



## **LEVERAGING THE MIX: WHAT DOES THIS MEAN TO YOU?**

While all of this activity unfolds, you may wonder how it will affect your own interface with the flight training system. This will depend on where you are in your aeronautical development.

If you are a current, new, or prospective student pilot, you might ask your flight instructor or pilot school how they intend to modify their training programs to take advantage of recent or ongoing changes in training technology, such as simulation, or training methods, such as scenario-based training. You might point to the efforts underway, such as the Redbird Skyport, to test their awareness of such changes.

If you are an existing pilot, consider modifying your next flight review, instrument proficiency check, or other training event to use simulation technology and to organize it around a scenario. If your instructor or training facility balks, look elsewhere for options.

If you are a flight instructor, pilot school, or training center, this is your big chance. Seize the opportunity and revamp your curricula, programs, techniques, and practices to adopt those newer training technologies and methods which are proving effective in reducing fatal accidents and creating a more student/customer friendly training environment. It may put you on the leading edge of change and improve your business results