thus gained the first scheduled air connection from Prague to Oman. The route to Muscat will be operated once a week (every Wednesday), and the same frequency will be made available on the route to Salalah (every Friday). Both new destinations will be served throughout the Winter Season with modern A321neo aircraft configurated to carry 212 passengers.



Moody's Aa3 Rating Confirmed for Prague Airport

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Prague Airport's strong financial stability and creditworthiness rating of Aa3 was confirmed by the Moody' Investors Service renowned rating agency. Aside from other reasons, it was appreciated that, unlike other airports in Europe, the company did not face a critical shortage of staff. Moody's also highlighted Prague Airport's ability to flexibly manage operating and investments costs during the pandemic, and the company's preparedness in the context of the energy crisis.



10 Years with Václav Havel

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Since 5 October 2012, Prague Airport has been honoured to carry the name of the former president of the Czech Republic, Václav Havel. To commemorate this important milestone, passengers and visitors to the airport can see various exhibitions across the terminals to learn about the renaming of the airport 10 years ago and Václav Havel's life.



Direct Flights between Prague and Baku Now Also Available in Winter Season

Thanks to the positive results of the direct connection between Prague and Baku, Azerbaijan Airlines has decided to prolong the operations of the route into the winter season. The flights will be operated twice a week (on Mondays and Fridays) throughout winter by Airbus A319 configurated for 122 passengers.



SunExpress to Expand Its Prague to Antalya Operations in Summer

An increase in the number of flight connections from Prague to Antalya has been announced by SunExpress. Starting next summer, the route will be operated daily (compared to the current 3 times per week frequency). The past summer season, Antalya was one of the most popular destinations from Prague Airport in terms of the number of handled passengers. In 2022, the dominating carrier on Antalya route was Smartwings, serving multiple frequencies a day.

TRAFFIC RESULTS						
	SEP 2021	SEP 2022	Y/Y CHANGE	JAN-SEP 2021	JAN-SEP 2022	Y/Y CHANGE
Total Passengers	653,933	1,171,273	79.11%	2,732,623	8,144,050	198.03%
Scheduled	587,543	984,780	67.61%	2,398,534	7,026,370	192.94%
Non-scheduled	66,390	186,493	180.91%	334,089	1,117,680	234.55%
Total Movements	7,733	10,364	34.02%	40,224	76,794	90.92%
Scheduled	5,202	7,024	35.02%	23,960	53,448	123.07%
Non-scheduled	2,155	3,009	39.63%	13,555	20,683	52.59%
Others	376	331	11.97%	2,709	2,663	1.70%
TOP 3 DESTINATIONS	London, Paris, Antalya					
TOP 3 COUNTRIES	Italy, Greece, United Kingdom					

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