

Title: Understanding IFR Holding

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### Description

While holding patterns are a daily occurrence in flight training and a fact of life for professional pilots, they are often complicated and confusing. This seminar reviews the basics of holding, then moves to topics such as glass cockpits, high wind situations and dealing with disorientation. Areas of discussion will include, common mistakes, myths about holding and methods to simplify holding.

### Speaker Biography

Chris began his involvement with aviation during high school, obtaining a commercial pilot certificate at age 18. In college he studied Aeronautical Science at Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University, while working as a flight instructor. After college he worked for a large Regional Airline, flying turbo-props in the Caribbean and jet aircraft from Chicago, New York and Miami. His flying experience includes 5500 hours in airplanes and over 1300 hours as an instructor, teaching in a wide range of general aviation aircraft.