



INTERNATIONAL COUNCIL REPORT

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Virtual Meeting

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Activities Since the last International Council Meeting or Future Events:

NZSASI membership currently stands at 46, plus three Corporate members. This is a pleasing improvement from last year's total, which bottomed out at 43. We are hoping for a further improvement now that New Zealand's borders are open to all comers and the aviation industry is finding its feet again. Time will tell.

Although there are no NZSASI events currently scheduled, professional interest has been kept alive in the meantime. At the 2021 biennial general meeting on 9 July 2021, the possibility of interacting with like-minded other societies was discussed, and in keeping with that idea, our Vice-President Mike has organised a monthly series of webinars in conjunction with the Honourable Company of Air Pilots (formerly the Guild of Air Pilots and Air Navigators).

We have had several great presentations to date; Mike is always on the lookout for future presenters (Robert Sumwalt has booked a slot for later in the year!), so if any ISASI member has a good investigation story (which could be one from a previous seminar), Mike would be pleased to hear from you, at zaytsoffm@gmail.com.

These webinars are held on the second Wednesday of each month, at 1000 NZST (UTC+12). For members outside of HCAP/NZSASI wishing to participate, please let Mike know in advance as there is a cap on the number of participants (a Zoom account limit).

This year, NZSASI's 35th anniversary falls on 3 September – the Saturday immediately following the Brisbane seminar. No plans yet exist for a local celebration, but suggestions will be solicited from the membership. It certainly rates a mention at the seminar itself!

Council action items/recommendation:

Nil.

Signed/Print:

Alister Buckingham