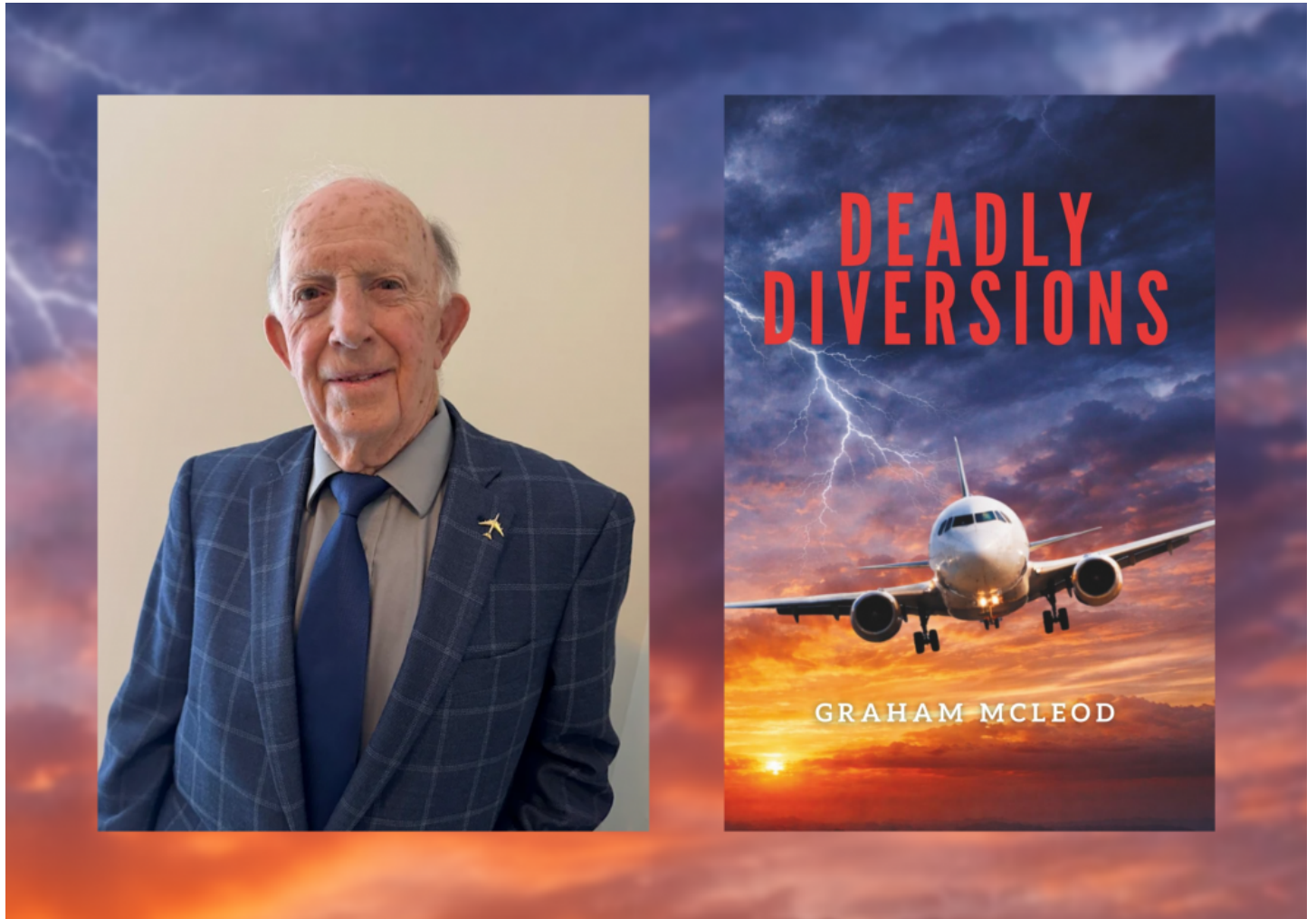


Graham McLeod Unveils a New Edition of *Deadly Diversions*, an Aviation Mystery Book Rooted in Real-World Experience

A retired Air Canada pilot draws on more than four decades of aviation experience to craft a suspenseful murder mystery where unexplained pilot deaths uncover an international conspiracy.



Orangeville, Ontario Jul 8, 2026 (IssueWire.com) - Long before he began writing crime fiction, Graham McLeod spent more than four decades navigating international airways. A retired Air Canada pilot and former Royal Canadian Air Force navigator, McLeod now channels that firsthand knowledge into the newly released edition of *Deadly Diversions*, a murder mystery that brings rare authenticity to the world of commercial aviation while unraveling an international criminal investigation.

Set within the little-known realm of charter and all-cargo airlines, *Deadly Diversions* follows private investigator and former airline pilot Don Carling as he investigates the suspicious deaths of several airline captains across Europe. What initially appears to be a series of isolated tragedies gradually reveals a far-reaching conspiracy, drawing Carling into a dangerous investigation involving international law enforcement, organized crime, and conflicting loyalties.

Rather than relying solely on action, McLeod builds suspense through realistic investigative work,

procedural accuracy, and the unique environment of global aviation. His portrayal of airline operations and cross-border investigations offers readers a perspective rarely found in contemporary crime fiction, where technical precision and human judgment are equally critical to uncovering the truth.

McLeod's professional career began as a navigator in the Royal Canadian Air Force before continuing with Air Canada, where he flew international routes throughout Europe and Asia. Those decades of experience provide the foundation for the novel's authentic settings, aviation detail, and believable characters, allowing the story to reflect the realities of an industry that is both highly regulated and largely unfamiliar to the public.

Blending aviation realism with investigative suspense, *Deadly Diversions* offers more than a conventional murder mystery. It presents a story where professional expertise, hidden motives, and international intrigue converge, demonstrating how seemingly unrelated events can reveal a much larger threat.

Additional information about Graham McLeod and his published works is available at <https://authorgrahammcleod.com/>.

Deadly Diversions is now available on Amazon. Readers can learn more about the novel and purchase their copy through the official book listing [here](#).

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