





TUTIMA ACADEMY OF AVIATION SAFETY

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Since 2006, the Tutima Academy of Aviation Safety, in collaboration with aviator and instructor Sean Tucker, has operated as one of the world's pre-eminent aerobatic flight schools. Over the course of this tenure the academy has worked with pilots from more than 17 countries, even becoming the official training center for the aviation unit of the California Highway Patrol.

The Tutima Academy of Aviation Safety hosts pilots of all levels, from beginner to professional, for courses on a variety of subjects, including stall / spin recognition and recovery training, aerobatic proficiency training, and a low-level aerobatic mentorship program.

Sean D. Tucker has flown over 20,000 hours in his 30-plus years, winning dozens of aerobatic championships and awards. He has performed more than 1,000 times at hundreds of air shows, before more than 80 million fans.

What better watch to wear when piloting an aerobatic plane decked out in Tutima livery than the Grand Flieger Chronograph, a vintage-inspired aviator's watch that includes Tutima's iconic bi-directionally rotating coin-edge bezel with red reference marker. Water resistant to 200 meters, the Grand Flieger Chronograph comes in a robust, 43 mm stainless steel case that houses a robust Cal. TUT 320 chronograph movement.

