Critique Analysis

Nowadays every few weeks technology improves every aspect of human lives and things that were common just a little time ago get outdated faster than ever, for example, aviation is one of these things, which has almost automatized everything and only left the most crucial maneuvers to humans. In the short draft made by Juan Lorthiois, he situated us in a hypothetical situation where

a fascinating plot, aviation, and technology improvements converge to create a future scenario.

As the plot develops, we are introduced to the character of Hugo Junkers, an engineer working for Airbus, who is helping to develop a new project that will allow planes to fly without human intervention. The author does a great job of making us feel like we are right there with Hugo, experiencing everything he does, from the takeoff to the landing. One of the things that makes this text so captivating is the way it makes us feel like we are part of the story, for example, when Hugo is thinking about the other passengers on the plane and how they have no idea what is about to happen, we as readers are also in the dark and can only speculate about what is going to happen next.

The author also does a great job of giving us history and technical details about aviation, without making it feel like we are being lectured. For example, the part where Hugo Junkers is thinking about the evolution of aviation and how the A320 is the culmination of all the knowledge that has been acquired over nearly 70 years. This is not only fascinating for aviation enthusiasts but also for anyone interested in technology and its evolution. Another example is when the author describes the landing process in detail, from the deployment of the flaps to the retracted position of the spoilers. This not only shows us the author's great knowledge of aviation but also makes us feel like we are right there in the cockpit with Hugo, experiencing the landing from a first-person perspective.

The author also explains technology improvements in a way that is easy to understand for anyone, even if they are not familiar with aviation. For example, the part where it is explained how the new generation of planes is fly-by-wire and how this eliminates the need for direct cables running from the flight deck to the control surfaces. This is not only fascinating but also helps us to understand how the new generation of planes is different from the old ones. Mainly, the author suggests artificial intelligence as the next step for aviation, which would supposedly help to avoid accidents by reducing human error.

In conclusion, the author offers a captivating and well-written story that not only gives us a glimpse into the future of aviation but also provides us with history and technical details about the evolution of this fascinating industry.