

## ACI Global Training Instructor Biography



**Doug ROBERTS**

**Course:** *Safety and Operations, EASA Implementing Rules for Aerodromes*

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Doug Roberts is one of the ACI instructors for the Global Safety Network programme and other safety courses for ACI.

Doug joined Airport Solutions Ltd. In May 2010 as a consultant working on the certification of the new Dubai World Central airport.

Most recently, he has worked on a major project to upgrade a desert airstrip in Oman to a fully paved runway whilst ensuring continued safety operations. Additional responsibilities included upgrading the aerodrome documentation and re-certification requirements while ensuring the aerodrome remained operational throughout the project.

Doug worked with Oxford Airport for 7 years from 2001 - 2008. As the Airport Manager, he was responsible for overseeing all airport activities including major infrastructure upgrades. He acted as the licensee liaising with the CAA for all aspects of the airports operating license and SMS including the direct responsibility for all aspects of AGL, RFFS, Aviation Fuel storage and into plane fuelling, runways, aprons, taxiways, draining, marking, aerodrome surveys and surfaces, provision of flight operations services, etc.

He worked as a Health and Safety advisor to Thames Valley Police for 4 years prior to joining Oxford Airport. Doug also has 32 years of experience with the Royal Navy as an Engineering Officer.