Lausanne, Switzerland, 18 April 2019 – The FAI is proud to announce the publication of the FAI Annual Report 2018, which is packed full of information about the Federation’s activities last year.

The year 2018 was a busy one for the FAI, with hundreds of exciting competitions and numerous record attempts in a range of different FAI disciplines.

Our 2018 report contains details of these events, as well as the many other incredible achievements made by air sports athletes from around the world over the course of the year.

### About the Annual report 2018

Competitions highlighted in the latest edition of the FAI Annual Report include the first ever FAI World Drone Racing Championships held in Shenzhen, China, the 3rd FAI World Cup of Indoor Skydiving, which took place in Bahrain, and the historic Coupe Aéronautique Gordon Bennett gas balloon race.

The report also contains sections on how air sports are evolving, as well as details of internal FAI business, including commercial partnerships and the Federation’s new “One FAI” strategy, designed to strengthen the ties between FAI and its Members, partners, and stakeholders.

### Notes for editors

FAI Annual Report: [www.fai.org/annualreport](http://www.fai.org/annualreport)


### About FAI

FAI, the World Air Sports Federation is the world governing body for air sports and for certifying world aviation and space records. The FAI was founded in 1905 and is a non-governmental and non-profit-making organisation recognised by the International Olympic Committee (IOC).

FAI activities include Aerobatics, Aeromodelling, Airships, Amateur-Built and Experimental Aircraft, Balloons, Drones, Gliding, Hang Gliding, Helicopters, Manpowered Flying, Microlights, Parachuting, Paragliding, Paramotors, Power Flying and all other Aeronautic activities and Space records.

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