HOWARD LINDQVIST

CHIEF FLIGHT INSTRUCTOR

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SUMMARY

Chief Flight Instructor with 12 years of flight training experience and 7,800 hours total time, 5,500 of them as a CFI. Leads a Part 141 school's training course outlines, stage checks and a 30-instructor team under FAA approval. Holds CFI, CFII and MEI ratings, an ATP certificate and a current FAA First Class Medical.

SKILLS

- Part 141
- Training Course Outlines
- Stage Checks
- Instructor Standardization
- Curriculum Development
- Training Records
- FAA Regulations
- Safety Management System
- Multi-Engine Instruction
- Leadership

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science
05/2014
LeTourneau University
Longview, TX
Aeronautical Science, Professional Pilot

CERTIFICATES

FAA Certified Flight Instructor (CFI, CFII, MEI)
05/2014
Federal Aviation Administration

FAA Airline Transport Pilot (ATP) Certificate
08/2017
Federal Aviation Administration

FAA First Class Medical Certificate
03/2026
Federal Aviation Administration

EXPERIENCE

Chief Flight Instructor 02/2021 - Present
Lone Star Aviation Academy Denton, TX
Part 141 and Part 61 school with 42 aircraft and about 400 students.

- Lead **30** flight instructors and 4 assistant chiefs, with instructor standardization flights every 90 days.
- Maintain Part 141 training course outlines and FAA approval, adding a commercial multi-engine course in 2024.
- Raised first-time checkride pass rates from 78% to 91% through stage checks and instructor debriefs.
- Review training records for 400 students each quarter, with zero findings in 2 FAA inspections.

Assistant Chief Flight Instructor 05/2017 - 01/2021
North Texas Flight Training Center Fort Worth, TX
Part 141 school with 25 aircraft and 18 instructors.

- Conducted **600+** stage checks and end-of-course tests for private, instrument and commercial courses.
- Rebuilt the instrument curriculum development process around simulator blocks, cutting course time by 8 hours.
- Scheduled 18 CFIs and 25 aircraft each week, raising fleet use from 62% to 78%.
- Coached new instructors on multi-engine instruction and engine-out procedures in the Piper Seminole.

Flight Instructor 06/2014 - 04/2017
Cross Timbers Aviation Denton, TX
Part 61 school with 9 aircraft.

- Logged **2,400** hours of dual instruction in the Cessna 172 and Piper Seminole.
- Recommended 58 students for checkrides with a 90% first-time pass rate.
- Taught FAA regulations and airspace ground lessons for the Dallas-Fort Worth Class B area.