

Notification of Request for Authorization under the Degree-Granting Institutions Act

- Date posted:** December 11, 2012
- Institution:** Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University Worldwide
- Current status:** Authorized to advertise and offer degree programs at five campuses in Washington State
- Nature of request:** Authorization to advertise and recruit for four additional degree programs to be offered exclusively via distance learning
- Proposed programs:** Bachelor of Science in Fire Science
Master of Science in Leadership
Master of Science in Logistics and Supply Chain Management
Master of Science in Occupational Safety Management

Background:

Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University is based in Daytona Beach, Florida. It has been offering degree programs in Washington State since 1981. It has been accredited by the Southern Association of Colleges and Universities (SACS) since 1968.

Nature of the review:

Prior to granting authorization to offer new degree programs in Washington State, the Washington Student Achievement Council/Degree Authorization reviews elements such as program outcomes, course requirements, method of course delivery, faculty credentials, and student services.

The programs to be offered by Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University Worldwide appear to meet the requirements of the Degree-Granting Institutions Act.

Information on the additional programs can be found on its website at:

[Bachelor of Science in Fire Science](#)

[Master of Science in Leadership](#)

[Master of Science in Logistics and Supply Chain Management](#)

[Master of Science in Occupational Safety Management](#)

Timeline:

The Council will accept comments on this application until December 26, 2012.

Any individuals with knowledge that may indicate the institution and/or the program does not meet the authorization requirements of WAC 250-61 are requested to submit comments to:

[Degree Authorization](#).

If you would like to know more about the current law and regulations that govern the program, they can be found at the following links: the statute is [RCW 28B.85](#) and the regulation is [WAC 250-61](#).