NATIONAL TRANSPORTATION SAFETY BOARD PILOT/OPERATOR AIRCRAFT ACCIDENT/INCIDENT REPORT

This form to be used for reporting civil and public aircraft accidents and incidents

BASI	C INFORMA	TION											
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	City/Place: Dayto				_State: F	<u>L</u>	Dat	e: <u>11/2</u>	26/2017	Lo	cal Time: _	1507	
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AIRCI	RAFT INFO	RMATIO	N										
Registr	ation Number:	N452ER					_	☑ IFR-Equip	•				
Manufa	cturer: Cessn	a					☐ Commercial Space Flight ☐ Unmanned Aircraft						
	C172S						Maximum Gross Weight: 2550 lbs						
	Number: <u>1728</u>						W	eight at Tin	ne of Accid	ent/Inci	dent: <u>210</u>	00	_ lbs
Year of	Manufacture:	2015					Νυ	ımber of Se	ats: <u>3</u>		Flight Cre	ew Seats: 2	
Amateu	ır-Built: OYes		Kit/Plans Mak	:e:			Cal	bin Crew Seat	ts:		Passenger	Seats: 1	
	ONo		Original Design		-			ımber of Er	igines: 1				
_	ry of Aircraft		irworthiness Ce	rtificate		Landing Ge							1D 1 .
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□None □Unknown □None				☐ None	1		nknown		T-4-1	Tr	G*		
Engine Manufacturer			acturer's		Date of Mfg.	Rated Pow Horsep	ower or	Total Time	Time Inspection				
Engine	Engine Manufa						mm/dd/yyyy	O lbs of	Γhrust	(hours)	(hours)	(hours)	
Eng. 1 Eng. 2	Lycoming		IO-360-L2A		L-15538	I-51E		N/A	180		7309.2	69.3	287.3
Eng. 2							+						
Eng. 4							1						
Last Ir	spection Type			Propello	er 1	●Fixed P			Prope	eller 2	_	Fixed Pitch	
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O AAIP	O Cond	ditional Inspec		Manufacturer: McCauley			Manufacturer:						
O Annu				Model: <u>1A170E/JHA7660</u>					Mode	1:			
Date Last Inspection: 11/08/2017 mm/dd/yyyy ELT Insta				ELT Installed: •Yes •No				Additional Equipment (Check all that apply)					
				If Yes:				☑ ADS-B □ Airframe Parachute					
hours measured at (Select one)					er: ARTEX					cnute ck Indicato	r		
					Model or Part No.: <u>ME406</u> TSO No.: OC91 (121.5 MHz) OC			1a (121 5 MH	Aut	opilot			
Type of Maintenance Program (Select one)						(406 MHz)		14 (12110 11111	Date	Recorder		Handheld De	vice
O Annual				Was ELT	Γ still mo	unted in aircra	ft?	•Yes •No	☑ Elec	tronic Mu	ltifunction	Display	
O Conditional (Amateur-built only) O Manufacturer's Inspection Program						nected to anter		Yes ONG		tronic Pri dheld GPS	mary Fligh S	t Display	
O Other Approved Inspection Program (AAIP)						? OYes ⊙ì	No			ds Up Dis			
	nuous Airworthin, specify:	ess		If activa Did ELT		ocating Aircra	ft: (OYes O No		oard Wea	ther cing Device	<u>,</u>	
	tion of Fire Ex	tinguishing	System	If not ac		Ü		-	Libate	l Warning			
O None	•	0 0	•	Indicate	Reason:	☐ Impact Dar		e			ing Device		
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OWNER/OPERATOR INFORMA	ATION						
Registered Aircraft Owner		City: Daytona Beach					
Name: EMBRY RIDDLE AERONAUTICA	AL UNIVERSITY INC	State: FL	ZIP: <u>32114</u>				
Fractional Ownership Aircraft: O Yes C	No	Country: USA					
Operator of Aircraft Same As Re	gistered Owner	☑ Same Address as Registered Own	☑ Same Address as Registered Owner				
Name: EMBRY RIDDLE AERONAUTICA	AL UNIVERSITY INC	City: <u>Daytona Beach</u>					
Doing Business As:		State: FL	ZIP: <u>32114</u>				
Air Carrier/Operator Designator (4 Charact	er Code): RDDL	Country: USA					
Operating Certificates Held (Check all that apply)	Regulation Flight Conducted Un	Revenue Operation for FAR 1 (Select one for each group)	21, 125, 129, 135				
None □Flag Carrier Operating Certificate (FAR 121) □Supplemental □Air Cargo □Foreign Air Carriers (FAR 129) □Rotorcraft External Load (FAR 133) □Commuter Air Carrier (FAR 135)	 FAR 91 OFAR 129 OFAR 103 OFAR 133 OFAR 121 OFAR 135 OFAR 125 OFAR 137 OFAR 125 OFAR 137 OFAR 125 	431 O Non-Scheduled or Air Taxi 435	O Domestic O International				
On-Demand Air Taxi (FAR 135)	O Non-US, Non-commercial						
□ Commercial Air Tour (FAR 136) □ Agricultural Aircraft (FAR 137) □ Pilot School (FAR 141) □ Certificate of Authorization or Waiver (COA) □ Commercial Space Transportation Experimental Permit □ Commercial Space Transportation License □ Other Operator of Large Aircraft	OPublic Aircraft (Select one) O Armed Forces O Federal O State O Local O Unknown	O Aerial Observation O Air Drop O Glid O Air Race/Show O Banner Tow O Business O Executive/Corporate O Flig O Glid O Air Race/Show O Instr O Pers O Pers O Pers	refighting O Unknown Ight Test ider Tow structional her Work Use rsonal sitioning				
Revenue Sightseeing Flight	Air Medical Flight	O External Load O Skyo	diving				
O Yes ⊙ No	O Yes ⊙ No						
AIRPORT INFORMATION (Fill in	if accident/incident occurred on app	proach, landing, takeoff, departure, or	within 3 miles of an airport)				
Airport Name: Daytona Beach Interna	tional Airport	Distance From Airport Center: 0.5	5 sm				
Airport Identifier: KDAB		Direction From Airport:					
Proximity to Airport: O Off Airport/Airstri	p O On Airport/Airstrip O N/A	Airport Elevation: 34	ft. msl				
Runway Information Runway ID: 25R (L/R/C) Length: 10 Runway/Landing Surface (Check all that at at a language and a language at	apply) adam	Condition of Runway/Landing Surf □ Dry □ Snow-Compact □ Holes □ Snow-Crusted □ Ice Covered □ Snow-Dry □ Rough □ Snow-Wet □ Rubber Deposits □ Soft □ Slush-Covered □ Vegetation	cted Water-Calm				
Approach/Departure Segment (Select one)	l					
OTaxi OVFR Departure OTakeoff OIFR Departure Proc OInitial Climb	edure/Clearance On Instrument Ap OLanding	OBase OGo A	ted Landing (after touchdown)				
IFR Approach (Check all that apply)		VFR Approach (Check all that apply)					
☑ None		□None					
□ ADF/NDB □ PAR □ SDF □ Sidestep □ VOR/TVOR □ ILS □ VOR/DME □ Localizer Only □ TACAN □ LOC-back course □ RNAV	□MLS □Practice □LDA □GPS □ASR □Visual □Contact □Circling □Unknown	☐ Traffic Pattern ☐ Straight-In ☐ Valley/Terrain Following ☐ Go Around ☐ Full Stop	☐ Stop and Go ☐ Touch and Go ☐ Simulated Forced Landing ☐ Forced Landing ☐ Precautionary Landing ☐ Unknown				

"FLIGHT CREWMEMBER 1" INFORMATION										
"Flight Crewmember 1" R	esponsibilities at O Student Pilot			cident Check Pilot	O Flight	Engineer	O Other I	Flight Crew		
"Flight Crewmember 1" w	as pilot flying	✓Yes □ N	No							
"Flight Crewmember 1" Id	lentification									
First Name: Hirotsugu				C	city of Res	idence: Po	ort Orange			
Middle Initial:				S	tate: FL		2	ZIP: 32128	3	
Last Name: Funatsu					Country:	JSA				
Age at time of	of Accident/Incide	ent: 28	Date of E		1989		m/dd/yyyy			
			- ertificate Num							
Degree of Injury	Seat Occup				traint Typ	 oe			Inflatable I	Restraints
None	LeftRightCenter	O Front O Rear O Single	O Unknow	x/m	Available O None O Lap only					talled
Pilot Certificate(s) (Check of	ıll that apply)				⊙ 3-point	•	⊙ 3-point		✓ Not De	ployed
□ None □ Flight □ Private □ Recre □ Student □ Sport	ational \Box	Commercial Airline Transp Flight Enginee			O 4-point O 5-point O Unknow		O 4-point O 5-point O Unknov	vn	☐ Deploy ☐ Unknov	
Principal Occupation	Medical Certific	cate		Med	lical Cert	ificate Va	lidity		Date of Las	st Medical
O Pilot O Other Unknown	⊙ Class 1 (OClass 3 ODriver's Lice OUnknown	ense (Sport Pilot	only) OV	Vithout limi Vith limitati pecial Issua	ons/waivers		nknown [/A	05/01/20 mm/dd/y	
Medical Certificate Limita	tions									
None										
Medical Certificate Specia	l Issuance									
None										
Date of Last Flight Review		Fligh	t Review Airo	raft						
or Equivalent, Including		_	Cessna	.1 411						
FAR 121/135 Checks: _	09/26/2017 mm/dd/yyyy		ı: 172S							
Aimlana Dating(s)	Other Aircra			ont Dating(s)		Instructor	n Dating(s)			
Airplane Rating(s) (Check all that apply)	(Check all that a			ent Rating(s) I that apply)	(Check all that apply)					
None	✓ None	**	☐ None ☐ Airpla	11 //	✓ None ☐ Instrument Airplane					Airplane
☑ Single-Engine Land☐ Single-Engine Sea	☐ Airship ☐ Balloon		☑ Airpla ☐ Helico	ne	☐ Airplane Single-Engine ☐ Instrument				Helicopter	
☐ Multiengine Land	Glider		☐ Power		☐ Airplane Multi-Engine ☐ Helicopter ☐ Gyroplane ☐ Glider					
☐ Multiengine Sea	Gyroplane					☐ Powered	d Lift		Sport	
	☐ Helicopter☐ Powered Lif	ì								
Type Ratings Student Endorsements (Include dates)										
			Airplane			Inct	t	1	1	
Flight Time (Enter appropria number of hours in each box)	te All Aircraft	This Make & Model	Single Engine	Airplane Multiengine	Night	Actual	rument Simulated	Rotorcraft	Glider	Lighter Than Air
Total Time	193	185	193	Withtengine	17	Actual 1	83	Rotorcian	Gildei	Than An
Pilot in Command (PIC)	75	75	75		12	1	76			
Time as Instructor			· · ·		1					
This Make/Model					17	1	83			
Last 90 Days	24	24	24		17	1	10			
Last 30 Days	20	20	20		11	1	5			
Last 24 Hours										

"FLIGHT CREWMEN	MBER 2" INFOR	MATION	١							
"Flight Crewmember 2" Responsibilities at the Time of Accident/Incident										
OPilot OCo-Pilot OStudent Pilot OFlight Instructor OCheck Pilot OFlight Engineer OOther Flight Crew "Flight Crewmember 2" was pilot flying □ Yes □ No										
-		es \square N	0							
"Flight Crewmember 2" Id				_						
First Name:				_ (City of Re	sidence:				
Middle Initial:					State:		Z	IP:		
Last Name:				- (Country:					
Age at time of	f Accident/Incident:		Date of Birth	n:		<i>mm</i>	ı/dd/yyyy			
		Certi	ficate Number	r:						
Degree of Injury	Seat Occupied	_			straint T	ype		1	nflatable R	estraints
O None O Fatal O Minor O Unknown		OFront ORear	O Unknown		Availab	le	Used			
O Serious		Single			O None		O None	,	□ Not Inst	
Pilot Certificate(s) (Check of	all that apply)				O Lap o		O Lap only O 3-point	′	☐ Installed ☐ Not Dep	
, , ,	t Instructor	nercial	☐ US Milita	ary	O 4-po		O 4-point		Deploye	
☐ Private ☐ Recre		e Transport	☐ Foreign		O 5-poi O Unki		O 5-point O Unknow	_{/n}	Unknow	'n
☐ Student ☐ Sport	☐ Fiight	Engineer			•		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	_		
Principal Occupation	Medical Certificate			Me	edical Ce	rtificate Val	lidity]	Date of Las	t Medical
O Pilot	O None O Clas					mitations/waiv		nknown		
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Date of Last Flight Review	I	Flight R	Review Aircra	ıft						
or Equivalent, Including		_								
FAR 121/135 Checks:	mm/dd/yyyy	Model:								
Airplane Rating(s)	Other Aircraft Ra		Instrumen	t Rating(s	(2)	Instructor	Rating(s)			
(Check all that apply)	(Check all that apply)	0 (/	(Check all th	0.	3)	(Check all th	0 ()			
None	None		None			☐ None			Instrument A	
☐ Single-Engine Land☐ Single-Engine Sea	☐ Airship ☐ Balloon		☐ Airplane ☐ Helicopte				Single-Engire Multi-Engine		Instrument H Helicopter	elicopter
☐ Multiengine Land	Glider		Powered			Gyroplan			Glider	
☐ Multiengine Sea	☐ Gyroplane ☐ Helicopter					☐ Powered	Lift		Sport	
	☐ Powered Lift									
Type Ratings Student Endorsements (Include dates)										
		J	Airplane							
Flight Time (Enter appropring number of hours in each box)		s Make	Single	Airplane			classicated	Dot C	Cua	Lighter
Total Time	Aircraft &	Model	Engine	Multiengine	e Night	Actual	Simulated	Rotorcraft	Glider	Than Air
Pilot in Command (PIC)					-					
Time as Instructor					+					
This Make/Model										
Last 90 Days										
Last 30 Days										
Last 24 Hours										

ADDITIONAL FLI	GHT CREWMEM	BERS (Exclu	usive of cabin cr	ew, complete	the followin	g information)		
Crew Name and Add	lress					Seat Occupie	d	Injury
Middle Initial:	_	State:	esidence:	ZIP:		O Left O Center O Right	O Front O Rear O Single O Unknown	O None O Minor O Serious O Fatal O Unknown
Pilot Certificate(s) (6 None Private Student Type Rating/Endors Accident/Incident Ai	Flight Instructor Recreational Sport		ransport	t the Time	hrs_	Restraint Ty Available O None O Lap Only O 3-point O 4-point O 5-point O Unknown	Vsed O None O Lap Only O 3-point O 4-point O 5-point O Unknown	Inflatable Restraints Not Installed Installed Not Deployed Deployed Unknown
Crow Name and Add	leoss	Seat Occupie	d	Injury				
Middle Initial:	-	State:	sidence:	ZIP:		OLeft OCenter ORight	O Front O Rear O Single O Unknown	O None O Minor O Serious O Fatal O Unknown
Pilot Certificate(s) (Check all that apply) None							Used O None O Lap Only O 3-point O 4-point O 5-point O Unknown	Inflatable Restraints Not Installed Installed Not Deployed Deployed Unknown
PASSENGER(S)		et if necessary)						
Name and Address		(4	Seat	Injury	Restraint T		Inflatable Restraints	Age
First Name:	State: 2	ZIP:		O None O Minor O Serious O Fatal O Unknown	Available O None O Lap Only O 3-point O 4-point O 5-point O Unknown	Used O None O Lap Only O 3-point O 4-point O 5-point	Not Installed Installed Not Deployed Deployed Unknown	☐ Under 5 years If Under 5, O Child Restraint O Lap-Held O Unknown
First Name:	State: 2	ZIP:	OLeft OCenter ORight OUnknown Row:	O None O Minor O Serious O Fatal O Unknown	Available O None O Lap Only O 3-point O 4-point O 5-point O Unknown	O 3-point O 4-point O 5-point	□ Not Installed □ Installed □ Not Deployed □ Deployed □ Unknown	☐ Under 5 years
First Name: Middle Initial: Last Name: OCrew	State: Z	ZIP:	OLeft OCenter ORight OUnknown Row:	O None O Minor O Serious O Fatal O Unknown	Available O None O Lap Only O 3-point O 4-point O 5-point O Unknown	O 3-point O 4-point O 5-point	□ Not Installed □ Installed □ Not Deployed □ Deployed □ Unknown	☐Under 5 years If Under 5, ○ Child Restraint ○ Lap-Held ○ Unknown
First Name: Middle Initial: Last Name: OCrew	State: 2	ZIP:	OLeft OCenter ORight OUnknown Row:	O None O Minor O Serious O Fatal O Unknown	Available O None O Lap Only O 3-point O 4-point O 5-point O Unknown	O 3-point O 4-point O 5-point	☐ Not Installed ☐ Installed ☐ Not Deployed ☐ Deployed ☐ Unknown	☐ Under 5 years

FLIGHT ITINERARY	/ INFORMATIC	N		•				
Last Departure Point	Tir	ne of Departure	Destination	on		Type Fligh	t Plan I	Filed
Airport ID: KTLH		1200	Airport ID:	KDAB		O None		O VFR/IFR
City: Tallahassee	Tin	ne: 1300	City: Day	tona Beach		O Company O Military		O IFR O Unknown
State: FL	Tin	ne Zone: EST	State: FL		_	• VFR	VIIX	Clikilowii
Country: USA	_		Country: U			Activated?	⊙ Yes	ONo OUnknown
Type of ATC Clearance/S	ervice (Check all tha	t apply)				l		
☐ None	☐ Special VFR ☐ IFR	☐ Spe	ecial IFR R On Top		☐ VFR Flight Foll☐ Traffic Advisory		☐ Crui ☐ Unk	ise nown / NA
Airspace where the accide							Altitu	ide of In-Flight
☐ Class A ☐ Class B ☐ Class C ☐ Class D	☐ Class G ☐ Demo Area ☐ Warning Area ☐ Prohibited Area	☐ Air ☐ Jet ☐ TR			☐ Special ☐ Air Traffic Cont ☐ Unknown	rol Area	Occur	rrence: ft msl
☐ Class E	Restricted Area	☐ FA						
WEATHER INFORM		E ACCIDEN	T/INCIDEN	ı				
Source of Pilot Weather I	nformation				servation Facility	7		
(Check all that apply) ✓ National Weather Service	☐ Co	nnany		Facility ID: K				
☐ Flight Service Station	□ Mi			Observation T	ime: 1853Z			
TV/Radio	☐ Into			Time Zone: E	ST			
☐ Automated Report ☐ Commercial Weather Servi				Distance from	Accident Site:		nm	
☐ On-Board Weather				Direction from	Accident Site:		_ degree:	s true
Basic Conditions OVMC OIMC OUnknown		Light Condit ODawn ODay	ion ODusk ONight		x Night O Ur ht Night	ıknown		
Sky/Lowest Cloud Condi	tion	Ceiling			Temperature:	23	(C) or	(F)
⊙ Clear	O Thin Broken O Thin Overcast	O None (Clear)	0	Obscured				
O Few	O Broken O Indefinite			Dew Point: 0	<u>(C</u>	c) or _	(F)	
O Partial Obscuration O Scattered	O Overcast	O	Unknown	Altimeter Sett				
Lowest Cloud Condition	Height	Ceiling Height				or	MI	3
	ft agl			ft agl				
Wind Direction	Wind Speed		Wind Gusts		Visibility	10		
✓ Variable	☐ Calm		✓ Not Gustin			10		
variable	Light and Var	iable	M Not Gustin	15	RVR	:	feet	
-or-	-or-		-or-		RVV	:	miles	
Direction:degrees true	le Speed: 3	kts	Speed:	kts	Density Altitu			ft
Intensity of Precipitation	Type of Precipi	tation (Check all i	that apply)		Restriction to	•		that apply)
O Light O Moderate	☑ None	Drizzle	☐ Freezin☐ Snow S		✓ None ☐ Blowing Du	[] [] [] [] [] [] [] [] [] [] [] [] [] [Fog Ground F	og
O Heavy	□ Rain □ Snow	☐ Ice Pellets☐ Snow Pelle			☐ Blowing Sa	nd 🔲 I	Haze	og
⊙ N/A	☐ Hail	☐ Snow Grain	ns 🗖 Freezin		☐ Blowing Sn	low 🔲]	ce Fog	
OUnknown	☐ Rain Showers	☐ Ice Crystals	}		☐ Blowing Sp☐ Dust		Smoke Jnknown	·
Icing Forecast		Icing Actual			Turbulence			
Amount Type		Amount	Type		Type (Check a	ll that apply)		everity
 None None N/A Rime 		O None O Trace	O N/A O Rime		☑ None ☐ Clear Air]Light]Moderate
O Light O Clear		O Light	O Clear		Terrain-Indi	uced		Severe
O Moderate O Mixe		O Moderate	O Mixe		Convective	Turbulence		Extreme
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NOTAMs (D and FDC)	, AIRMETS, SIG	VIETS, PIKEP	s in effect at	tne time of t	ne accident/inci	aent:		

Aircraft Damage Ones Oses Substantial Ones Obstryed One-Ground One
O None O Destroyed O In-Flight O Fire at Unknown Time O In-Flight O In-Flight O Unknown O Unknown Description of Damage to Aircraft and Other Property (Use additional sheet if necessary) Substantial damage to the aircraft engine firewall and floorboards. NARRATIVE HISTORY OF FLIGHT (Please type or print in ink) Describe what occurred in chronological order, including circumstances leading to and nature of accident/incident. Describe terrain and include wreckage distribution sketch if pertinent. Attach extra sheets if needed. State departure time and and location, services obtained, and intended destination. Provide as much detail as possible. On November 26, 2017, at approximately 0816 EST, Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University (ERAU) solo flight student Mr. Funatsu, Hirotsugu departed Daytona Beach International Airport (KDAB) in a Cessna 172S, N452ER on a commercial cross-country flight to Dothan Regional Airport (KTLH), and the returned back to KDAB. The event occurred during FA 321 (Commercial ASEL) course module 11, solo flight, the Pilot-in-Command (PIC) ramped in at approximately 1515 EST with no aircraft discrepancy declared. Four days later on November 30, 2017, at approximately 1810 EST, Instructor Pilot (IP) Shawn Niessner found damage to the engine firewall above
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RECOMMENDATION (How	could this	accident/incident ha	ve been pre	vented?)				
Operator/Owner Safety Recomm	endation							
The hard landing could have been prevented by executing a go-around procedure after initial touchdown. Based on ERAU Flight Data Management (FDM) data it appears that the aircraft landed flat (-0.45 degree pitch down) on the runway resulting in subsequent bounces shortly after. The proper procedure for this type of landing profile that is consistently taught at ERAU is go-around. As the aircraft continued to bounce down the runway the Pilot-in-Command (PIC) should have called "go-around" and attempted the landing a second time.								
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Other Services, if Any, Prior to	Departure							
EVACUATION OF AIRC	RAFT							
Was an emergency evacuation	of the aircra	ift performed?	☐ Yes	☑ No				
Method of Exit – Describe how	the occupant	s exited and how ma	ny occupant	s evacuate	d each location			
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