

MISSION

To promote and share the beauty and excitement of wingsuit B.A.S.E. jumping, speedflying/speedriding, and ski mountaineering in a professional and humble way in order to inspire the human spirit of adventure and experience.



ZACHARY CARBO

WINGSUIT B.A.S.E. JUMPING, SPEEDFLYING &
SKI MOUNTAINEERING

ACHIEVEMENTS

USPA LICENSED SKYDIVER - 2004-CURRENT

Earned the United States Parachute Association "A-license" in 2004 under the instruction and supervision of such instructors as Red Bull Air Force athletes Andy Farrington and Luke Aikins. I currently hold a "D-license" as well as a PRO Rating, Coach, Tandem and Accelerated Freefall instructional rating. I currently have over 2,500 civilian and military parachute jumps.

B.A.S.E. - 2005-CURRENT

After receiving several days of ground instruction, parachute operation theory and basic fluid dynamics instruction, I completed the Apex B.A.S.E. first jump course in Twin Falls, ID under the instruction and supervision of Jimmy Pouchert and Marta Empinotti. I have over 800 B.A.S.E. jumps from Buildings, Antennas, Bridges, Cliffs and even dams and nuclear cooling towers and have jumped in some of the most remote areas of the United States, Italy, France, Switzerland, Mexico, Canada, China, and Malaysia.

MILITARY FREEFALL QUALIFICATION - 2008

Earned the coveted military freefall badge while serving with the 75th Ranger Regiment after completing the highly competitive, mentally and physically exhausting Special Operations Military Freefall Course in Marana, AZ. Exceeding altitudes of 25,000 ft MSL, the course focuses on acute physiological awareness, team building and covert tactical military freefall and canopy navigation operations during both night and day. The course is instructed by the world's most technically and tactically proficient civilians and Special Operations warriors in the world.

PARACHUTE DEMONSTRATION JUMPER "THE BLACK DAGGERS" 2010-2011

Performed as a parachute demonstration jumper, parachute rigger and master of ceremonies for the United States Army Special Operations Command parachute demonstration team, "The Black Daggers". As a member of the team I performed at air shows, sporting events and festivals in front of over 50,000 spectators while jumping with combat equipment, smoke and pyrotechnics as well as flags and banners.

USHPA LICENSED PILOT - 2010-CURRENT

Earned the United States Hang Gliding and Paragliding Association "P3" Paragliding license and "M2" Miniwing rating in Draper, UT under the instruction and supervision of Chris Grantham and former Red Bull Air Force athlete Chris Santacroce. I have over 500 flights and have logged hours of flight time.

FAA SENIOR PARACHUTE RIGGER - 2011-CURRENT

Completed the Federal Aviation Administration Senior Rigger Certification in Elizabethtown, PA under the instruction and supervision of Master Parachute Rigger Instructor and Examiner, Dave DeWolf.

MILITARY JUMPMASTER - 2012

Earned the U.S. Army's Jumpmaster qualification with the 75th Ranger Regiment gaining the ability to conduct and oversee safety checks of equipment and personnel during the rigging, donning and execution of military Special Operations low altitude, combat equipped parachute insertion jumps.

AVALANCHE LEVEL I CERTIFIED - 2013

Completed the American Avalanche Association Level I certification training with International Mountain Guides at Crystal Mountain, Washington. This helps with my awareness and forecasting abilities of snowpack and mountain conditions while improving my and my backcountry party's abilities to find and retrieve buried individuals using avalanche safety gear.



AMBASSADORSHIPS AND SPONSORS

SQUIRREL WINGSUITS - 2013-CURRENT

Along with several of the worlds best wingsuit pilots, I was selected and tasked with providing feedback and testing the next generation of high performance wingsuits, parachutes and other B.A.S.E. and skydive specific gear designed specifically with safety and performance in mind for big mountain and proximity flying.

KÜHL CLOTHING - 2014-2017

I represented the Kühl clothing company and contributed to both written and image media for the Kühl Clothing website and social media. I promoted a fun and positive mountain lifestyle through various adventure sports and everyday activities.

QUIVER KILLER BINDING INSERTS - 2015-CURRENT

I represent Quiver Killer Binding Inserts and contribute both written and image media for their website and social media sites. I promote, use and provide feedback on their products.



ZEAL OPTICS - 2015-CURRENT

I represent Zeal Optics and contribute both written and image media for their website and social media sites. I promote, use and provide feedback on their products.

CRYSTAL MOUNTAIN SPEEDFLYING - 2015-CURRENT

Responsible for coordinating with mountain management, ownership, ski patrol and National Forestry Service in order to perform risk mitigation and safety assurance regarding the continuation of speedflying at Crystal Mountain Ski Resort. I have worked tirelessly with the above in order to develop and implement policy designed to allow the ability to use ski lifts and ski runs to participate in the sport of speedflying. Crystal Mountain is one of the only ski areas on the North American continent that allows speedflying.

SOFLETE - 2016-CURRENT

The SOFLETE mission is to provide knowledge, nutrition and inspiration to active duty, veteran and civilian athletes alike. Adhering to the "DIE LIVING" motto, SOFLETE aims to inspire others to live as if there weren't a tomorrow. Urging everyone to take hold and appreciate today and those who surround us. I embody and express this feeling in emotion in everything I do.



COMBAT FLIP FLOPS - 2016-2019

The mission at Combat Flip Flops is to create peaceful, forward-thinking opportunities for self-determined entrepreneurs affected by conflict. Their willingness to take bold risks, make community connections, and create distinct designs communicate, "Business, Not Bullets" --flipping the view on how wars are won. I contributed written and image commentary to their blog and social media accounts.

TEAM WENDY - 2017-CURRENT

I have had the amazing opportunity to be one of the first brand ambassadors for Team Wendy who is largely focused on developing leading-edge products that serve to protect against serious and potentially life-threatening impact related injuries. Team Wendy also actively collaborates with world-class universities and organizations to better understand the causes behind TBI and to develop products that focus on addressing what actually occurs during impact.



ON3P SKIS - 2019-CURRENT

I represent ON3P Ski Company and provide feedback on ski design as well as image content for the ON3P website and social media. Additionally, I serve as a conduit between the public and company in order to educate and provide insight into the company, its skis and their design, as well as the process for ordering stock and custom, handmade in the U.S., quality skis. I promote a fun and positive mountain lifestyle through various adventure sports and everyday activities.

EXPERIENCE

- Attended the 2007 Bridge Day Festival in Fayetteville, WV making four jumps in six hours in front of over 200,000 spectators.
- Attended the 2008 Bridge Day Festival in Fayetteville, WV making five jumps in six hours in front of over 225,000 spectators. Performed camera flying jumps backwards while filming highly technical maneuvers for other jumpers. I was featured on the front page of the Fayette Tribune Sunday newspaper (Oct 19, 2008) while performing a five-way jump wearing a Mexican "Luchadore" wrestling mask. (Estimated newspaper audience, 100,000+)
- Performed on both recorded and live television (Mexico Televisa Deportes) during the weeklong 2012 Viva Puebla festival. An estimated 12 million viewers watched live as myself and three other professional B.A.S.E jumpers and paragliders were the first to jump and fly off of the 722 foot tall San Marcos Bridge (Xicotepec de Juárez, Puebla, Mexico). To cap off the week I jumped into the Ignacio Zaragoza Stadium with Red Bull Air Force athlete Miles Daisher and GoPro Bomb Squad athlete Jesse Hall for over 30,000 spectators.



- Provided logistical support as well as static and in flight camera work for professional B.A.S.E. jumper Matthias Giraud for Episode #6 of the Super Frenchie Diaries (15,000 views).
- Provided logistical support as well as static and in flight camera work for professional B.A.S.E. jumper Matthias Giraud for Episode #7.1 and 7.2 of the Super Frenchie Diaries (3,200 views).
- Provided all logistical and technical expertise for a week long still and video image shoot in the rugged terrain of the Washington North Cascades. I was the showcase athlete for the video and still images for B.A.S.E. specific gear distributor Parachutes Plus. During the week we hiked over 20 hours and made 10 jumps including an extremely technical two-way wingsuit proximity flight from Mt. Baring, WA with Red Bull athlete Jhonathan Florez.
- Selected and participated in the 2014 and 2015 Anshun Balinghe Bridge International B.A.S.E. Jumping Tournament in China's Guizhou province. 36 hand-picked B.A.S.E. Jumpers from 16 countries participated in the annual event jumping from the 370 meter (1230 feet) bridge aiming for the center of the target next to the river below. The event is directed towards tourism in the region of China and sees local (China CCTV) and worldwide (BBC, NTD, ABC, NBC) coverage.
- Parachute packer/rigger and logistical facilitator for Miles Daisher's 2017 Summer Solstice World Record for most human powered BASE jumps in 24 hours. I was one of 10 hand picked parachute packers and riggers for a highly televised and heavily distributed social media live event in which Red Bull Air Force team member Miles Daisher completed 63 BASE jumps in 24-hours off the Perrine Bridge in Twin Falls, Idaho. Miles hiked out of the Snake River Canyon after each jump which totaled over 30,000 vertical feet.
- Selected and participated in the 2017 KL Tower International Jump Malaysia B.A.S.E. jump as well as the 2017 Sibul B.A.S.E. Jump from the Wisma Sanyan building. Over a two week period I was one of 102 jumpers from 22 countries who performed over 5000 total B.A.S.E. jumps off of two of Malaysia's most popular buildings. The event is directed towards tourism in the country of Malaysia and covered in dozens of local, regional and international newspapers and television media.
- Served as Associate Producer and head freefall coordinator for the documentary film, "Here am I, Send Me" directed by Zane O'Gwin of Devin Supertramp. The film was nominated for the Sundance Film Festival, January, 2020.

WEB LINKS

Squirrel Wingsuits:

www.squirrel.ws

SOFLETE

<https://soflete.com>

Living the High Life Blog:

<http://www.livnthehighlife.com>

ON3P Skis:

www.on3pskis.com

Boots and More Performance

www.bootsandmore.ski

Quiver Killer Binding Inserts:

<http://www.quiverkiller.com>

Zeal Optics:

<http://www.zealoptics.com>

Team Wendy

<https://www.teamwendy.com>



[WIDSIX - Matthias Giraud Quick and Dirty Bridge BASE Jump \(Full\)](#)

[WIDSIX - Super Frenchie Diaries 2011 Extended REWIND](#)

[WIDSIX - Super Frenchie Diaries](#)

[Sharing the Stoke](#)

[Monkeying Around // BASE Jump](#)

[ShredHood: Why We Fly](#)

[KATU 2 Portland News: Summit
Mt. Hood](#)

[GoPro: Wilderness BASE Jump](#)

[GoPro: Rock Climb to BASE
Jump](#)

[Speedriding Alaska](#)

[Speedriding Chamonix](#)

[Moab Magic](#)

[The Grateful Eight](#)

[Switzerland '17 Pt. 1](#)

[Switzerland '17 Pt. 2](#)

[Malay-nigans](#)

[Here Am I, Send Me](#)



REFERRALS & REFERENCES

Matthias Giraud - Professional Big Mountain Skiing & B.A.S.E Jumping (Black Yak, Black Crows Skis, Leki, Thule, Discrete Headwear, Oakley, Bern)

Jeff Shapiro - Professional Hang Gliding, B.A.S.E. Jumping & Mountaineering (KAVU, Wild Things, 5.10, VOKE Tab)

Miles Daisher - Professional Skydiving, B.A.S.E. Jumping, Speedflying & Paragliding (Red Bull, Crye Precision, Gatorz Optics, 5.10, Mountain Hardwear)

Mike Semanoff - Professional Skydiving & Paragliding (Inspiration RX, SOFlete, Team Wendy, Kühl, LALO Tactical)

