



## Ramco Systems, Air France-KLM set up MRO Lab in S'pore

Singapore

AIR France Industries KLM Engineering & Maintenance has signed a partnership with India-based Ramco Systems, which specialises in business software systems, to set up a joint innovation centre in Singapore.

A team of about 10 people will design and develop innovative solutions for strategic areas in the aircraft maintenance industry, benefiting AFI KLM E&M customers worldwide, they said in a joint statement.

The MRO Lab Singapore - MRO is maintenance, repair and overhaul - aims to encourage the rapid emergence and diffusion of innovative, high-value-added MRO solutions in the heart of a fast-growing MRO market.

James Kornberg, director for engineering & maintenance innovation at AIR FRANCE KLM, said: "The team working at The MRO Lab Singapore will be able to benefit from the respective expertise of our two groups in support of their work. This will focus on priority topics identified by their strategic character, from wearable technology to optimisation and big data-linked applications, improving customer relations and streamlining and monitoring of maintenance data, and so on."

Virender Aggarwal, chief executive of Ramco Systems, said: "By integrating the deep expertise built in addressing the aviation industry with future-ready technologies, we strive to help clients' build on technology to solve business problems.

"The MRO Lab is strategically located in Singapore to leverage on the aviation industry presence and tap into the best of the multi-cultural, multi-lingual and multi-national talent pool that the country has to offer."