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Entrance Requirements for the MCA

Full admission to the Master of Commercial Aviation program is granted to an applicant who:

- Has earned a baccalaureate degree which is fully accredited by one of the recognized accrediting agencies, and meets all other requirements for admission to Graduate School;
- Has earned at least a 3.0 grade point average in the baccalaureate degree.

Alternate Admission Process

Provisional Admission

A student not having either an overall undergraduate quality point average or an undergraduate aviation core quality point average of 3.0 or better may be admitted provisionally. Full admission is granted upon completion of 9 hours with a quality point average of 3.0. The student may not exceed 9 hours of graduate credit in provisional status.

Non-Degree Admission

A student who is unable to satisfy requirements for full or provisional admission can be admitted on a non-degree, watch-care status to improve credentials and to meet full admission requirements. Not more than 9 semester hours earned while in non-degree status may be applied to the Master of Commercial Aviation Degree. The grades earned while in the non-degree status must be B (3.0 GPA) or better.

Master of Commercial Aviation

The Master of Commercial Aviation program provides students with a focused understanding of aviation concepts and operations. This program is oriented towards aviation management and aviation education.

- 30 Hour program / 100% On-line
- No GRE
- No Thesis

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MCA Degree Requirements

A candidate for the Master of Commercial Aviation degree is required to meet the following:

- Fulfill the general requirements for a graduate degree at Delta State University;
- Complete a minimum of 30 semester hours of graduate credits in core courses in aviation. A comparable course in statistics from an accredited graduate program may be substituted for CAV605.
- Earn a grade point average of at least 3.0 in the major field and overall.

Courses in the MCA Program

CAV 605 Statistics for Aviation Research
CAV 610 Advanced Human Factors
CAV 620 Airline Management
CAV 630 Aviation's Regulatory Environment
CAV 640 Airport Planning, Development, and Operation
CAV 650 Fixed Base Operations
CAV 660 Advanced Aviation Safety
CAV 670 Air Cargo
CAV 680 Advanced Transportation Systems
CAV 690 Special Topics in Business Administration