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Qualifications and Experience

Certificates and Flight Time

- FAA Airline Transport Pilot, CFI, MEI
- Total flight time: ~13,500
- Type Ratings: CL-65 (CRJ), Boeing 757/767, Airbus A320

Employment History

- United Airlines, Chicago, IL – January 2015 to Present
 - Captain, Airbus A320 (August 2021-Present)
 - First Officer, Airbus A320 (November 2018-August 2021)
 - First Officer, Boeing 757/767 (January 2015-October 2018)
 - ExpressJet Airlines/Atlantic Southeast Airlines, Atlanta, GA – April 2007 to January 2015
 - First Officer, CRJ 200, 700/900
 - Delta Air Lines, Atlanta, GA – February 2004 to January 2012
 - Project Pilot, Flight Operations
 - ⇒ Managed award-winning in-service evaluations of enhanced turbulence detection and automatic reporting technologies developed by NASA, Rockwell Collins, the FAA, and the National Center for Atmospheric Research (NCAR)
 - ⇒ Helped formulate a vision for how turbulence data might be used for gains in aviation safety and operational efficiency
 - ⇒ Built a coalition of advocacy for program through presentations to industry and government stakeholders
 - Consultant, Delta Technical Operations – June 2005 to August 2005
 - ⇒ Developed solutions to boost the reliability of air conditioning systems on the MD88/90 fleet
 - Solutions yielded an 86% improvement in system reliability in line operations
 - Consultant, Delta Business Development – May 2005
 - ⇒ Built a business plan for a proposed ab initio, Delta branded flight academy in China
 - Massachusetts Senate, September 2000-February 2003
 - Legislative Aide
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Education

- College of the Holy Cross, Worcester, MA – September 1996-May 2000
 - Bachelor of Arts, *Cum Laude*, History
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Service

- Air Line Pilots Association (ALPA) Air Traffic Services Group – January 2025 to Present
 - Aviation Weather representative
- ALPA United MEC – January 2020 to December 2025
 - New Hire Pilot Mentor