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## Professional Background

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### CAREER / PROFESSIONAL OBJECTIVE

I am a Nationally Registered Critical Care Flight Paramedic with over 15 years of experience ensuring high standards of culturally competent care for a wide variety of patients with diverse needs. My goal is to obtain a management position with a well-established and growth oriented flight program. The ideal organization will enable me to utilize and enhance my education, experience, and leadership abilities while providing opportunities advancement and career development.

## Professional Experience

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**Chief Flight Paramedic**, July 2018 – Present    **Critical Care Flight Paramedic**, January 2015 – July 2018  
**REVA Air Ambulance, Inc.** – Fort Lauderdale, FL

- Provide critical care air medical services for international medical flights and repatriation in the U.S., Caribbean, Canada and Europe. Directly supervise and lead our team of 42 Critical Care Paramedics and Respiratory Therapists by providing clinical support and operational oversight. Assist with training, education and orienting new medical staff. Act as on call Resource Manager for flight operations support and clinical guidance and consulting. Work collaboratively with the Chief Flight Nurse, senior management and other base managers. Manage departmental budget for all medical supplies, equipment, training and education.

**Principle Owner / Operator**, January 2016 – Present  
**SGP EMS Consulting, LLC** – Fort Lauderdale, Florida

- Provide emergency preparedness coaching and training as requested by clients. Prepare and successfully implement emergency medical response, life safety systems and emergency evacuation plans specifically designed for client's needs based on population and geography. Conduct initial and refresher AHA BLS and First Aid certification courses as well as other training topics based on client request.

**Critical Care Paramedic**, May 2014 – December 2015  
**Miami Children's Hospital Life Flight Team** – Miami, FL

- As part of the transport team, provide pediatric and neonatal advanced life support / critical care ground and air medical treatment and transport. Crossed trained in Communications Center functions. Participate in protocol committee and quality management peer review. Assist as with CAMTS reaccreditation process.

**Medical Officer / Paramedic**, November 2012 to March 2014  
**Princess Cruises, LLC** – Valencia, California

- As a member of a 7 person medical team, we provided advanced level emergency medical care to ill and injured passengers and crew members. Respond to 911 requests for service and care for patients throughout the continuum of their care. Coordinate with ships senior management and appropriate shore side officials in emergency patient evacuations. Participate as a member of the medical team in the hospital/clinic environment. Deliver and adhere to US Coast Guard and US public health practices and requirements. Knowledge of international maritime law and proficiency in European formulary and medical practices. Effectively work within the medical team to provide safe high-quality, evidence-based medicine and promote the highest standards of public health.

**Critical Care Flight Paramedic**, August 2009 to September 2013  
**Mercy Flight Central, Inc.** – Canandaigua, New York

- Utilizing pre-hospital critical care experience, perform duties of an air medical provider pursuant to the standards set forth by management, medical directors, CAMTS and the NYS Department of Health.
- Provided high quality pre-hospital critical care advanced life support including assessment, triage, and treatment utilizing standards and guidelines established by Mercy Flight Central Medical Director(s).
- Established and prioritized the care needed for safe transport of the critical patient to the appropriate facility working in collaboration with a flight nurse partner.
- Responsible for carrying out the mission and program goals of Mercy Flight Central's FW and RW operations while assuring that safety remains the highest priority throughout the transport continuum.

## **Critical Care Paramedic, June 2006 to August 2013**

### **Rural Metro Medical Services – Rochester, New York**

- Responsibilities include providing Critical Care Advanced Life Support treatment and transport within the service area and to adjacent counties as the primary 911 treating and transporting agency.
- Mutual Aid ALS fly-car service to surrounding areas.
- Specialty Care Transport (SCT) Team member and Paramedic Preceptor
- Rapid Sequence Induction provider
- As SEIU Local 200 United Chairperson, I successfully negotiated collective bargaining agreements that were mutually beneficial to both the union and the company while always supporting the corporate mission/vision and employee interests.

## **Paramedic, December 2003 to October 2012**

### **Northeast Quadrant Advanced Life Support – Webster, New York**

- Provided ALS fly car response to primary service area and mutual aid to neighboring communities.
- Rapid Sequence Induction provider, Paramedic Preceptor
- As Quality Assurance & Improvement Coordinator we achieved 100% ALS & BLS chart review while reaching all performance indicators and benchmarks. Through these initiatives, we reduced the amount of documentation errors by 87.6% over the course of 1 calendar year.

## **Education**

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### **Palm Beach State College**

Lakeworth, Florida, USA  
Health and Human Services

### **Emergency Management Institute**

US Department of Homeland Security FEMA Division  
NIMS IS100, 200, 700, 701a, 702a, 703a, 704, 800b

### **Monroe Community College**

Rochester, New York, USA  
CAAHEP Accredited Degree Program  
Associate in Applied Science - Paramedicine

### **The College at SUNY Brockport**

Brockport, New York, USA  
Biological & Health Sciences

## **Certifications / Training**

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- Florida State Certified EMT-Paramedic (#524378)
- New York State Certified EMT-Paramedic (#262686)
- Nationally Registered EMT-Paramedic (#M5001872)
- Flight Paramedic – Certified (Board for Critical Care Transport Paramedic Certification (#5131)
- Critical Care Emergency Medical Transport Program – CCEMTP (#34918)
- Air Medical Crew Core Curriculum (Medical Emergency Consultants of America, Inc.)
- Certified Flight Communicator (National Association of Air Medical Communications Specialists)
- Helicopter Underwater Egress and Water Survival Training (HUET)
- AHA Healthcare Provider CPR Certification (BLS) - **Instructor**
- AHA Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS) - **Instructor**
- AHA Pediatric Advanced Life Support (PALS) - **Instructor**
- Neonatal Resuscitation Program (NRP)
- Advanced Medical Life Support (AMLS)
- Advanced Trauma Life Support (ATLS)
- Pre-Hospital Trauma Life Support (PHTLS) - **Instructor**

## **Affiliations**

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- Greece Volunteer Ambulance Service, Inc. - Past President and Vice President of the Board of Directors
- Northeast Quadrant Advanced Life Support, Inc. - Board of Directors
- Member - National Association of Emergency Medical Technicians and Paramedics
- Member - International Association of Critical Care and Flight Paramedics
- Member - National Association of Air Medical Communication Specialists
- Society for Total Emergency Programs (STEP) Council of the Genesee Region, Inc. - Board of Directors
- Critical Incident Stress Management Team, Monroe County, NY
- Monroe Community College, Paramedic program adjunct faculty, Rochester, NY