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FAA Commercial | Instrument | ASEL | AMEL
High-Performance & Complex Endorsements
First Class Medical | Valid US Passport
FCC Restricted Radiotelephone Operator Permit

FLIGHT TIME—Exceeds FAR Part 135 VFR PIC Minimums:

TOTAL TIME: 711 | **PIC:** 661 | **MULTI-ENGINE:** 50 | **INSTRUMENT (ACTUAL):** 31

INSTRUMENT (SIMULATED): 88 | **CROSS COUNTRY:** 489 | **NIGHT:** 113

AIRCRAFT FLOWN: Cessna 172, Cessna 182, Diamond DA40, Piper Cherokee, Piper Apache, Piper Seneca II

PROFILE:

Former Air Force Instructor/Evaluator Navigator seeking professional flying opportunities. Demonstrates strong judgment and organizational leadership skills, with a commitment to mentorship and community outreach. Experienced in international flying and dedicated to fostering camaraderie and confidence in the next generation of pilots. Highly invested in operational, fiscal, and safety discipline, bringing a focused and professional approach to every task.

EDUCATION:

Touro University International
Master of Business Administration

2002

United States Air Force Academy
Bachelor of Science in Aeronautical Engineering

1995

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY:

Senior Aerospace Science Instructor

Air Force Junior ROTC

07/2015 - present

- Design and deliver engaging lessons for 140-225 cadets annually, teaching all levels of high school. Utilize instructional materials and technology to teach topics such as aviation history, the science of flight, survival and leadership. Serve as a mentor to students, providing guidance and support while fostering an environment of respect, discipline and academic development. Lead a team of three instructors and coordinate all school, district and federal programs, policies and budgets. Maintain accurate records of attendance and achievements.

- Earned “Distinguished Unit with Merit” both times eligible—top 20% of 800+ AFJROTC units worldwide.

- AFJROTC “Outstanding Instructor” (top 15% of 1,600+) and school district’s “Educator Achieving Excellence.”

Assistant Professor, Instructor/Evaluator

United States Air Force

06/1995 - 07/2015

- Career spanning over two decades, holding positions as Operations Director, Flying Instructor and Evaluator Navigator in C-130E/H and C-141B, including Combat Tactics and Night Vision Goggles. Developed, prepared and delivered graduate-level instruction in military strategy, aerospace operations and leadership. Provided academic and career guidance to students, fostering professional development and leadership skills. Managed day-to-day operations of air mobility operations.

- Ranked #1 of 6 Operations Directors across Europe/Middle East; top 10% of 120 flying instructors, Navigator of Year x2.

- Ranked top 5% of 465 instructors as Assistant Professor at graduate-level joint military education assignment.

- Led 103-day streak of 100% combat mission effectiveness. Flew 3,000+ hours including 600+ combat as navigator.

ADDITIONAL:

- Member: NBAA, FAPA, RTAG, American Legion; Lifetime: EAA, AOPA, Academy of Model Aeronautics, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Air/Space Force Assoc, Airlift/Tanker Assoc, USAFA Assoc of Graduates, Military Officers Assoc of America

- Lean Six Sigma Green Belt Certified; USAF Advanced Instrument School Graduate

- Executive Director of the Southwestern Center for Herpetological Research 501(c)(3) Nonprofit Organization

- Young Eagles Pilot - Experimental Aircraft Association - 123 youth flown to date

- SKIES Aviation Camp Instructor; Boy Scouts of America Senior Mentor for Eagle Scouts; Blood Donor (4+ gallons)

- Scuba Divemaster - Professional Association of Diving Instructors; Church Deacon/Piano Player/Youth Group Leader