

Yehuda Lelah

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SUMMARY

Instrument-rated commercial pilot with multi-engine experience and a proven record of safe, compliant, and professional flight operations. Brings strong IFR proficiency, sound aeronautical decision-making, and experience instructing in real-world operational environments. Dedicated to precision flying, operational reliability, and continuous improvement—ready to contribute to demanding Part 135 or 121 missions with a safety-first mindset and strong crew coordination skills.

CERTIFICATION & FLIGHT EXPERIENCE

Certifications

Certified Flight Instructor – AME	<i>Dec 2024</i>
Certified Flight Instructor – Instrument	<i>Aug 2024</i>
Remote Pilot- Small UAS	<i>Jul 2024</i>
Certified Flight Instructor – ASE	<i>Jun 2024</i>
Commercial Pilot – ASE AME	<i>Apr 2024</i>
Instrument Ground Instructor	<i>Apr 2024</i>
Instrument Rating	<i>Jan 2024</i>
Private Pilot – ASEL	<i>Sept 2023</i>
Radio License	<i>June 2025</i>
Complex Endorsement	<i>Jul 2024</i>
High Performance Endorsement	<i>May 2025</i>
Tailwheel Endorsement	<i>Oct 2025</i>

Flight Experience

Total Time.....	1501.7
PIC.....	1295.3
XC.....	536.8
Point-to-Point XC.....	403.5
Instrument.....	100.7
Actual.....	61.3
Night.....	125.8
Night XC.....	120.1
Multi-Engine.....	88.4

SKILLS

Garmin electronic flight instrument systems, GPS systems, and autopilot systems: G1000, G1000 NXi, G500, G5, G175, G275 GI, G3X, GTN 650Xi, GFC 700

Team leadership and customer service: Conflict resolution, client relations, clear communication

WORK EXPERIENCE

Test Pilot & Aircraft Delivery

Test Pilot

Mobile, AL + Nationwide
Oct 2025 – Present

- Collaborate with engineering and manufacturing teams on test procedures and pilot reports.

CFI | CFII | MEI — Independent

Certified Flight Instructor

Mobile, AL
Oct 2025 – Present

- Provide personalized flight and ground instruction to private clients in Part 61 environments.

Aviation Academy of Louisiana

Certified Flight Instructor

New Iberia & Abbeville, LA
Aug 2024 – Oct 2025

- Provided over 700 hours of dual flight instruction to students, with multiple successfully passing their checkrides on the first attempt.

United States Air Force

F-16 Crew Chief

Sheppard AFB, Wichita Falls Tx
Oct 2019 - Nov 2021

- Trained in aircraft systems and inspections; maintained precision under pressure; strengthened teamwork and troubleshooting.