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Something to chew on first.....



Dear SAAA Members, Readers
and all,

Welcome to the fourth issue
of SAAA "Perspectives" 2017 –

a newsletter aimed at providing you with the on-goings in our
Aviation Industry.

2017 is finally drawing to a close and there's much to look
forward to the new year: 2018!

Firstly, our SAAA@Singapore Annual General Meeting (AGM)
will be held on 8 February 2018 at Tanah Merah Country Club
(TMCC Garden Course) and we'd like to encourage you to join
us and attend our AGM lunch. It will involve elections of the
various Council Board members, so feel free to listen in.

Secondly, let's not forget the joyous celebrations coming our
way. We'd like to wish all Merry Christmas and a Happy New
Year! There will be a SAAA@Singapore Lou Hei session held at
the same location on 20 February 2018. Shall we toss the Yu
Sheng together? Huat Ah!

Thirdly, there is the upcoming Singapore Airshow 2018, Asia's
largest Aerospace and Defence event. Certainly, it'd be a day
filled with breath-taking stunts and maneuvers at the
Singapore Airshow aerobatic flying display!

All in all, we look forward to seeing you at our upcoming
events next year!

Warmest Regards,
"Perspectives" Editorial Team

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Summary of Events/Activities for this year: 2017

Timeline

1st Quarter

JANUARY TO MARCH

1. 43rd Annual General Meeting
(5 January 2017)
2. Operational & Human Resource Excellence
Booster 2017 (17 January 2017)
3. Economic Outlook 2017 (24 March 2017)



APRIL TO JUNE

1. Dangerous Goods Regulations Awareness
Seminar 2017 (21 April 2017)
2. Study Trip to Germany & Netherlands
(22 April 2017)
3. Airport Systems Study Trip to London
(15 May 2017)
4. SAAA Futsal Tournament 2017
(21 May 2017)
5. ACTS IT Platform Launch 2017
(21 June 2017)

2nd Quarter



Summary of Events/Activities for this year: 2017

OCTOBER TO DECEMBER

1. *SAAA Grants Seminar 2017*
(6 October 2017)
2. *Air Cargo Day 2017* (2 November 2017)
3. *SCCCI Trade Association Career Fair*
(3 November 2017)
4. *LED Symposium 2017* (17 November 2017)
5. *Students Visit to Changi Airfreight Centre*
(18 November 2017)
6. *SAAA Fun Bowling Tournament*
(26 November 2017)

4th Quarter



JULY TO SEPTEMBER

1. *Aviation Open House*
(24-26 August 2017)
2. *SGSecure Briefing & Workplace Resilience* (19 September 2017)

3rd Quarter



Government News – MINDEF

SAAA@Singapore Awarded the Highest Accolade for their Support for National Service

Singapore Air Cargo Agents Association (SAAA@Singapore) was amongst the 139 recipients who received the NS Advocate Awards from Minister for Defence, Dr Ng Eng Hen, during the annual Total Defence Awards (TDA) on 5 Oct 17.



SAAA@Singapore members who received the prestigious NS Advocate Award 2017 sharing a proud moment

(R-L: Mr Ken Chua – Sales & Marketing Manager, UT-WAYS Freight Services, Mr Wilson Chua Boon Leng – Managing Director, UT-WAYS Freight Services, Mr Gideon Lam Yen Gi – CEO, Shalom International Movers, Mr Steven Lee – Chairman, SAAA@Singapore, Mr Jimmy Ler Swee Huat- Country Director, Logwin Air + Ocean Singapore, LTC Yvonne Lim, Head Outreach and Engagement MINDEF, Mdm Cora Tan Lay Tin – spouse of Mr Jimmy Ler, Ms Pauline Tok – Executive Director, SAAA@Singapore)

Being a strong NS Advocate, SAAA@Singapore organised National Education programmes to promote Total Defence, participated actively in events and exhibitions organised by the Ministry of Defence (MINDEF) and Ministry of Home Affairs (MHA) and provided platforms for MINDEF to invite the council and members to attend outreach events and visits to better appreciate SAF and NS training.

Congratulations to the following members of SAAA@Singapore who have also received the NS Advocate Award 2017. They are indeed an inspiration for more businesses and employers to join this exclusive league of NS Advocate Award recipients.

- Astro Express Logistics Pte Ltd
- Logwin Air + Ocean Singapore Pte Ltd
- Shalom International Movers Pte Ltd
- UT-WAYS Freight Services Pte Ltd

Take the first step by coming on-board the NS Mark accreditation scheme today! The NS Mark is a national accreditation scheme to recognise businesses and employers who have been supportive of NS and Total Defence. With this accreditation scheme, more pro-NS businesses and organisations can pledge their support for NS, and be recognised for their efforts in promoting an NS-friendly workplace culture and adopting human resource practices that support operationally-ready national servicemen (NSmen) in fulfilling their NS duties.

Visit www.NSmark.sg or email NSOutreach@defence.gov.sg to find out more.

Government News – Singapore Customs

Singapore's Mutual Recognition Arrangements

As part of our efforts to enhance global supply chain security and facilitate the movement of legitimate goods, Singapore Customs has signed Mutual Recognition Arrangements (MRAs) with Canada, Republic of Korea, Japan, People's Republic of China, Taiwan, Hong Kong and the United States and is currently in negotiation with Australia and Thailand.

Through such MRAs of Authorised Economic Operator (AEO) programmes, foreign customs administrations that are Singapore's MR partners will recognise Singapore's Secure Trade Partnership-Plus (STP-Plus) companies as being of lower risk and thus facilitate the clearance of goods that are exported to or imported from these companies. Singapore Customs will extend the same treatment to AEO companies from the respective countries and goods that are exported to or imported from these companies. In order to enjoy the facilitation accorded, traders are reminded to declare the AEO reference code or STP code in the TradeNet import and export declarations.

For more details on how to join the STP-Plus programme, and how to take advantage of Singapore's MRAs, please visit the Singapore Customs website at www.customs.gov.sg > Business > Customs' Schemes, Licences & Framework > Secure Trade Partnership (STP) & STP-Plus.

Register for CorpPass to continue accessing Singapore Customs' e-services

Singapore Corporate Access (or CorpPass) is a new corporate digital identity that will replace SingPass and agency-issued login identities for entities that need to transact with Government agencies online.

Since the launch of CorpPass on 15 Sep 2016, Traders, Declaring Agents, and Shipping Agents are strongly encouraged to register for and start using CorpPass to access the following Singapore Customs e-services as soon as possible to avoid any future inconveniences when the current mode of login is no longer available:

- a. Customs Account / Declaring Agent Account / Authorisation of Declaring Agent,
- b. Government TradeNet Application and Services,
- c. Inventory Control System and Petroleum Refund, and
- d. Web Manifest Reconciliation Statement (WMRS)

Customs Account, Declaring Agent Account, Authorisation of Declaring Agent, and WMRS

The conversion will be done upon successful first-time CorpPass log in for each of the e-services.

Government TradeNet Application and Services

The conversion will also be done upon successful first-time CorpPass log in. Users with multiple TradeNet IDs are required to select the TradeNet ID that they wish to use before they proceed with TradeNet Application and Services.

Inventory Control System and Petroleum Refund

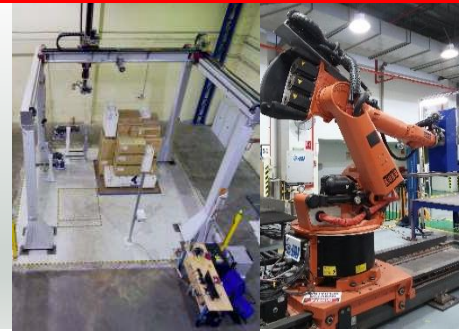
Existing users are required to log in using their eCustoms ID or SingPass and perform the conversion process to CorpPass ID before they can log in with CorpPass.

For more information on CorpPass for Singapore Customs' e-services, you can refer to Notices No. 07/2016 and 03/2017 at www.customs.gov.sg. You may also contact the CorpPass helpdesk on 6643 0577 from 8am to 8pm on Mondays to Fridays, or 8am to 2pm on Saturdays, or email your queries to support@corppass.gov.sg for queries on CorpPass.

Government News – CAAS & ICA



CAAS Aviation Challenge 2 Site Visits



The Aviation Challenge was launched in 2014 with the objective of developing innovative solutions to automate labour-intensive processes in airport operations. For the second Aviation Challenge, the Civil Aviation Authority of Singapore (CAAS) sought to improve productivity and reduce strain of cargo handling on workers, caused by the manual stacking and unstacking of cargo, by automating the build-up and breakdown of cargo pallets and containers.

In close consultation with industry stakeholders, the two shortlisted teams started developing their prototypes for this second Aviation Challenge in September 2015. The teams were Singapore Technologies Dynamics Pte Ltd (ST Dynamics), in partnership with Israel Aerospace Industries Ltd (IAI); and TUM CREATE Ltd Singapore (TUMCREATE). Through November 2017, the developed prototypes were assessed by an evaluation panel comprising key members of the air cargo and logistics community – CAAS, SAAA@Singapore, DHL Global Forwarding (S) Pte Ltd, dnata Singapore Pte Ltd, SATS Ltd, Singapore Airlines Cargo Ltd, and Singapore Logistics Association.

On 21 November 2017, CAAS hosted member companies of SAAA@Singapore in the site visits to view the prototypes and gain insight into the possibilities and future prospects that these technology can be implemented in the logistical industries.

Advisory from Immigration & Checkpoints Authority

Complying with security checks when exiting CAC Checkpoint Green Channel

All passenger vehicles and empty cargo vehicles exiting CAC Checkpoint Green Channel are subject to security checks. Under Regulation 7(1) of the FTZ Act, no person shall leave a free trade zone except with the permission of the authority of the zone. We seek your cooperation to comply with the instructions of the security officers conducting security checks.

Drivers whose vehicles are selected for checks at CAC Checkpoint Green Channel can help to ease traffic congestion there by parking their vehicles to the front of the checking lane where a traffic cone is placed. Utilising the entire checking lane will help to alleviate the congestion and allow free flowing traffic while the vehicle is being inspected especially during the peak hours from 4pm to 8pm.



Vehicles stopped at traffic cone

Vehicle stopped at front of checking lane

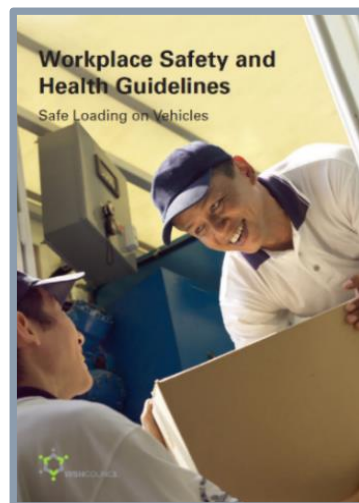
Government News – WSHC

Safe Loading, Safe Journey.

The role of vocational driver goes beyond delivery of goods, their responsibilities include proper loading and unloading of goods as well.

As employers, you can do your part to conduct trainings for your drivers on proper securing methods of goods to prevent any injuries.

To download the newly revised safe loading guidelines, please scan the QR code here.



Government Talent Development Initiative

Professional Conversion Programme (PCP) for Southeast Asia (SEA) Ready Talent for Logistics Sector

Are you searching for the right people to support your company's regional expansion plans and business innovation projects?

Through this programme, your company can gain access to talent trained in specialised logistics segments, including cold chain, pharmaceutical and e-commerce fulfilment.

What is supported?

ELIGIBILITY

Singapore Citizens
(above 40 years old or Unemployed¹)

¹Unemployed: Unemployed for more than 6 months



FUNDING QUANTUM

// 90% of monthly salary, capped at \$6,000 per month

// Up to 90% course fee funding
Trainees sponsored by SMEs that do not meet the age/employment criteria are also eligible

ELIGIBILITY

Singapore Citizens + PRs
(below 40 years old or employed)



FUNDING QUANTUM

// 70% of monthly salary, capped at \$4,000 per month

// Up to 70% course fee funding

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Statistics

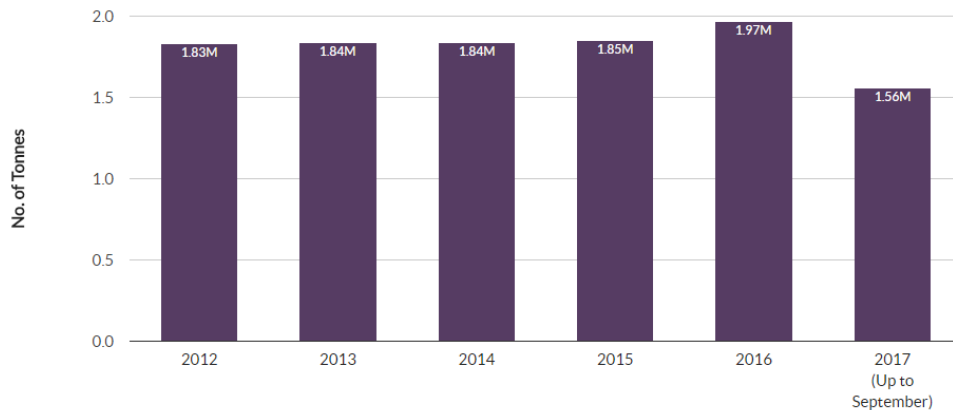
Current Pulse of the Air Freight Industry

Item Description	2016 (Jan - Oct) Total	2017 (Jan - Oct) Total	YTD Variance Amount	YTD Variance %	2016 Monthly Average (Jan-Oct)	2017 Monthly Average (Jan-Oct)	2016 Monthly Average (Nov-Dec)	2016 Total
Export Air Volumes (Loaded)	726,926	795,689	68,763	0.0946	72,693	79,568.90	79,254	885,434
Import Air Volumes (Discharged)	891,979	949,118	57,139	0.0641	89,198	94,911.80	96,010.50	1,084,000

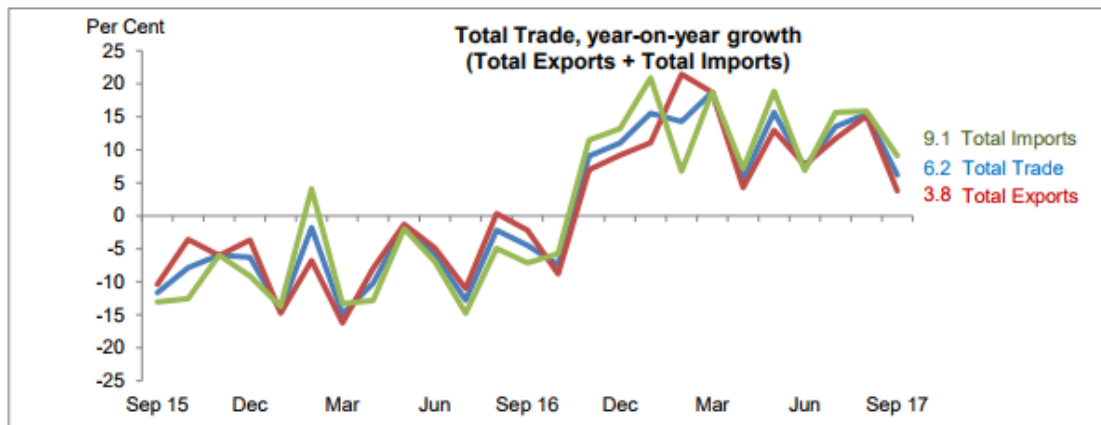
Current Pulse of the Ocean Freight Industry

Item Description	Jan-Oct 2016	Jan-Oct 2017	YTD Variance	YTD Variance (%)	Monthly Average 2016 (Jan - Oct)	Monthly Average 2017 (Jan - Oct)	Monthly Average 2016 (Nov-Dec)	2016
Total Cargo ('000 Tonnes)	490,560	519,682.90	29,122.90	0.06	49,056	51,968.29	51,368.50	593,296.70
Cargo (General) (Thousand Tonnes)	293,541.70	311,794.60	18,252.90	0.06	29,354.17	31,179.46	29,850.90	353,243.50
Cargo (Bulk) (Thousand Tonnes)	197,018.20	207,888.10	10,869.90	0.06	19,701.82	20,788.81	21,517.60	240,053.30
Cargo (Oil-In-Bulk) (Thousand Tonnes)	181,879.50	192,746.50	10,867	0.06	18,187.95	19,274.65	19,767	221,413.50
Cargo (General & Non-Oil In Bulk) (Thousand Tonnes)	308,680.40	326,936.10	18,255.70	0.06	30,868.04	32,693.61	31,601.50	371,883.40
Total Container Throughput ('000 TEUs) (Thousand Twenty-foot Equivalent Units)	25,565.10	27,731.30	2,166.20	0.08	2,556.51	2,773.13	2,669.30	30,903.60
Bunker Sales ('000 Tonnes) (Thousand Tonnes)	40,567.70	42,024.30	1,456.60	0.04	4,056.77	4,202.43	4,023.55	48,614.50

Air Freight Movements at Changi Airport



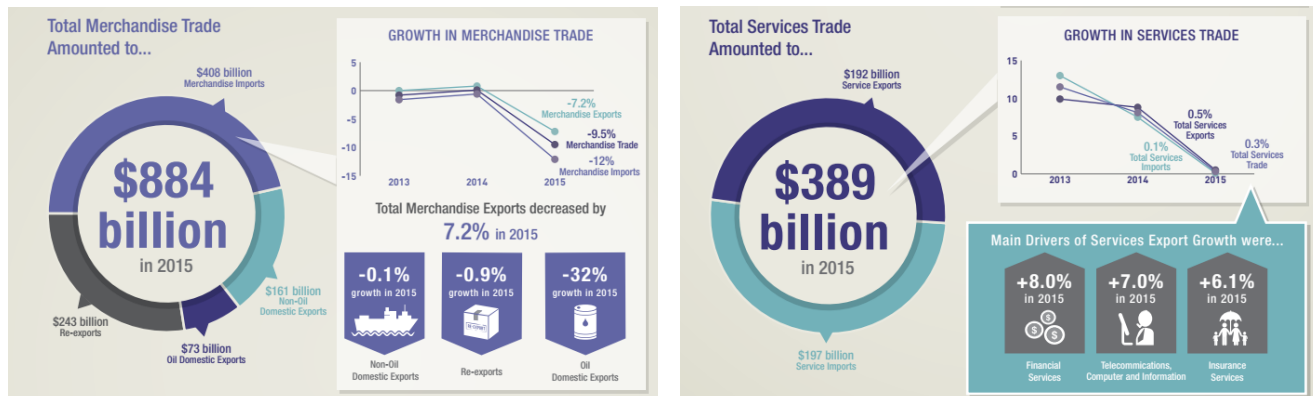
Source: CAG Website



Source: IE Singapore – IE Media Release 17 October '17

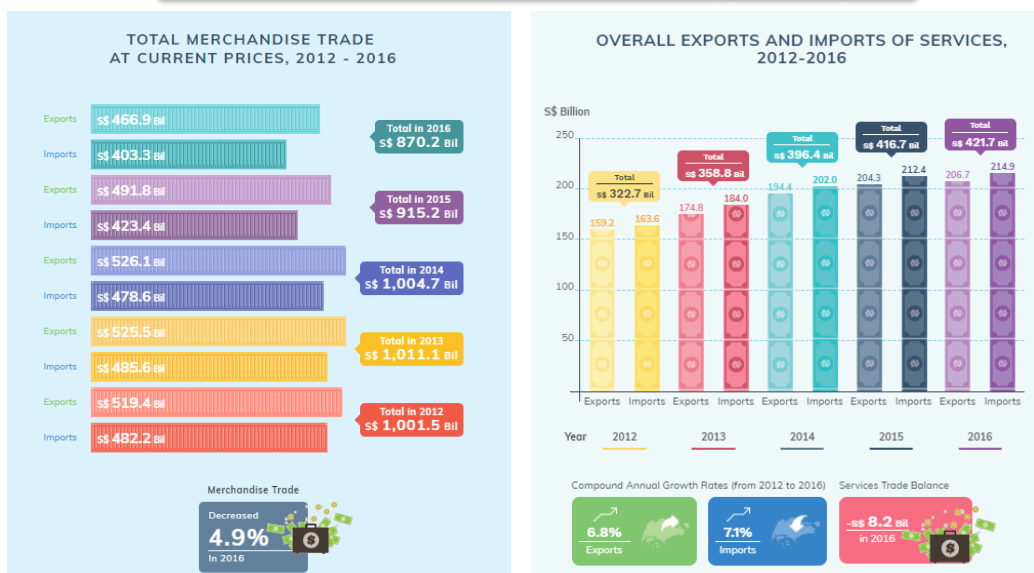
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Economic Perspective 2015



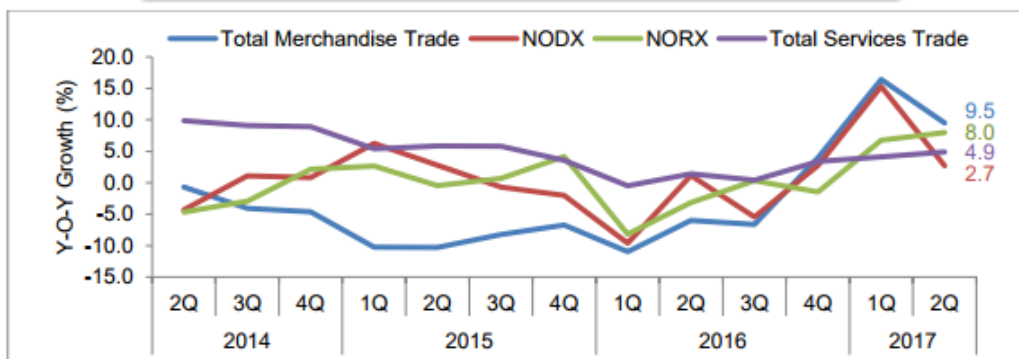
Source: Ministry of Trade and Industry Singapore

Economic Perspective 2016



Source: Statistics Singapore

Economic Perspective 2017

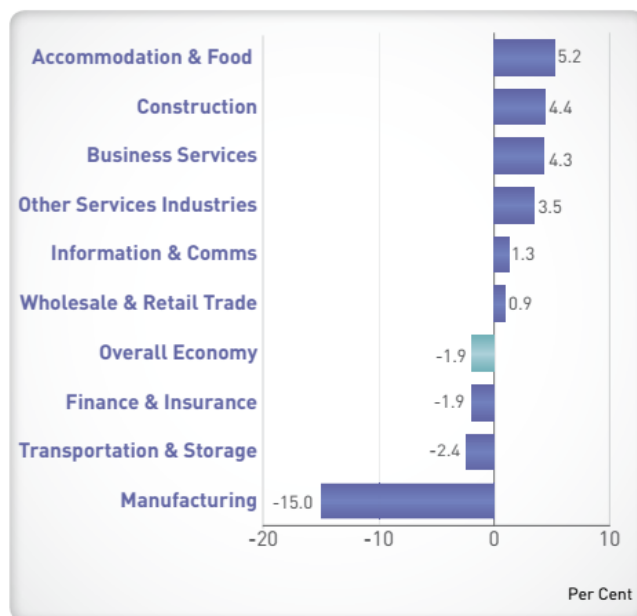


Source: IE Singapore – IE Media Release 17 August '17

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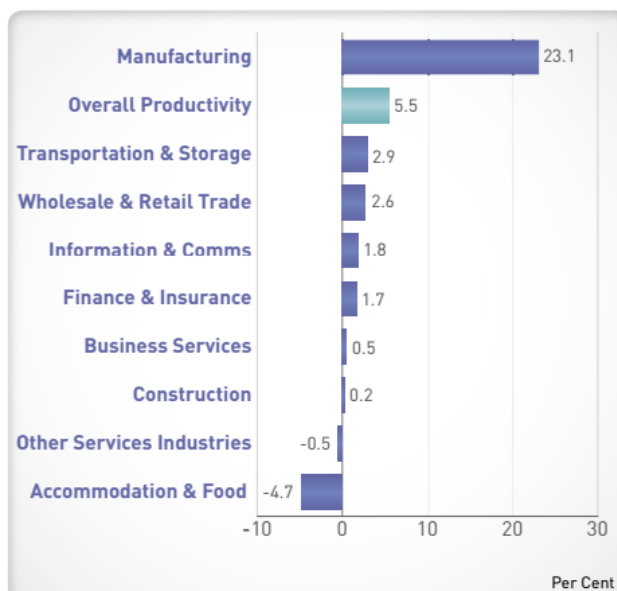
Economical Perspective 2017

Exhibit 1.9: Changes in Unit Labour Cost in 3Q 2017



Source: MTI Economic Survey of Singapore Third Quarter 2017

Exhibit 1.8: Changes in Value-added per Worker for the Overall Economy and Sectors in 3Q 2017



SECTORAL GROWTH RATES

	3Q16	4Q16	2016	1Q17	2Q17	3Q17
Year-on-Year % Change						
Total	1.2	2.9	2.0	2.5	2.9	5.2
Goods Producing Industries	0.9	7.9	2.8	4.9	4.4	12.3
Manufacturing	1.8	11.5	3.6	8.5	8.4	18.4
Construction	-2.2	-2.8	0.2	-6.9	-9.1	-7.6
Services Producing Industries	0.4	1.0	1.0	1.4	2.5	3.0
Wholesale & Retail Trade	0.1	0.4	0.6	0.4	2.1	2.2
Transportation & Storage	0.7	5.4	2.3	4.5	3.4	4.6
Accommodation & Food Services	2.5	-0.2	1.7	-1.6	-2.0	-2.1
Information & Communications	1.3	1.4	2.3	1.8	1.5	4.9
Finance & Insurance	0.1	0.6	0.7	0.7	4.2	5.9
Business Services	-1.8	-1.9	-0.9	1.1	1.3	1.4
Other Services Industries	3.6	3.9	3.1	3.0	3.2	2.0
Annualised Quarter-on-Quarter Growth % (SA)						
Total	-0.4	12.3	2.0	-2.0	2.2	8.8
Goods Producing Industries	-6.6	29.3	2.8	-3.3	1.4	25.3
Manufacturing	-5.0	39.8	3.6	0.3	4.0	34.6
Construction	-12.6	0.8	0.2	-17.3	-6.9	-5.3
Services Producing Industries	1.1	8.4	1.0	-2.6	3.4	3.2
Wholesale & Retail Trade	1.7	2.2	0.6	-2.6	7.2	2.1
Transportation & Storage	-0.6	12.4	2.3	1.0	1.1	4.8
Accommodation & Food Services	5.2	-7.2	1.7	-4.2	-1.1	4.1
Information & Communications	-3.6	0.9	2.3	5.6	2.7	10.9
Finance & Insurance	0.7	36.5	0.7	-18.7	5.5	7.6
Business Services	-1.0	0.3	-0.9	8.7	-2.2	-1.0
Other Services Industries	5.7	1.3	3.1	1.3	4.4	1.1

Source: Statistics Singapore

SAAA@Singapore Grants Seminar 2017

SAAA@Singapore Grants Seminar 2017

SAAA@Singapore Grants Seminar 2017 was held at Village Hotel Changi on 6 October 2017.

The event saw the gathering of over 30 executives attending to listen in on the various grants schemes.

Mr Benjamin Netto, SAAA Council Member, delivered the welcoming address and brought up on the importance of awareness to the potential schemes and programmes which can assist with financial aspects that can influence human resource decision-making.

Mr Louis Wong, Manager, Manufacturing division, Workforce Singapore shared with the audience on adapt and grow initiatives: P-Max, Career Support Programme (CSP) and Reskilling for Jobs – Work Trial.

This was followed by a presentation on Lean Enterprise Development (LED) scheme and SNEF Sapphire Grant Scheme from Mr Mack Moey, Director, Singapore National Employers Federation.

Overall, the event had been well received by the attendees.



(From left): Mr Mack Moey, SNEF receiving token of appreciation from Mr Ken Chua, SAAA Council Member.



SAAA Fun Bowling Tournament 2017

On 26 November 2017, SAAA@Singapore held its annual SAAA Fun Bowling Tournament at the Changi Service Club@Changi.

The morning quickly progressed to afternoons as the 20 teams battled out in strong determination to win this year's championship.

Finally, Logwin Air + Ocean Singapore Pte. Ltd – Logwin 1 emerged as the Bowling Champion, a second time from their past championship achievement in 2015.

Congratulations to Logwin and the other winners!



SAAA Fun Bowling Tournament 2017 Champion: Logwin 1

Name	Game 1	Game 2	Game 3	Team Total
LOGWIN 1				
Dorine Lu	257	144	131	2492
Osman	232	212	226	
Yati	276	253	193	
Tuan Baharudin	156	265	147	
	921	874	697	

Air Cargo Day 2017



AIR CARGO DAY

AIRFREIGHT FRONTIERS: BREAKING BARRIERS; FOSTERING TRADE

Crowne Plaza Changi Airport Hotel
Chengal 2 Ballroom, Level 1
2 November 2017



On 2 November 2017, SAAA@Singapore and International Air Transport Association (IATA) co-organized Air Cargo Day 2017 at Crowne Plaza Changi Airport Hotel and the event was attended by over 200 overseas and local professionals. In a first ever collaboration between both parties, it had brought together the best minds and experts in various fields to be engaged in panel discussions and to share their vast knowledge with the attendees .

The key theme of Air Cargo Day 2017 was 'Airfreight Frontiers: Breaking Barriers; Fostering Trade'. Mr Steven Lee, Chairman of SAAA@Singapore, delivered the welcome address and iterated the importance of renewing contacts and discussing issues of mutual interest with industry associations, government agencies and embassies. He elaborated on the key theme, emphasizing that the strong collaborations from the various partner organizations offers opportunities to explore uncharted territories to foster trade in air and land transportations.

Guest-of-Honour Ms. Sim Ann, Senior Minister of State, Ministry of Culture, Community & Youth & Ministry of Trade and Industry gave a keynote address and highlighted on Air Cargo Day catalyzing partnerships that can shape the future of air freight and logistics sector. She shared with the audience on the partnerships SAAA@Singapore forged with SPRING Singapore and Workforce Singapore (WSG) to roll out various initiatives such as the Air Cargo Terminal Shuttle service (ACTS) and Professional Conversion Programme (PCP). She reveals that even Air Cargo Day – a collaboration between IATA and SAAA@Singapore, is symbolic in showcasing how local trade associations and chambers (TACs) can work in the areas of productivity enhancement, technology and innovation and talent development.

This was followed by presentations on Digital Cargo Transformation and Illegal Wildlife Trade. These included topics such as e-Freight and the role played in stopping illegal wildlife trade through

Air Cargo Day 2017



increasing awareness and strengthening policies and protocols. The morning session focused on panel discussions on Air Cargo Security and Safety. There were exchanges of ideas on the role of Airfreight in Airline Safety and the methods to strengthen Air Cargo security. An interactive discussion ensued as the second panel discussion was about Lithium Batteries and Ban at the expense of trade. Notable discussion topics include the drivers behind Singapore's air cargo security framework, known consignor concept and screening technologies, as well as safety priorities in transporting damaged lithium batteries and safety management systems.

The afternoon session began with presentations from the platinum and gold sponsors: Workforce Singapore and Cargo Community Network respectively. They shared on programmes such as P-Max, Professional Conversion Programmes, Career Support Programme and Reskilling for Jobs – Work Trial, as well as the community platform in the cloud with APOs between stakeholders.

Subsequently, there were presentations on Changi Airport: The global air cargo hub that takes you further, Guaranteeing Market Access – Leveraging on Singapore's Free Trade Agreements Network and Silk Road: China's One-Belt One-Road Program. Notable highlights include Changi being the first airport in Asia Pacific to launch a community for IATA CEIV Pharma certification and IE Singapore's Tariff Finder for tariff and Non-tariff trade measures and business opportunities with new and more efficient trade routes in the Belt and Road initiative.

The final panel discussion involved talks on Breaking Barriers. The key takeaway is that it is paramount to maintain Singapore's competitiveness and Singapore companies must look beyond the cost factors and analyze with a broader view in overcoming challenges and be more innovative and competitive in the market. The forum ended with Mr Vinoop Goel, Regional Director, Asia-Pacific, IATA, delivering the closing remarks.

SAAA@Singapore Industry Updates (Past Events)



Held annually, the International Federation of Forwarders Associations' FIATA World Congress (FWC) was held in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia from 4th to 8th Oct 2017.

The 5 days conference themed, "Logistics Bridging Global Trade", highlighted the importance of logistics as a strong enabler of trade which is highly dependent on intermodal transportation to move freight between land, sea and air. It also reinforced the importance of strategic direction in transforming Logistics into an integrated network, supporting the global trade of international economic operators.

Overall, the event had attracted more than 1,500 participants from 77 countries.

LOGISTICS EDUCATION & CAREER INFORMATION DAY

Temasek Polytechnic (TP) organized the Logistics Education & Career Information Day at TP's campus on 17 November 2017.

The event saw over 200 students gathering to hear on presentations from industry speakers, as well as Logistics and Operations Management (LOM) juniors share on their experience in their overseas study trips and community service.

SAAA@Singapore played a supporting role in this event as Ms Pauline Tok, Executive Director, shared on the career opportunities and prospects in the logistic and aviation industry.

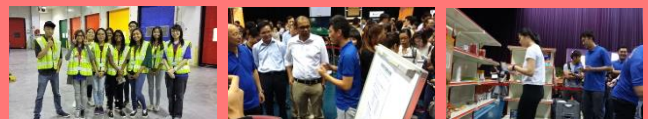
LED Symposium 2017



Singapore National Employers Federation (SNEF), together with the Lean Enterprise Development (LED) Taskforce organized the LED Symposium 2017 at Grand Copthorne Waterfront on 17 November 2017. The symposium was for SMEs to learn from success stories to drive business growth through the adoption of technology and manpower lean initiatives, such as the heavily funded Read-To-Go (RTG) Solutions.

Alliance 21 Pte Ltd, together with SAAA@Singapore, showcased an exhibition booth on Air Cargo Terminal Shuttle (ACTS) in support for this event.

SPRING - Logistics Alliance Students Visit to SATS and dnata



On 18 November 2017, Ngee Ann Polytechnic held a ELP carnival which Dr Janil Puthuchear, Senior Minister of State for Education, and Communications and Information announced enhancements to the SkillsFuture Earn and Learn Programme (ELP) to further support industry needs and increase the work-learn pathways available.

SPRING, working in collaboration with Logistics Alliance, held site visits to SATS and dnata in conjunction with the ELP carnival to showcase on career possibilities in logistics industry. SAAA@Singapore hosted the 30 students who attended the occasion.

SAAA@Singapore Industry Updates (Past Events)

Lianhe Wanbao SME Dialogue

16 November 2017 @ National Design Centre



Lianhe Wanbao SME Dialogue was held on 16 November 2017 at National Design Centre.

The dialogue was focused on topics such as Digitalization and maximization of assets Trade mission to USA and Japan learning on software application, Professional Conversion Program, PMET, E-commerce and Urban Logistics. Mr Lawrence Lim, SAAA Council Member, attended this occasion.

5th Trade Association Congress & official opening of Trade Association Hub

Singapore Chinese Chamber of Commerce & Industry (SCCCI) held the official opening of Trade Association Hub on 22 November 2017 at Jurong Town Hall.

Mr Roland Ng, President, Singapore Chinese Chamber of Commerce & Industry (SCCCI) delivered the opening speech and highlighted the objective of the Trade Association Hub promoting collaboration by bringing the TACs together under one roof. The TA Hub offers shared facilities and services to all TACs in Singapore at affordable rates.

SCCCI, partnered with e2i, had also held a SCCCI Trade Association Career Fair at the Trade Association Hub on 3 November 2017. SAAA@Singapore, together with Yusen Logistics (Singapore) Pte Ltd, shown support through a booth set-up at the career fair.

ICA Year End Appreciation Night



On 25 November 2017, Immigration & Checkpoints Authority (ICA) celebrated their year end appreciation night at Raffles City Convention Centre, Fairmont Ballroom.

This event was held in appreciation of the close partnerships over the past year. Mr Steven Lee, Chairman of SAAA@Singapore, attended this occasion.



2017 marks a doubly special year for Singapore Business Federation (SBF). Besides turning 15, the Federation has relocated to new office premises at SBF Center in the Central Business District, generously gifted by Far East Organization.

In commemoration of these significant milestones, SBF organized an official opening ceremony on 5 September 2017 and a gala dinner on 6 October 2017 at the Ritz Carlton Millennia Singapore.

As SBF celebrated how far it had come and looks towards the future, it will continue to find new ways to help businesses transform, innovate and thrive, so that they can adapt and succeed in the future economy.

SAAA@Singapore Industry Updates (Past Events)

PAYLOAD CONFERENCE ASIA



The 2017 Payload Asia Conference was held on 11th and 12th Oct at Crowne Plaza Hotel, Changi Airport T3. SAAA@Singapore was one of the strategic supporting organization for the event. Key topics included sustaining growth in the air cargo, Drones, the future of Airfreight, Digitization, Cargo handling and DG, Tomorrow Cargo Terminal and Big data analytics. There were very interesting and informative panel discussions on the key topics.

All in all, we would like to take this opportunity to congratulate our member companies for their achievement in clinching the awards:



Combination Carrier of the Year
Singapore Airlines Cargo



Asia Pacific Airport of the Year
Singapore Changi Airport



Ground Handler of the Year
SATS Ltd.



Green Award
DHL Express



Global Express Provider of the Year
DHL Express



Supply Chain Asia Industry Night 2017 was held on 16 November at Mandarin Orchard Hotel, with about 30 awards to be presented.

We would like to take this opportunity to congratulate the following member companies which have clinched an award:

- 1) DB Schenker
- 2) Kuehne + Nagel
- 3) Pan Asia Logistics

Congratulations for the achievement!

PAYLOAD AWARDS ASIA

The Payload Asia Gala Dinner and Awards Ceremony was held in Singapore on October 12th, 2017. Organised by Payload Asia and supported by Logistics Insight Asia, the annual Awards Ceremony was a celebration of excellence, casting the limelight on air cargo supply chain companies that have excelled in the industry, rising above the very challenging global air freight market.

In support of this prestigious occasion, Mr Paul Teo, Deputy Chairman of SAAA@Singapore and Mr Alec Koh, Council Member, were invited to present the awards.

The National Day of the Kingdom of Thailand The Birthday Anniversary of His Majesty the late King Bhumibol Adulyadej



The Royal Thai Embassy (Singapore) celebrated the National Day of the Kingdom of Thailand, The Birthday Anniversary of His Majesty the late King Bhumibol Adulyadej and The Thailand's Father's Day at the Intercontinental Hotel (Singapore) on 4 December 2017.

Mr Steven Lee and Mr Alec Koh represented SAAA@Singapore to attend the celebration.

Members Update

“Sheltered Linkway Construction & Upgrading works at Changi Airfreight Centre Checkpoint & Pass Office”

After a construction period of 6 months, The Changi Airport Group (CAG) Air Cargo Operations (ACO) Office has fully commissioned the sheltered link-way at Changi Airfreight Centre (CAC) Pass Office for the community!

The CAC community making their daily way in and out of Changi Airfreight Centre pass office can now enjoy a more pleasant and comfortable stroll to Cargo Agent Building “E” due to the newly-constructed sheltered link-way connecting the pass office to both bus-stop in the vicinity (Bus-Stop No. 95131 and 95139).

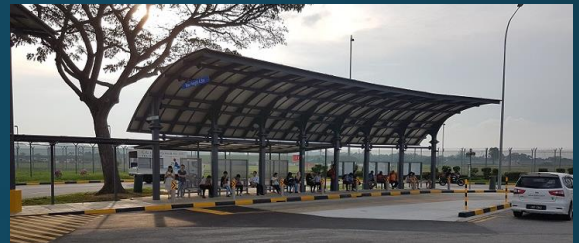
At first glance, it will appear that all visitors and commuters heading to and from Bus-Stop No. 95139 and 95131 at Changi Airfreight Centre will be properly protected by the sheltered link-way, providing shade against the scorching mid-day sun and rain-shelter against inclement weather. But did you also know that other than the sheltered link-way, a series of other improvements were also put in place to support and address the CAC community needs? See the images appended below:



Constructed a brand-new guard-post to facilitate bus security checks.



Installed brand-new bicycle parking zone to facilitate cyclist needs.



Newer, bigger bus-stops providing full shelter to facilitate boarding and alighting from buses for commuters without worry from inclement weather!



Increased turning radius for heavy vehicle for U-turn point at ends of pass office.



The sheltered linkway has helped to provide shelter from the sun and light drizzles for me when walking to-and-fro from the bus stop to my office...while commuters may still get wet from heavy downpour and wind conditions (and causing) the rain to enter the sheltered path at a low angle of incidence, I have been working here for a year now and I could remember clearly the period before the sheltered linkway is constructed. I would say that the sheltered linkway has indeed improved the walk-up experience.



Mr Adrian Neoh, Ocean Manager,
Morrison Express Logistic Pte Ltd

The Changi Airport Group Air Cargo Office would like to take opportunity to thank the relevant project engineering department for handling this project and the community for putting up with the inconvenience while construction were ongoing. Stay tuned for more developments in the area!

Contributed by CAG Air Cargo Office

Upcoming Industry Events & Training Schedule



Date	Industry Event
January 10 – 12	Indonesia Transport, Supply Chain and Logistics (ITSCL)
January 23 – 24	Asia Infrastructure 2018
January 31	Inside 3D Printing Singapore 2018
February 5 – 8	IEEE 4th World Forum on The Internet of Things
February 6 – 11	Singapore Airshow 2018
February 27 – 28	Aviation Festival Asia 2018
February 28 – March 2	Phar-East 2018
March 7 – 8	Big Data & Analytics Innovation Summit
March 15 – 16	Last Mile Fulfilment Asia 2018
March 21 – 22	IoT Asia 2018
March 21 – 23	Intermodal Asia 2017

*Information are deemed accurate at time of print and may still subject to changes .

SAAA Training Programs Schedule for 2018

Training	January	February	March
DG Regulations Initial Course	15 th – 19 th	5 th – 9 th	5 th – 9 th
DG Refresher Course	23 rd – 24 th	12 th – 13 th	12 th – 13 th
Cargo Introductory Course	8 th – 12 th		

FOR MORE INFORMATION ON TRAINING MATTERS

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SAAA Upcoming Events



1



SAAA Members do join us for our Annual General Meeting on 8 February 2018!

2



Chinese New Year Celebrations, enjoy it with SAAA@Singapore!

SAAA@Singapore Announcements

AGM Reminder Notice

Dear Members,

We will be holding our Annual General Meeting (AGM) on 8 February 2018. As such, we have couriered the packages consisting of the AGM books, red packets and calendars to the company representatives in the month of December.

Please keep a lookout for the attached nomination and proxy forms in an AGM notice email in January 2018. Please assist to complete and submit the soft copy of the forms to saaasin@saaa.org.sg. Thank you.

Membership Database Update



This year, SAAA@Singapore had recently undergone a membership database update.

We understand that our esteemed member companies might have changes in personals and representatives over time, hence, we have decided to leave our membership database google form open for further entries.

To access, please type this link:

<https://goo.gl/forms/VgorUR2Cre4izNrd2>

Alternatively, kindly email saaasin@saaa.org.sg and we can pass you the link. Thank you.

1-Day On-Site Dangerous Goods Awareness Course



For more information, please contact Ms Peggy Lim at 65455006 or email to admin@saaa.org.sg.

Marine Liability Insurance



We encourage YOU to participate in the current “Spot the Difference” game on the next page!



SAAA@Singapore 'Spot the Difference' Game

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Christmas Greetings

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