

Happy New Year!

I hope you and your family enjoyed a break over Christmas and were able to reflect on the greatest gift of all, Jesus Christ. The New Year presents some familiar but also new challenges. June will mark the end of my time at USW, which is incredible to think, but before then I have my final three license modules to complete. After that, a short break and onto the next stage of training. More about that in another newsletter!

Spring Term

This upcoming Spring Term I have a group project, which will involve fault finding as well as recommending solutions for the fix and writing a report on the process afterwards. We have a life-sized 747 cockpit replica, with most of the buttons, switches, and displays working which we use to simulate these. We occasionally take it flying too. The employability module, which I completed last term, and upcoming group project have replaced a dissertation, although it was an option, but these seemed much more fun and relevant. Other than that, I have two assignments and the Aviation Legislation exam on March 20th. So it's fair to say I have my work cut out, but what else can you expect from a third year undergraduate course?

Here are the final three exams I have to sit:

M10 Aviation Legislation: March 20th

M15 Gas Turbine Engines: May (date tbc)

M11 Aircraft Systems: May (date tbc)



On the left is our 747 flight simulator.

On the right is a snap from a takl during mission's week.

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I mentioned in my previous prayer letter that the Christian Union was putting on a missions week during November, in which we aimed to share the gospel on campus. I'm pleased to say that the week went well, despite bad weather, but hey, that's Wales. We had around 50 attendees at each event, which was a good turnout. Our guest speakers spoke on a variety of topics people at university are curious about: Loneliness, The Trustworthiness of Jesus, and a Question and Answer session all with free food of course. We had many good conversations with some returning to subsequent bible studies. This is the current committee's final term leading the CU, so please pray that God will guide our plans to impact the campus and serve the current Christian community well. It's a huge mission field.

Please pray:

- to stay close to the Lord.
- for the run up to my Air Legislation exam in March. To pass it!
- that I balance my responsibilities well.
- good rest when I need it.

Thank you!

Thank you for your prayers and encouragement last term. I got through the exams and assignments just fine. What a blessing and encouragement knowing that you are praying.

Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged, for the Lord your God will be with you wherever you go."

Joshua 1:9 NIV