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## ATP/NATA GENERAL AVIATION SERVICE TECHNICIAN AWARD

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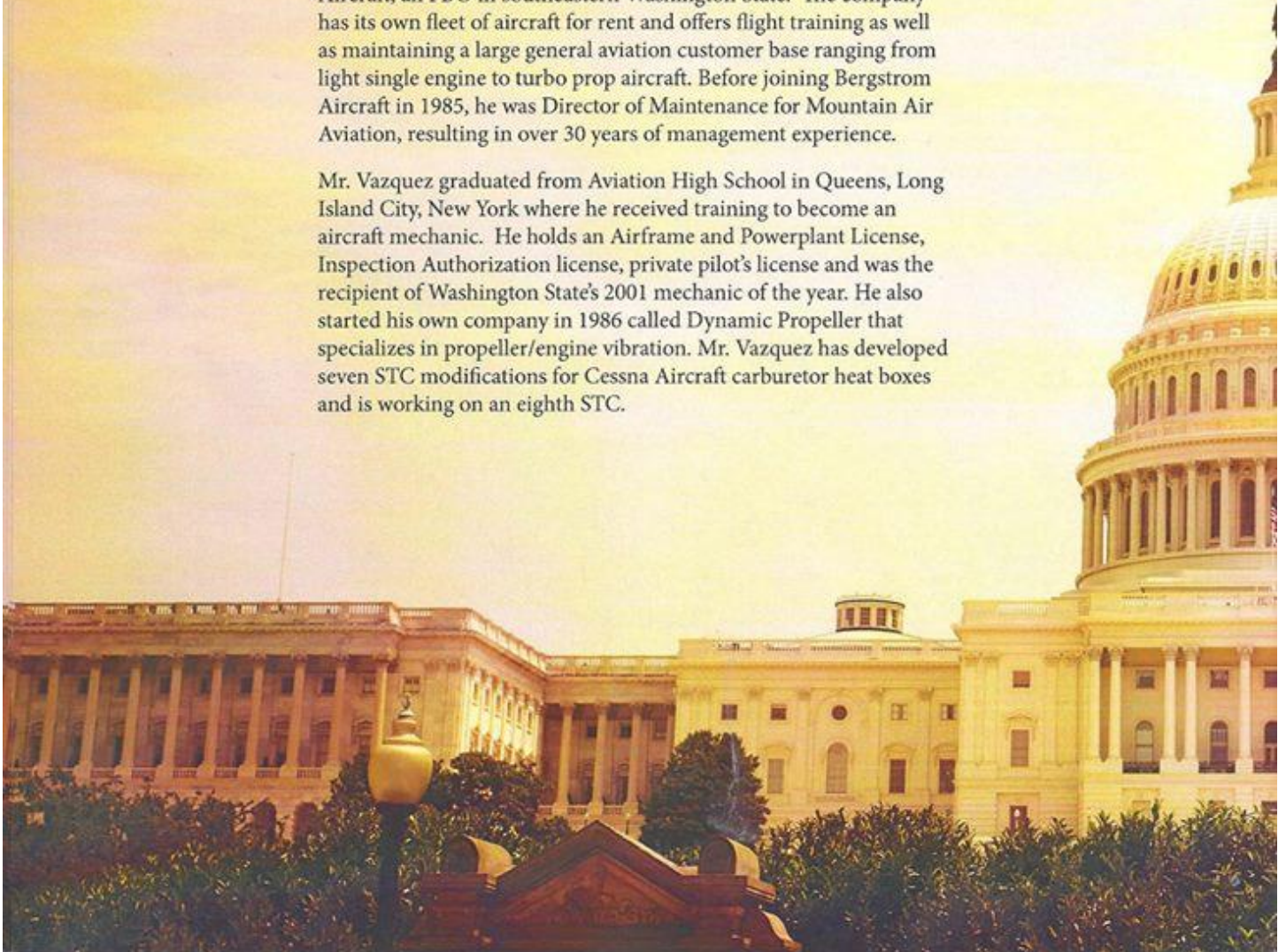


### Jack J. (Jackie) Vazquez

Director of Maintenance for Bergstrom Aircraft, Inc.

Jackie Vazquez is the Director of Maintenance for Bergstrom Aircraft, an FBO in southeastern Washington State. The company has its own fleet of aircraft for rent and offers flight training as well as maintaining a large general aviation customer base ranging from light single engine to turbo prop aircraft. Before joining Bergstrom Aircraft in 1985, he was Director of Maintenance for Mountain Air Aviation, resulting in over 30 years of management experience.

Mr. Vazquez graduated from Aviation High School in Queens, Long Island City, New York where he received training to become an aircraft mechanic. He holds an Airframe and Powerplant License, Inspection Authorization license, private pilot's license and was the recipient of Washington State's 2001 mechanic of the year. He also started his own company in 1986 called Dynamic Propeller that specializes in propeller/engine vibration. Mr. Vazquez has developed seven STC modifications for Cessna Aircraft carburetor heat boxes and is working on an eighth STC.





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The [ATP/NATA General Aviation Service Technician Award](#) (sponsored by Aircraft Technical Publishers) acknowledges the exceptional performance of a licensed airframe and powerplant mechanic or radio repairman who has practiced his or her craft for a period of 20 or more years. NATA will present this year's award to Mr. Jack J. Vazquez, Director of Maintenance for Bergstrom Aircraft, Inc., for his more than 35 years of providing the highest quality aircraft maintenance services to general aviation. His commitment to safety and service is an inspiration to his team and his outstanding reputation has built a large customer base at Bergstrom Aircraft, Inc. In addition, Mr. Vazquez is dedicated to developing modification kits in an effort to keep general aviation safe and affordable for everyone.



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## NATA Award For General Aviation Service Technician

### NATA Recognizes Outstanding Performance of a GA Service Technician

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2013 - Jack Vazquez, director of maintenance, Bergstrom Aircraft Inc.