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In order to achieve a collaborative platform of African competences in the field of air and space law, she founded the African Association of Air and Space Law (AADAS). AADAS brings together aviation and space professionals, students and enthusiasts in Africa for the promotion of air and space law in Africa in order to capture the sky through law.

As such, it has carried out numerous works on African air and space law, notably on the contribution of African laws in the construction of safety in air transport, the scope of the Artemis agreements and the African States parties to the treaty, the law of mass air accidents in Central Africa, the rights of air passengers in Africa, the restrictions on overflight of airspace in Africa (the case of Mali following the ECOWAS blockade), the suspension of the authorisation to operate in air transport following positive tests for covid-19... .

Beyond theory, Dr. Arlette Tanga is a partner at the international law firm Tanga & Co based in Yaoundé and Paris. Within this framework, she mainly deals with passenger disputes in Africa (air accidents, delays and cancellations, denied boarding, loss and delay of luggage,) and air transport of goods. In addition, it offers legal support to start-ups in Africa in the realisation of their space activity and foreign investments in Africa.

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