

A FILIPINO IMMIGRANT TOPS AVIATION COURSE OF THE PACIFIC PROFESSIONAL FLIGHT CENTRE



Consul Arlene T. Magno (center) poses with Mr. Poul Go, a Filipino aviation student at the Pacific Professional Flight Centre (PPFC), and his mother, Mrs. Catherine Go, at the official opening of B.C.'s first Cirrus Training Center in Delta, B.C., where his achievements as a top-notch student were recognized.

Vancouver, 26 June 2018 – A Filipino immigrant in Canada, Mr. Poul Go, topped the current batch of pilot students from the Pacific Professional Flight Centre (PPFC), a flight training school that has been operational since 1986 and has reportedly gained a world-wide international reputation for training top quality airline pilots. It is accredited by the British Columbia Private Training Institutions Branch of the Department of Education, Ministry of Immigration and Transport Canada as a Certified Flight Training Unit.

A graduate of UST in the Philippines, Poul took up an aircraft maintenance engineering diploma program at the British Columbia Institute of Technology before enrolling as an aviation student at the Flight Centre, where hard work, perseverance and determination served as his guiding ethics. He dreams of flying for the Philippine Airlines one day. An active vlogger, Poul's video entries share his passion to and help educate his viewers about airplanes and flying.

Poul Go was given recognition at an event held on 23 June 2018 at the Boundary Bay Airport in Delta, B.C., that also marked the opening of B.C.'s first Cirrus Training Centre under the aegis of the PFFC.



Mr. Poul Go says that hard work, perseverance and determination helped him get through his aviation studies at remarks delivered after being recognized for his outstanding academic contribution.

Consul Arlene Magno represented the Consulate General of Vancouver at the event and was joined by the Consuls General from Barbados, Pakistan, Romania and Ukraine in congratulating the PFFC and Poul Go, in particular. In her remarks, Consul Magno cited the Philippines' pride at having produced some of the world's best pilots, with their smooth takes offs and landings and their innate ability to integrate well with their foreign crew as among their many admirable traits.

Cirrus Aircraft is an aircraft manufacturer located in Duluth, Minnesota, U.S., owned by China Aviation Industry General Aircraft, which, in turn, belongs to the state-owned Aviation Industry Corporation of China. In partnering with the PFFC, student pilots will now be able to train with the technologically advanced Cirrus SR-series aircraft that boasts an impressive list of features and capabilities found on today's most advanced airlines, making the SR series the ideal training platform for aspiring commercial airline pilots.



Consul Arlene T. Magno adds her dedication message on behalf of the Philippine Consulate General in Vancouver for the official opening of B.C.'s first Cirrus Training Center.