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## Meeting with Boutsen Aviation Official Mascot Tommy Douillard, World Champion in Advanced Aerobatics...



**Monaco, December 14th** – A dive into the fascinating world of aeronautics alongside Tommy Douillard, a enthusiast whose love for the skies traces back to an airborne heritage, as his father was a private pilot himself.

In this exclusive interview, he unveils the behind-the-scenes of his passion for aerobatics, his choice for EXTRA 330 aircraft, and the journey that led him to clinch the prestigious title of World Champion in Advanced Aerobatics. Discover his journey to the World Championships in Las Vegas, where he shares his unique experience of a mythical and legendary competition. A journey marked not only by technical excellence but also by the discovery of American horizons, further emphasizing the magnitude of the event. .../..



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Beyond the competitive aspect, Tommy also shares his thoughts on the profound meaning of becoming World Champion in Advanced Aerobatics. For him, it is the culmination of a lifelong dream, the result of years of dedication and hard work since his first competition in 2018. In exclusivity, he shares inspiring advice for those hesitant to follow their passions, whether in aerobatics or other fields. Our World Champion encourages everyone to believe in their dreams, trust themselves, and persevere despite obstacles on the way.



Finally, delve into the future with Tommy Douillard as he discusses his ambitions to join the French Unlimited Team to reach new heights and shine in upcoming European and global competitions in this new category. An captivating interview that unveils the secrets of the skies, endurance in the face of challenges, and the belief in one's dreams to achieve excellence in the exhilarating world of aerobatics.



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Where does your passion for aeronautics come from?

*- It's a family affair! This passion was passed down to me by my father, who was a private pilot.*

Why did you choose aerobatics?

*- I have always been passionate about aerobatic planes, especially for their incredible maneuverability and performance. I was the vice-champion of France in model aerobatics. My dream was, in continuation of model aerobatics, to access the same planes but in full scale, the EXTRA 330.*

How did you prepare for the World Championships in Las Vegas?

*- It's been about a year since I knew that the French team would participate in the World Championships, and since then, I made the decision to increase my physical training. I do and see a lot through sports because it is something indispensable for performance and well-being. I train almost every day with a sports program that I developed myself.*

What did you think of the competition?

*- It was quite a mythical, even legendary, competition! Firstly, because of its location and because it was France's first participation in World Advanced Championships outside of Europe. It was my first trip to the United States, which made the competition even more grandiose. .../..*



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What does being World Champion in Advanced Aerobatics mean to you?

*- I had a big dream: to be world champion! For me, it's the fulfillment of a dream since I was little! It also means, above all, being rewarded for many years of hard work. I had my first competition in 2018, and now, five years later, I managed to achieve this title.*

Do you have advice for people reading this but are hesitant to take the leap?

*- Whether in aerobatics or in other fields, I think you have to believe in your dreams and strive to make them come true. My best advice would be to trust yourself and only listen to yourself. You have to hang on despite the trials and problems that everyone may encounter on their journey.*

What are your goals for the future?

*- To join the French Unlimited Team! I would like to reach the highest level and perform in future European and global competitions in this new category.»*



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Proud to sponsor this rising star, Boutsen Aviation celebrates their exceptional talent. Sponsoring Tommy is our commitment to aeronautical excellence. May this story inspire dreamers and encourage everyone to pursue their aspirations.

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