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Vertical Reference 200 ft Long Line Course



The HTC Helicopters VR / Longline course appeals to large and small operators, as well as individuals alike. Tremendous cost savings are realized by operators that send their pilots to us for training, as opposed to conducting in-house training and flying their own high Euro fleet aircraft.

HTC Helicopters offers this comprehensive External Load Course for pilots aspiring to further their skills and career opportunities. The course focuses on developing fundamental skills for real time operations, and is drawing both major helicopter companies and private pilots to attend. No prior R44 experience is necessary for this course.



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STAGE 1

Introduction into Vertical Reference Flying

Stage 1 is an introduction to Vertical Reference flying, 5 hours:

- 2 1/2 hours pad work Vertical Reference
- 2 1/2 hours on heliports
- Related ground instruction
- Stage check and evaluation

Upon completion of Stage 1, training pilots will have a basic understanding of Vertical Reference techniques and be able to demonstrate proficiency in operating from makeshift heliports.



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STAGE 2

Introduction into Longline Flying

Stage 1 is an introduction to the basics of Longline flying, 5 hours:

- Introduction to the basics of Longline flying
- Related ground instruction
- Stage check and evaluation

Upon completion of Stage 2, training pilots will have an understanding of Longlining concepts and techniques.



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STAGE 3

Advanced Proficiency in Longlining Techniques

Stage 3 is Advanced Proficiency Longlining, with a maximum of 10 hours:

- Show advanced proficiency in Longline techniques (including sling load simulations)
- Related ground instruction

Upon completion of Stage 3, training pilots will have met the minimum standards for Advanced Longline Proficiency

Special offer Professional Long Line Training Course 2023

Duration: 9 Training days

Helicopter: Robinson R-44 Raven II

Stage 1: 5 hours Vertical Reference Training

Stage 2: 5 hours External Cargo Training

with 60m long line

Stage 3: 10 hours continuative exercises

External Cargo Training (logging)

with 60m long line

Training costs include:

20 hours Helicopter R-44 Raven II

7 days Flight Instructor

2 days two Marshallers

4 days one Marshaller

Landing fees all inclusive

Briefing / Debriefing

Total costs: EUR 24.750,-- incl. VAT