# **ANTHONY D'ASTA**

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CERTIFICATES AND RATINGS:	FLIGHT EXPERIENCE:	
Airline Transport Pilot: AMEL	Total	6090
Type Ratings: GV, G1159, HS125, CE-680, CE-525, B737	Pilot in Command	4036
FAA First Class Medical Certificate	Multi Engine	3998
FCC Restricted Radiotelephone Operator Permit	Turbine	3916
US Passport, Valid	Turbine PIC	1936

### **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:**

First Officer. United Airlines

Oct. '21 – May. '22

· Support the Captain for the safety and security of the aircraft, passengers and cargo as second-in-command.

### First Officer, ExpressJet Airlines

Jan. '20 - Oct. '20

· Support the Captain for the safety and security of the aircraft, passengers and cargo as second-in-command.

### Captain, Southwestern Energy Company

Feb. '17 - Jan. '20

- · Collaborated with the Safety Officer and Senior Aircraft Maintenance Engineer to audit and evaluate safety related operations.
- · Contributed to the success of the department seeking IS-BAO Stage III certification by actioning auditor recommendations.
- · Supported the CEO, CFO, COO and management personnel with professional, safe, efficient domestic transport.

#### Line Captain, EagleMed, LLC

May '16 – Feb. '17

- · Communicated and educated all facets of medevac air operations to medical staff focusing on mission safety and performance.
- Designed and engineered computerized documentation used to track duty times for our Part 135 certificate.
- · Identified deficiencies in the flight planning software. Instituted corrective actions in programming.

Contract Pilot

Oct. '14 - Jan. '20

Augmented flight crew providing safe, professional and motivated customer support in the Citations CJ3 and Sovereign.

### Captain / International Coordinator, ExcelAire Inc. - Computer Associates, Inc.

Jan. '05 – Sep. '14

- Managed and engaged in professional flight operations to 42 countries on six continents as PIC on the Gulfstream 450.
- · Established and directed the International Coordinator position to manage all international movements in house.
- · Coached two Travel Analysts (dispatch) on how to manage international travel and develop skills to enhance their capabilities.
- · Administered and developed the department's European Union Emission Trading Scheme compliance plan and execution.
- Recognized by the CEO and Director of Aviation for reducing logistical errors to near zero and reducing international costs 37%.

## Senior Trip Support Services Specialist, Universal Weather and Aviation

Feb. '97 - Dec.'04

- · Worldwide flight support to corporate, government and private aircraft owners and operators. Responsible for the timely coordination of flight planning services, weather services, ground services, governmental clearances and support services worldwide.
- Appointed liaison to the aviation departments of: Walmart, HP, Waste Management, Computer Associates and other Fortune 50.
- · Lecturer by request to the National Business Aircraft Association (NBAA) International Operators Conference.

### EDUCATION:

Bachelor of Science in Aeronautical Science/ Professional Pilot, Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University, 1994

### **ACHIEVEMENTS:**

President: Windsurfing / Sailing Club: Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University - 1990-1991

Chief Justice, Student Court (Elected) – Associate Justice, Student Court: Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University – 1992-1993

Dean's List: Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University - 1992

Promoted to Senior Trip Support Services Specialist: Universal Weather and Aviation – 2003

President's Award Nomination: Southwestern Energy Company - 2017

#### **COMMUNITY SERVICE:**

Experimental Aircraft Association - Member 1986-Present - Volunteer - 2019

Houston Food Bank - Volunteer

Habitat for Humanity - Volunteer, Northwest Harris County TX / Suffolk County NY

Helping Hands – Faithbridge Church, Spring, TX – 2015-Present

Golden Beginnings Golden Retriever Rescue – Foster Family – 2015-Present

Abandoned Animal Rescue - Volunteer / Contributor - 2015-Present