THE UNIVERSITY OF DUBUQUE (UD) ELEVATES ITS CREW RESOURCE MANAGEMENT TRAINING WITH THE AIRLINER

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During EAA AirVenture Oshkosh in the USA the University of Dubuque in Dubuque, Iowa, has selected the Airliner simulator, a training device designed to teach both A320 and B737 operational philosophies within a single platform. To complement the Airliner, the University has also selected a new ALSIM solution: the Airliner Touch, further enhancing its airline training capabilities.

The Airliner is a hybrid simulator that combines fly-by-wire and conventional flight controls, offering the ideal platform for Crew Resource Management, APS MCC, and MPL Phase II training. The simulator is built to develop essential competencies such as crew coordination, leadership, decision-making, and threat and error management. Its generic airliner design provides greater flexibility and broader skill transfer, ensuring trainees are fully prepared for airline operations and able to transition smoothly into any type rating, regardless of aircraft type.

UD has also chosen the Airliner Touch, an ALSIM Flat Panel Trainer. Complementary to the

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Airliner simulator, the Airliner Touch enables students to build confidence in aircraft systems and operational procedures before progressing to the Airliner simulator for more advanced and immersive training scenarios. By covering procedures and systems training, the Airliner Touch frees valuable Airliner simulator time for CRM and multi-crew exercises.

Tony Foster, Ph.D., Head of Academics-Aviation Department at UD commented: "Graduates of our Flight Operations program consistently cite their exposure to advanced jet systems and crew resource management as some of the most valuable aspects of their time at UD, beyond primary flight training. Acquiring these two devices will allow us to expand this type of training while increasing fidelity through more modern equipment."

Souleymane Sarré, Sales Manager at ALSIM, stated: "We are proud to further strengthen our partnership with the University of Dubuque's Department of Aviation, through the addition of an ALSIM Airliner simulator and the Airliner Touch. Building on the success of the AL250 already in service, these new training devices will enhance the university's ability to deliver comprehensive, industry-relevant pilot training across multiple phases of airline preparation. We sincerely thank the University of Dubuque for their continued confidence in ALSIM solutions and their ongoing commitment to providing students with the highest standards of aviation education."

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